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CASE INFORMATION

Judge Assigned: Sponaugle, Thomas B. Date Filed: 10/21/2024 Initiation Date: 08/29/2024
OTN: O 1007047-6 LOTN: Originating Docket No: MJ-02306-CR-0000226-2024
Initial Issuing Authority: Jonathan W. Heisse Final Issuing Authority: Jonathan W. Heisse
Arresting Agency: East Earl Twp Police Dept Arresting Officer: Sensenig, Gary L.
Complaint/Citation No.: CC00000234674 Incident Number: EE20241215
County: Lancaster Township: E Earl Township
Case Local Number Type(s): Case Local Number(s):

STATUS INFORMATION

Case Status: Active Status Date: 10/22/2024 Processing Status: Awaiting Formal Arraignment Complaint Date: 08/29/2024
10/21/2024 Awaiting Filing of Information

CALENDAR EVENTS

<u>Case Calendar</u>	<u>Schedule</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Judge Name</u>	<u>Schedule</u>
<u>Event Type</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Time</u>			<u>Status</u>
Formal Arraignment	11/08/2024	9:00 am	Courtroom A		Cancelled
Status Conference	01/30/2025	1:30 pm	Courtroom 6	Judge Thomas B. Sponaugle	Continued
Status Conference	03/06/2025	1:30 pm	Courtroom 12	Judge Thomas B. Sponaugle	Continued
Status Conference	04/03/2025	1:30 pm	Courtroom 12	Judge Thomas B. Sponaugle	Continued
Status Conference	05/29/2025	1:30 pm	Courtroom 6	Judge Thomas B. Sponaugle	Continued
Status Conference	07/31/2025	1:30 pm	Courtroom 6	Judge Thomas B. Sponaugle	Scheduled

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Date Of Birth: 09/10/1966 City/State/Zip: East Earl, PA 17519

CASE PARTICIPANTS

Participant Type Name
Defendant Zweifel, Christopher Todd

BAIL INFORMATION

Zweifel, Christopher Todd **Nebbia Status: None**

<u>Bail Action</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Bail Type</u>	<u>Originating Court</u>	<u>Percentage</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Set	09/06/2024	Monetary	Magisterial District Court		\$50,000.00

CHARGES

<u>Seq.</u>	<u>Orig Seq.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Statute</u>	<u>Statute Description</u>	<u>Offense Dt.</u>	<u>OTN</u>
1	1	F3	18 § 3126 §§ A7	Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	01/01/2021	O 1007047-6
2	9	F3	18 § 6318 §§ A1	Unlawful Contact With Minor - Sexual Offenses	01/01/2021	O 1007047-6

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3	3	F3	18 § 4304 §§ A1	Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	01/01/2021	O 1007047-6
99,999	5	F3	18 § 6301 §§ A1ii	Corruption Of Minors - Defendant Age 18 or Above	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6
99,999	6	F3	18 § 6301 §§ A1ii	Corruption Of Minors - Defendant Age 18 or Above	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6
99,999	4	F3	18 § 4304 §§ A1	Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6
99,999	7		18 § 3126 §§ A2	Indecent Assault Forcible Compulsion	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6
99,999	8		18 § 3126 §§ A2	Indecent Assault Forcible Compulsion	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6
99,999	2	F3	18 § 3126 §§ A7	Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	01/01/2022	O 1007047-6

DISPOSITION SENTENCING/PENALTIES

Disposition

Case Event

Sequence/Description

Sentencing Judge

Sentence/Diversion Program Type

Sentence Conditions

Disposition Date

Offense Disposition

Sentence Date

Incarceration/Diversionary Period

Final Disposition

Grade Section

Credit For Time Served

Start Date

Held for Court (Lower Court)

Defendant Was Present

Lower Court Disposition	10/16/2024	Not Final
1 / Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 3126 §§ A7
2 / Unlawful Contact With Minor - Sexual Offenses	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 6318 §§ A1
3 / Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 4304 §§ A1
99,999 / Corruption Of Minors - Defendant Age 18 or Above	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 6301 §§ A1ii
99,999 / Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 4304 §§ A1
99,999 / Indecent Assault Forcible Compulsion	Withdrawn (Lower Court)	18 § 3126 §§ A2
99,999 / Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	Held for Court (Lower Court)	F3 18 § 3126 §§ A7

Proceed to Court

Defendant Was Not Present

Information Filed	12/17/2024	Not Final
1 / Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	Proceed to Court	F3 18 § 3126 §§ A7
2 / Unlawful Contact With Minor - Sexual Offenses	Proceed to Court	F3 18 § 6318 §§ A1
3 / Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	Proceed to Court	F3 18 § 4304 §§ A1
99,999 / Corruption Of Minors - Defendant Age 18 or Above	Withdrawn	F3 18 § 6301 §§ A1ii

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Disposition

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<u>Sentencing Judge</u>	<u>Sentence Date</u>	<u>Credit For Time Served</u>	
<u>Sentence/Diversion Program Type</u>	<u>Incarceration/Diversionary Period</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	
<u>Sentence Conditions</u>			
99,999 / Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	Withdrawn	F3	18 § 4304 §§ A1
99,999 / Indecent Assault Forcible Compulsion	Disposed at Lower Court		18 § 3126 §§ A2
99,999 / Indecent Assault Person Less than 13 Years of Age	Withdrawn	F3	18 § 3126 §§ A7

COMMONWEALTH INFORMATION

Name: Jennifer Lauren Ponessa
District Attorney

Supreme Court No: 319222

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Lancaster, PA 17602-2805

Name: Lancaster County District Attorney's Office
District Attorney

Supreme Court No:

Phone Number(s):
717-299-8100 (Phone)

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50 North Duke Street
Lancaster, PA 17608

Name: Jaimes Earl Spring II
District Attorney

Supreme Court No: 331859

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717-299-8100 (Phone)

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50 N Duke St 6th Fl
Lancaster, PA 17608

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Private

Supreme Court No: 047453

Rep. Status: Active

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Representing: Zweifel, Christopher Todd

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1	09/06/2024		Heisse, Jonathan W.
Bail Set - Zweifel, Christopher Todd			
1	10/21/2024		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Original Papers Received from Lower Court Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
10/22/2024	eService		Served
1	12/17/2024		Adams, Heather
Information Filed Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
12/17/2024	eService		Served
Spring, Jaimes Earl II			
12/17/2024	eService		Served
1	01/16/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
2	01/16/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Hearing Notice Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
01/16/2025			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
01/16/2025			
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
Stretton, Samuel C.			
01/16/2025			

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3	01/16/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice Lancaster County District Attorney's Office 01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren 01/16/2025	eService		Served
4	01/16/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Hearing Notice Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 01/16/2025 Lancaster County District Attorney's Office 01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren 01/16/2025 Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren 01/16/2025	eService		Served
Stretton, Samuel C. 01/16/2025			
5	01/16/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice Lancaster County District Attorney's Office 01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren 01/16/2025	eService		Served
6	01/16/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
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Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
01/16/2025	eService		Served
Zweifel, Christopher Todd			
01/16/2025	First Class		

1	02/11/2025		Sponaugle, Thomas B.
Conference Order			

1	02/20/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025	eService		Served

2	02/20/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Hearing Notice			
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
02/20/2025			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025			
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Stretton, Samuel C.			
02/20/2025			

3	02/20/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
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Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025	eService		Served

4	02/20/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Hearing Notice			
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
02/20/2025			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025			
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Stretton, Samuel C.			
02/20/2025			

5	02/20/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
02/20/2025	eService		Served

6	02/20/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
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Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
02/20/2025	eService		Served
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Zweifel, Christopher Todd			
02/20/2025	First Class		
1	03/06/2025		Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony
Entry of Appearance			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
03/06/2025	eNotice		Notified
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
03/06/2025	eNotice		Notified
1	03/14/2025		Sponaugle, Thomas B.
Conference Order			
1	03/21/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
03/21/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
03/21/2025	eService		Served
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
03/21/2025	eService		Served
2	03/21/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
Hearing Notice			
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
03/21/2025			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
03/21/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
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Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			

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03/21/2025			
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
03/21/2025	eService		Served
1	04/24/2025		Sponaugle, Thomas B.
Conference Order			
1	05/15/2025		Lancaster County Court Administration
Hearing Notice			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
2	05/15/2025		Court of Common Pleas - Lancaster County
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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
05/15/2025			
Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
05/15/2025			
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
05/15/2025			
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
05/15/2025	eService		Served
1	05/28/2025		Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony
Omnibus Pre-Trial Motion			

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Lancaster County District Attorney's Office			
05/29/2025	eNotice		Notified
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
05/29/2025	eNotice		Notified

1	05/29/2025		Lancaster County District Attorney's Office
Request for Transcript			
Ponessa, Jennifer Lauren			
05/29/2025	eService		Served
Ratasiewicz, Joseph Anthony			
05/29/2025	eService		Served

1	06/12/2025		Sponaugle, Thomas B.
Conference Order			
