

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, MERCER COUNTY, OHIO  
CRIMINAL DIVISION

STATE OF OHIO,

CASE NO. 25-CRM-049

Plaintiff

VS.

SCOTT A. WILLIAMS  
619 East Main Street  
Greenville, OH 45331  
DOB: 3/17/1977  
SSN: XXX-XX-8679

COMPLAINT

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10:09  
MAR 31 2025

Defendant.

*Richard Freeman*  
MERCER COUNTY CLERK OF COURTS  
CELINA, OHIO

**Count One**                      **Theft - F5**  
   §2913.02(A)(3), 2913.02(B)(2)  
**Date of Offense**              On or about March 29, 2025


Complainant being duly sworn states that Scott A. Williams, in Mercer County, Ohio, on or about March 29, 2025, unlawfully

did with purpose to deprive the owner, Victim # 1, of property or services, to wit: \$1249.57 worth of store merchandise, knowingly obtain or exert control over either the property or services by deception.

FURTHERMORE, the property or services stolen is valued at one thousand dollars or more and less than seven thousand five hundred dollars

*The offense is contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio.*

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PROSECUTING ATTORNEY  
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Sgt. Colin Fuelling  
Celina Police Department

Sworn before me by Sgt. Colin Fuelling, Celina Police Department, on this day of March 31, 2025.

  
Judge

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**AFFIDAVIT ON COMPLAINT**  
**(O.R.C. 2935.09)**

STATE OF OHIO, MERCER COUNTY, SS:

I, Sgt. Colin Fuelling, do hereby state that I am employed at the Celina Police Department. The following did occur:


On March 29, 2025, at approximately 1:16 P.M, I was contacted by the Victim # 1 Asset Protection Manager, that a known shoplifter was currently in the store. The male was known to Asset Protection and Law Enforcement, to be a Scott Willams. Williams had been identified committing previous thefts at Victim # 1. Asset protection was watching Williams walk around the store selecting items and placing them into a cart. On the previous occasions, Williams would then walk out of the store with a cart of store merchandise, without paying for it.

At about 1:38, the Asset Protection Manager told me that Williams had left the store with a cart full of merchandise, without attempting to pay for it, and was now putting those items into a Dark Gray Dodge Journey, in row 6.

I was in the parking lot. I pulled into row 6 and saw Williams placing items into the back of the vehicle. I made contact with Willams and placed him under arrest. Ptl. Poppe transported Williams to the Mercer County Detention Facility.

The merchandise Williams removed from the store was taken back inside and the total of the merchandise was totaled up to be \$1249.57.

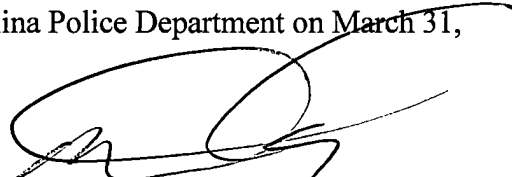
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