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**Case Details (Register of Actions)**

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**Case Information****Case Number:** 27-CR-19-26893**Case Title:** State of Minnesota vs MICHAEL BERNARD HOWARD**Case Type:** Crim/Traf Mandatory**Date Filed:** 10/30/2019**Case Location:** Hennepin County, Hennepin Criminal Downtown**Judicial Officer:** Brandt, Gina M.**Case Status:** Closed**Party Information****Jurisdiction**

State of Minnesota

**Attorneys Active**

- Gushwa, Judd - Lead Attorney
- Johnston, Heidi

**Defendant****HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD**

DOB: 05/30/1963

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55404

**Attorneys Active**

- KHAN, ATIF AHMED - Lead Attorney
- BYRON, EVE MARIE
- MYREN, DOUGLAS A

**Attorneys Inactive**

- Herlofsky, Susan
- KIEFFER, SHAUNA FAYE
- PRAHL, LAURA LEE

## Warrants

### Inactive Warrants

HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD Bench Warrant-fail to appear at a hearing

Judicial Officer: Mercurio, Danielle

03/29/2023 10:28 AM Status: Served

03/28/2023 01:30 PM Status: Issued Active

Bond/Bail Options

Bond or Cash Bail Amount: \$0.00

HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD Bench Warrant

Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K

07/18/2021 04:27 PM Status: Warrant Cleared by Wt Office

04/20/2021 01:30 PM Status: Issued Active

Bond/Bail Options

Bond or Cash Bail Amount: \$300.00

HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD Arrest, Complaint, Order of Detention

Judicial Officer: Bernhardson, Ivy S.

12/05/2019 11:03 PM Status: Warrant Cleared by Wt Office

12/03/2019 08:30 AM Status: Issued Active

Bond/Bail Options

Bond or Cash Bail Amount: \$0.00

## Charges

1 TRESPASS-RETURN TO PROPERTY WITHIN ONE YEAR Statute: 609.605.1(b)(8)

Additional Statute: Increased Penalties for Certain Misdemeanors with 2 or More Priors (609.153.3)

Disposition: Dismissed

Disposition Date: 04/27/2023

Level of Charge: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date: 09/24/2019

Community Of Offense: Minneapolis

Law Enforcement Agency: Minneapolis Police Department

Prosecuting Agency: Minneapolis City Attorney

2 THEFT-TAKE/USE/TRANSFER MOVABLE PROP-NO CONSENT Statute: 609.52.2(a)(1)

Additional Statute: Theft - Theft-Value \$500 or less or aggregate subd. 2, clauses (1), (2), (3), (4), (13) or (19) (609.52.3(5))

Disposition: Dismissed

Disposition Date: 01/14/2020

Level of Charge: Misdemeanor

Offense Date: 09/24/2019

Community Of Offense: Minneapolis

Law Enforcement Agency: Minneapolis Police Department

Prosecuting Agency: Minneapolis City Attorney

## Interim Conditions

03/29/2023

Interim conditions for HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD

Judicial Officer: Hughey, Rachel

Expiration Date: 04/27/2023

- Release with No Bail, Bond, or Conditions Required (ROR)

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| 09/29/2021 | <p>Interim conditions for HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD<br/>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br/>Expiration Date: 03/29/2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Post Bail or Bond with No Conditions<br/>\$10,000.00</li><li>• Release with Conditions<br/>\$0.00</li><li>• Remain law-abiding</li><li>• Make all future court appearances</li><li>• Comply With Geographic Restrictions Imposed</li><li>• Conditions, other</li><li>• Do not leave Minnesota without written court approval</li></ul> |
| 09/21/2021 | <p>Interim conditions for HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD<br/>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br/>Expiration Date: 09/29/2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Post Bail or Bond with No Conditions<br/>\$10,000.00</li><li>• Release with Conditions<br/>\$0.00</li><li>• Remain law-abiding</li><li>• Make all future court appearances</li><li>• Comply With Geographic Restrictions Imposed</li><li>• Conditions, other</li><li>• Do not leave Minnesota without written court approval</li></ul> |
| 07/19/2021 | <p>Interim conditions for HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD<br/>Judicial Officer: Moreno, Daniel C.<br/>Expiration Date: 09/21/2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Post Bail or Bond with No Conditions<br/>\$300.00</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

### Case Assignments

#### Current Case Assignment

Judicial Assignment: Brandt, Gina M.

Date of Assignment: 03/30/2023

#### Prior Case Assignments

Judicial Assignment: Moreno, Daniel C.

Date of Assignment: 07/19/2021

Reassignment Reason: Reassigned

Date of Assignment: 10/30/2019

Reassignment Reason: Initial Assignment

### Case Events

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|------------|------------------------------------------------|
| 04/27/2023 | Dismissal by Prosecuting Attorney<br>Index #43 |
| 04/26/2023 | Rule 20 Evaluation Report<br>Index #42         |
| 04/26/2023 | Rule 20 Report Distributed                     |
| 03/30/2023 | Prosecutor's Offer<br>Index #41                |
| 03/29/2023 | Notice of Remote Hearing with Instructions     |



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|            | Index #40                                                                                                                 |     |
|            |                                                                                                                           | 2 pages                                                                               |
| 03/29/2023 | Hearing Held In-Person                                                                                                    |                                                                                       |
| 03/29/2023 | Warrant Served                                                                                                            |                                                                                       |
| 03/28/2023 | Warrant Issued<br>Index #39                                                                                               |                                                                                       |
| 03/28/2023 | Fail to Appear at a hearing<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD                                                   |                                                                                       |
| 03/28/2023 | Hearing Held Remote                                                                                                       |                                                                                       |
| 03/24/2023 | Rule 20 Progress Report<br>Index #38                                                                                      |                                                                                       |
| 02/08/2023 | Notice of Remote Hearing with Instructions<br>Index #37                                                                   |    |
|            |                                                                                                                           | 2 pages                                                                               |
| 02/07/2023 | Request for Continuance<br>Index #36                                                                                      |                                                                                       |
| 02/07/2023 | Fail to Appear at a hearing<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD                                                   |                                                                                       |
| 02/07/2023 | Hearing Held Remote                                                                                                       |                                                                                       |
| 02/03/2023 | Rule 20 Progress Report<br>Index #35                                                                                      |                                                                                       |
| 11/30/2022 | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #34                  |  |
|            |                                                                                                                           | 2 pages                                                                               |
| 06/29/2022 | Rule 20 Progress Report<br>Index #33                                                                                      |                                                                                       |
| 06/29/2022 | Rule 20 Report Distributed                                                                                                |                                                                                       |
| 05/11/2022 | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #32                  |  |
|            |                                                                                                                           | 2 pages                                                                               |
| 05/11/2022 | Probable Cause Found                                                                                                      |                                                                                       |
| 02/01/2022 | Notice of Remote Hearing with Instructions<br>Index #31                                                                   |                                                                                       |
| 02/01/2022 | Findings and Order<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #30                                                       |  |
|            |                                                                                                                           | 7 pages                                                                               |
| 02/01/2022 | Found Incompetent<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K                                                                     |                                                                                       |
| 02/01/2022 | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology<br>Remote Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD;<br>Attorney KIEFFER, SHAUNA FAYE |                                                                                       |

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| <b>01/31/2022</b> | Rule 20 Evaluation Report<br>Index #29                                                                                |                                                                                                  |
| <b>01/31/2022</b> | Rule 20 Report Distributed                                                                                            |                                                                                                  |
| <b>12/28/2021</b> | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Utley, Maximillia<br>Index #28           | <br>3 pages   |
| <b>12/13/2021</b> | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #27              | <br>2 pages   |
| <b>09/29/2021</b> | Order for Conditional Release<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Index #26                                       | <br>1 page    |
| <b>09/21/2021</b> | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology                                                                                  |                                                                                                  |
| <b>09/21/2021</b> | Order for Conditional Release<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Index #25                                       | <br>1 page    |
| <b>09/21/2021</b> | Motion<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD<br>Index #24                  |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/31/2021</b> | Findings and Order<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #23                                                   | <br>7 pages   |
| <b>08/31/2021</b> | Found Incompetent<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K                                                                 |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/31/2021</b> | Pandemic Event                                                                                                        |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/31/2021</b> | Bail to stand as previously ordered                                                                                   |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/31/2021</b> | Waiver of Appearance<br>Index #22                                                                                     |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/23/2021</b> | Request for Continuance<br>Index #21                                                                                  |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/23/2021</b> | Rule 20 Report Distributed                                                                                            |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/23/2021</b> | Rule 20 Evaluation Report<br>Index #20                                                                                |                                                                                                  |
| <b>07/19/2021</b> | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Moreno, Daniel C.<br>Index #19           | <br>2 pages |
| <b>07/19/2021</b> | Probable Cause Found                                                                                                  |                                                                                                  |
| <b>07/19/2021</b> | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology<br>Remote Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD;<br>Attorney MYREN, DOUGLAS A |                                                                                                  |
| <b>07/18/2021</b> | Warrant Cleared by Wt Office                                                                                          |                                                                                                  |

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| <b>04/20/2021</b> | Warrant Issued<br>Index #18                                                                                                 |                                                                                                  |
| <b>04/20/2021</b> | Fail to Appear at a hearing                                                                                                 |                                                                                                  |
| <b>04/20/2021</b> | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology<br>Remote Party: Jurisdiction State of Minnesota                                       |                                                                                                  |
| <b>04/16/2021</b> | Request for Continuance<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD<br>Index #17                                            |                                                                                                  |
| <b>03/30/2021</b> | Request for Continuance<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD; Name Not Available Online<br>Index #16                 |                                                                                                  |
| <b>03/30/2021</b> | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology<br>Remote Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD;<br>Jurisdiction State of Minnesota |                                                                                                  |
| <b>01/29/2021</b> | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #15                    | <br>2 pages   |
| <b>09/29/2020</b> | Notice of Hearing<br>Index #14                                                                                              | <br>1 page    |
| <b>09/29/2020</b> | Findings and Order<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Index #13                                                        | <br>5 pages   |
| <b>09/29/2020</b> | Found Incompetent<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.                                                                      |                                                                                                  |
| <b>09/29/2020</b> | Hearing Held Using Remote Technology<br>Remote Party: Jurisdiction State of Minnesota                                       |                                                                                                  |
| <b>08/10/2020</b> | Other Document<br>Index #12                                                                                                 | <br>1 page  |
| <b>06/30/2020</b> | Fail to Appear at a hearing                                                                                                 |                                                                                                  |
| <b>05/19/2020</b> | Returned Mail<br>Index #11                                                                                                  | <br>1 page  |
| <b>04/22/2020</b> | Pandemic Notice of Cancelled or Rescheduled Hearing<br>Index #10                                                            | <br>2 pages |
| <b>04/17/2020</b> | Pandemic Event                                                                                                              |                                                                                                  |
| <b>03/12/2020</b> | Order-Evaluation for Competency to Proceed (Rule 20.01)<br>Judicial Officer: Lamas, Carolina A.<br>Index #9                 | <br>2 pages |
| <b>01/16/2020</b> | Notice of Intent to Prosecute<br>Index #8                                                                                   | <br>1 page  |

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| 01/14/2020 | Find of Fact-Order, Pet Commitment-Dfd Found Incompetent<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Index #7 |     | 5 pages |
| 01/14/2020 | Found Incompetent<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K                                                    |                                                                                       |         |
| 01/14/2020 | Notice of Appearance<br>Index #6                                                                         |    | 1 page  |
| 12/06/2019 | Law Enforcement Notice of Release and Appearance<br>Index #5                                             |    | 1 page  |
| 12/05/2019 | Warrant Cleared by Wt Office                                                                             |                                                                                       |         |
| 12/03/2019 | Warrant Issued<br>Index #4                                                                               |    | 1 page  |
| 12/03/2019 | Fail to Appear at a hearing<br>Party: Defendant HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD                                  |                                                                                       |         |
| 11/18/2019 | Returned Mail<br>Index #3                                                                                |    | 1 page  |
| 10/30/2019 | Fingerprints Required Notice sent                                                                        |                                                                                       |         |
| 10/30/2019 | Summons<br>Index #2                                                                                      |  | 1 page  |
| 10/30/2019 | E-filed Comp-Summons<br>Index #1                                                                         |  | 6 pages |

## Hearings

### Previous Hearings

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| 05/02/2023 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Mercurio, Danielle<br>Location: GC-C556<br>Cancelled; Dismissed                                                                                                              |                                   |
| 03/29/2023 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Hughey, Rachel<br>Location: PSF 143                                                                                                                                          | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record |
| 03/28/2023 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Mercurio, Danielle<br>Location: GC-C556                                                                                                                                      | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record |
| 02/07/2023 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Skibbie, Lori<br>Location: GC-C457<br><br>Date Updated: 07/15/2022<br>Reset by Court to 02/07/2023 01:30 PM - By agreement<br><br>Original Hearing Date: 08/02/2022 01:30 PM | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record |

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| 02/01/2022 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C857<br><br>Date Updated: 12/28/2021<br>Reset by Court to 02/01/2022 01:30 PM - Other<br><br>Original Hearing Date: 03/01/2022 01:30 PM                                                                                  | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 09/21/2021 | 01:30 PM | Bail Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Location: GC-C857                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 08/31/2021 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C857<br>Cancelled; Other<br><br>Date Updated: 08/24/2021<br>Reset by Court to 08/31/2021 01:30 PM - Other<br><br>Original Hearing Date: 08/24/2021 01:30 PM                                                              |                                    |
| 08/26/2021 | 09:00 AM | Omnibus Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Moreno, Daniel C.<br>Location: GC-C1559<br>Cancelled; Other                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                    |
| 07/19/2021 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Moreno, Daniel C.<br>Location: PSF 141                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 04/20/2021 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C953                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 03/30/2021 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C959                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 09/29/2020 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.<br>Location: GC-C853                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 07/14/2020 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C857<br>Cancelled; Other                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                    |
| 06/30/2020 | 01:30 PM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C857<br><br>Date Updated: 04/17/2020<br>Reset by Court to 06/30/2020 01:30 PM - Other<br><br>Date Updated: 03/12/2020<br>Reset by Court to 05/05/2020 01:30 PM - Other<br><br>Original Hearing Date: 03/12/2020 09:00 AM | <b>Result:</b> Held Off the Record |
| 03/12/2020 | 09:00 AM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Lamas, Carolina A.<br>Location: GC-C955<br>Cancelled; Other                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                    |
| 01/14/2020 | 01:30 PM | First Appearance<br>Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K<br>Location: GC-C857<br><br>Date Updated: 12/18/2019<br>Reset by Court to 01/14/2020 01:30 PM - Other<br><br>Original Hearing Date: 12/20/2019 08:30 AM                                                                         | <b>Result:</b> Held On the Record  |
| 12/03/2019 | 08:30 AM | Hearing<br>Judicial Officer: Bernhardson, Ivy S.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Result:</b> Held Off the Record |

Location: PSF 142

## Dispositions

04/27/2023

## Disposition

Judicial Officer: Brandt, Gina M.

**1** TRESPASS-RETURN TO PROPERTY WITHIN ONE YEAR**Statute:** 609.605.1(b)(8)**Additional Statute:** Increased Penalties for Certain Misdemeanors with 2 or More Priors (609.153.3)**Disposition:** Dismissed**Level of Charge:** Gross Misdemeanor**Offense Date:** 09/24/2019**Community Of Offense:** Minneapolis**Law Enforcement Agency:** Minneapolis Police Department**Prosecuting Agency:** Minneapolis City Attorney

01/14/2020

## Disposition

Judicial Officer: Janzen, Lisa K

**2** THEFT-TAKE/USE/TRANSFER MOVABLE PROP-NO CONSENT**Statute:** 609.52.2(a)(1)**Additional Statute:** Theft - Theft-Value \$500 or less or aggregate subd. 2, clauses (1), (2), (3), (4), (13) or (19) (609.52.3(5))**Disposition:** Dismissed**Level of Charge:** Misdemeanor**Offense Date:** 09/24/2019**Community Of Offense:** Minneapolis**Law Enforcement Agency:** Minneapolis Police Department**Prosecuting Agency:** Minneapolis City Attorney

## Financial Information

Defendant - HOWARD, MICHAEL BERNARD

|                                         |           |             |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Fines and Fees                          | \$        | 75.00       |
| Total Payments and Credits              | - \$      | 75.00       |
| <b>Current Balance as of 11/23/2025</b> | <b>\$</b> | <b>0.00</b> |

## Transaction Details

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| 04/27/2023 | Credit Waived | - \$ | 75.00 |
| 04/27/2023 | Charge        | \$   | 75.00 |

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