



## Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office

12/22/2023

Update to 12/16/2023 Press Release:

On 12/16/2023, Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office provided a press release indicating that BELL, Lemuel Renard, a 55-year-old male, had been arrested for Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Kidnapping, Possession of Controlled Substance, and Warrants unrelated to this incident. The incident regarding BELL's arrest remained under investigation following the arrest.

As further information in the case was obtained, it was forwarded to the Minnehaha County State's Attorney's Office for review. The charges of Robbery, Aggravated Assault, and Kidnapping against BELL have been dismissed by the State's Attorney's Office. A warrant was issued for KNIFE, Erica Leigh, a 33-year-old female, charging her with 2 counts of False Reporting M(1) referencing the original incident from December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023. KNIFE was lodged for the warrant on 12/21/2023. The investigation will continue and additional charges for KNIFE may be filed.

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