

Magisterial District Judge 49-1-01

DOCKET

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CASE INFORMATION

<u>Judge Assigned:</u>	Magisterial District Judge Donald M. Hahn	<u>Issue Date:</u>	03/14/2025
<u>OTN:</u>	L 1010990-1	<u>File Date:</u>	03/14/2025
<u>Arresting Agency:</u>	Rockview PSP	<u>Arrest Date:</u>	
<u>Complaint No.:</u>	G7A4B6P01G	<u>Incident No.:</u>	PA2024-1167040
<u>Disposition:</u>	Held for Court	<u>Disposition Date:</u>	03/26/2025
<u>County:</u>	Centre	<u>Township:</u>	State College Borough
<u>Case Status:</u>	Closed		

STATUS INFORMATION

<u>Case Status</u>	<u>Status Date</u>	<u>Processing Status</u>
Closed	03/27/2025	Case Transferred to Court of Common Pleas
	03/26/2025	Completed
	03/14/2025	Awaiting Preliminary Hearing
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CALENDAR EVENTS

<u>Case Calendar</u>	<u>Schedule</u>			<u>Judge Name</u>	<u>Schedule</u>
<u>Event Type</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>Room</u>		<u>Status</u>
Preliminary Arraignment	03/14/2025	9:30 pm		Magisterial District Judge Donald M. Hahn	Scheduled
Preliminary Hearing	03/19/2025	8:30 am		Magisterial District Judge Donald M. Hahn	Continued
Preliminary Hearing	03/26/2025	8:30 am		Magisterial District Judge Centre Central Court 49-0-00	Scheduled
Formal Arraignment	04/23/2025	1:00 pm	Courtroom 2	The Honorable Katherine V. Oliver	Scheduled

CONFINEMENT

<u>Confinement Location</u>	<u>Confinement Type</u>	<u>Confinement Reason</u>	<u>Confinement</u>	<u>Confinement</u>
			<u>Date</u>	<u>End Date</u>
Case Confinement				
Centre County Prison	County Jail	Unable to Post Bail	03/14/2025	

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DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Name: Saunders, Christopher James Sex: Male
Date of Birth: 11/09/1992 Race: Black

Address(es):

Mailing

Boalsburg, PA 16827

Advised of His Right to Apply for Assignment of Counsel? No
Public Defender Requested by the Defendant? No
Application Provided for Appointment of Public Defender? No
Has the Defendant Been Fingerprinted? No

CASE PARTICIPANTS

<u>Participant Type</u>	<u>Participant Name</u>
Defendant	Saunders, Christopher James
Arresting Officer	Sweeny, Howard W. Jr.

BAIL

<u>Bail Action Type</u>	<u>Bail Action Date</u>	<u>Bail Type</u>	<u>Originating Court</u>	<u>Percentage</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Set	03/14/2025	Monetary	Magisterial District Court	10.00%	\$240,000.00

Bail Set: **Nebbia Status: None**

CHARGES

<u># Charge</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Offense Dt.</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
1 75 § 3732 §§ A	F3	Homicide By Vehicle	09/06/2024	Held for Court
2 18 § 2504 §§ A	M1	Involuntary Manslaughter	09/06/2024	Held for Court
3 75 § 3742.1 §§ A1	F3	Accidents Involving Death or Injury While Not Licensed	09/06/2024	Held for Court
4 75 § 3714 §§ B	S	Careless Driving - Unintentional Death	09/06/2024	Held for Court
5 75 § 3362 §§ A1.1-1	S	Exceed 65 OR 70 MPH For All Vehicles By 1 MPH	09/06/2024	Held for Court
6 75 § 3361	S	Driving at Safe Speed	09/06/2024	Held for Court
7 75 § 3736 §§ A	S	Reckless Driving	09/06/2024	Held for Court
8 75 § 1543 §§ A	S	Driv While Oper Priv Susp Or Revoked	09/06/2024	Held for Court
9 75 § 1501 §§ A	S	Driving W/O A License	09/06/2024	Held for Court
10 75 § 4581 §§ A2iiA	S	Fail to use safety belt- driver/front seat occupant	09/06/2024	Held for Court
11 75 § 1786 §§ F	S	Oper Veh W/O Req'd Financ Resp	09/06/2024	Held for Court

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DISPOSITION / SENTENCING DETAILS

<u>Case Disposition</u>	<u>Disposition Date</u>	<u>Was Defendant Present?</u>
Held for Court	03/26/2025	Yes
<u>Offense Seq./Description</u>	<u>Offense Disposition</u>	
1 Homicide By Vehicle	Held for Court	
2 Involuntary Manslaughter	Held for Court	
3 Accidents Involving Death or Injury While Not Licensed	Held for Court	
4 Careless Driving - Unintentional Death	Held for Court	
5 Exceed 65 OR 70 MPH For All Vehicles By 1 MPH	Held for Court	
6 Driving at Safe Speed	Held for Court	
7 Reckless Driving	Held for Court	
8 Driv While Oper Priv Susp Or Revoked	Held for Court	
9 Driving W/O A License	Held for Court	
10 Fail to use safety belt- driver/front seat occupant	Held for Court	
11 Oper Veh W/O Req'd Financ Resp	Held for Court	

ATTORNEY INFORMATION

Private

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DOCKET ENTRY INFORMATION

<u>Filed Date</u>	<u>Entry</u>	<u>Filer</u>	<u>Applies To</u>
03/26/2025	Held for Court	Magisterial District Judge Allen W. Sinclair	Christopher James Saunders, Defendant
03/26/2025	Docket Transcript Printed	Magisterial District Court 49-1-01	Christopher James Saunders, Defendant
03/14/2025	Commitment Printed - Unable to Post Bail	Magisterial District Court 49-1-01	Christopher James Saunders, Defendant
03/14/2025	Criminal Complaint Filed	Magisterial District Court 49-1-01	

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