

Magisterial District Judge 26-2-01

DOCKET

Docket Number: MJ-26201-CR-0000026-2026

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CASE INFORMATION

<u>Judge Assigned:</u>	Russell L. Lawton	<u>Issue Date:</u>	01/23/2026
<u>OTN:</u>	O 1017114-0	<u>File Date:</u>	01/23/2026
<u>Arresting Agency:</u>	Bloomsburg Police Dept	<u>Arrest Date:</u>	01/23/2026
<u>Complaint No.:</u>	PA0190300-C000010575	<u>Incident No.:</u>	20260123M0061
<u>Disposition:</u>	Guilty Plea	<u>Disposition Date:</u>	05/06/2026
<u>County:</u>	Columbia	<u>Township:</u>	Bloomsburg Town
<u>Case Status:</u>	Closed		

STATUS INFORMATION

<u>Case Status</u>	<u>Status Date</u>	<u>Processing Status</u>
Closed	05/06/2026	Case Balance Due
	05/06/2026	Case Disposed/Penalty Imposed
	05/06/2026	Awaiting Sentencing
	01/23/2026	Awaiting Preliminary Hearing
	01/23/2026	Awaiting Preliminary Arraignment

CALENDAR EVENTS

<u>Case Calendar</u>	<u>Schedule</u>			<u>Judge Name</u>	<u>Schedule Status</u>
<u>Event Type</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>Room</u>		
Preliminary Arraignment	01/23/2026	7:30 pm		Brenda Hess Williams	Scheduled
Preliminary Hearing	02/11/2026	2:15 pm		Russell L. Lawton	Continued
Preliminary Hearing	05/06/2026	1:30 pm		Russell L. Lawton	Scheduled

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

<u>Name:</u>	Kowalchick, Eric M.	<u>Sex:</u>	Male
<u>Date of Birth:</u>	11/15/1983	<u>Race:</u>	White
<u>Address(es):</u>			

Home
Bloomsburg, PA 17815

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

CASE PARTICIPANTS

<u>Participant Type</u>	<u>Participant Name</u>
Arresting Officer	Dombrosky, Joshua J.
Defendant	Kowalchick, Eric M.

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BAIL

Bail Set:

Nebbia Status: None

<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	01/23/2026	Nonmonetary	Magisterial District Court		\$0.00

CHARGES

<u># Charge</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Offense Dt.</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
1 18 § 2718 §§ A1	F2	Strangulation - Applying Pressure to Throat or Neck	01/23/2026	Withdrawn
2 18 § 2701 §§ A1	M1	Simple Assault	01/23/2026	Withdrawn
3 18 § 4304 §§ A1	M1	Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	01/23/2026	Withdrawn
4 18 § 2709 §§ A7	M3	Harassment - Comm. Repeatedly in Another Manner	01/23/2026	Guilty Plea

DISPOSITION / SENTENCING DETAILS

<u>Case Disposition</u>	<u>Disposition Date</u>	<u>Was Defendant Present?</u>
Guilty Plea	05/06/2026	Yes

<u>Offense Seq./Description</u>	<u>Offense Disposition</u>
1 Strangulation - Applying Pressure to Throat or Neck	Withdrawn
2 Simple Assault	Withdrawn
3 Endangering Welfare of Children - Parent/Guardian/Other Commits Offense	Withdrawn
4 Harassment - Comm. Repeatedly in Another Manner	Guilty Plea

ATTORNEY INFORMATION

Assistant District Attorney

Name: Columbia County District Attorney's Office

Representing: Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Counsel Status: Active

Supreme Court No.:

Phone No.: 570-389-5656

Address: Columbia County Court House
PO Box 380
Main Street
Bloomsburg, PA 17815

Public Defender

Name: Janan Marie Tallo, Esq.

Representing: Kowalchick, Eric M.

Counsel Status: Active

Supreme Court No.: 204090

Phone No.: 570-389-6326

Address: Columbia Co Pd's Office
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DOCKET ENTRY INFORMATION

<u>Filed Date</u>	<u>Entry</u>	<u>Filer</u>	<u>Applies To</u>
05/06/2026	Guilty Plea	Russell L. Lawton	Eric M. Kowalchick, Defendant
02/20/2026	Subpoena Issued via Hand Delivery Successfully Served	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	Restricted Participant
02/13/2026	Subpoena Issued via Hand Delivery	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	Restricted Participant
02/13/2026	Subpoena Issued via Hand Delivery	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	Restricted Participant
02/06/2026	Fingerprint Order Returned - Criminal Case	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	Eric M. Kowalchick, Defendant
01/23/2026	Fingerprint Order Issued	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	Eric M. Kowalchick, Defendant
01/23/2026	Criminal Complaint Filed	Magisterial District Court 26-2-01	

PAYMENT PLAN SUMMARY

<u>Payment Plan No.</u>	<u>Payment Plan Freq.</u>	<u>Next Due Date</u>	<u>Active</u>	<u>Next Due Amt.</u>	<u>Overdue Amt.</u>
	Monthly	06/22/2026	Yes	\$25.00	\$0.00

Responsible Participant
Kowalchick, Eric M.

Payment Plan History: Payment Dt. Applied Dt. Transaction Type Payor Participant Role Amount

CASE FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Case Balance: \$683.25 Next Payment Amt:
Last Payment Amt: Next Payment Due Date:

	<u>Assessment Amt</u>	<u>Adjustment Amt</u>	<u>Non-Monetary Payment Amt</u>	<u>Payment Amt</u>	<u>Balance</u>
ATJ	\$6.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6.00
CJES	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.50
Commonwealth Cost - HB627 (Act 167 of 1992)	\$13.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13.65
County Court Cost (Act 204 of 1976)	\$44.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$44.40
Crime Victim Services and Compensation (Act 7 Crimes Code, etc.	\$60.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$60.00
Fingerprint Booking Center Processing Fee (Co	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
Firearm Education and Training Fund	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$150.00
JCPS	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.00
Judicial Computer Project	\$21.25	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21.25
OAG - JCP	\$8.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8.00
State Court Costs (Act 204 of 1976)	\$2.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.50
Variable Amount to be Distributed CVSC (Act 77)	\$15.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15.95
Domestic Violence Compensation (Act 44 of 198	\$30.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$30.00
Postage - Case	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10.00
	\$13.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13.00