Magisterial District Judge 15-1-02

DOCKET

Docket Number: MJ-15102-CR-0000044-2026

Criminal Docket

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
v.
Steve Christian Jahn

CASE INFORMATION

Judge Assigned:	Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Issue Date:	03/09/2026
OTN:	T 1017771-6	File Date:	03/09/2026
Arresting Agency:	Chester County, Detectives	Arrest Date:	03/07/2026
Complaint No.:	P26087635	Incident No.:	P26087635
Disposition:	Held for Court	Disposition Date:	06/22/2026
County:	Chester	Township:	Tredyffrin Township
Case Status:	Closed		

STATUS INFORMATION

Case Status	Status Date	Processing Status
Closed	06/22/2026	Case Transferred to Court of Common Pleas
	06/22/2026	Completed
	03/09/2026	Awaiting Preliminary Hearing
	03/09/2026	Awaiting Preliminary Arraignment

CALENDAR EVENTS

Case Calendar Event Type	Schedule Start Date	Start Time	Room	Judge Name	Schedule Status
Preliminary Arraignment	03/09/2026	10:31 am		Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Scheduled
Preliminary Hearing	03/23/2026	9:00 am		Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Continued
Preliminary Hearing	05/18/2026	9:30 am		Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Continued
Preliminary Hearing	06/22/2026	9:00 am		Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Scheduled
Formal Arraignment	07/02/2026	9:15 am	Arraignment Room 4112 - Chester County Justice Center		Scheduled

CONFINEMENT

Confinement Location	Confinement Type	Confinement Reason	Confinement Date	Confinement End Date
Case Confinement				
Chester County Prison	County Jail	Bail Denied	03/09/2026	

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DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Name:	Jahn, Steve Christian	Sex:	Male
Date of Birth:	07/31/1981	Race:	White

Address(es):

Home
Homeless, PA

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?	No
Has the Defendant Been Fingerprinted?	Yes

CASE PARTICIPANTS

Participant Type	Participant Name
Defendant	Jahn, Steve Christian
Arresting Officer	Shumway, Matthew J.

BAIL

Bail Set: **Nebbia Status: None**

Bail Action Type	Bail Action Date	Bail Type	Originating Court	Percentage	Amount
Denied	03/09/2026		Magisterial District Court		$0.00

Bail Action Reason: Judge Denied Bail

CHARGES

#	Charge	Grade	Description	Offense Dt.	Disposition
1	18 § 2501 §§ A	H1	Criminal Homicide	03/07/2026	Held for Court
2	18 § 2502 §§ A	H1	Murder Of The First Degree	03/07/2026	Held for Court
3	18 § 2502 §§ C	F1	Murder Of The Third Degree	03/07/2026	Held for Court
4	18 § 907 §§ A	M1	Poss Instrument Of Crime W/Int	03/07/2026	Held for Court
5	18 § 2702 §§ A1	F1	Aggravated Assault - Attempts to cause SBI or causes injury with extreme indifference	03/07/2026	Held for Court
6	18 § 2705	M2	Recklessly Endangering Another Person	03/07/2026	Held for Court

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DISPOSITION / SENTENCING DETAILS

Case Disposition	Disposition Date	Was Defendant Present?
Held for Court	06/22/2026	Yes

Offense Seq./Description	Offense Disposition
1 Criminal Homicide	Held for Court
2 Murder Of The First Degree	Held for Court
3 Murder Of The Third Degree	Held for Court
4 Poss Instrument Of Crime W/Int	Held for Court
5 Aggravated Assault - Attempts to cause SBI or causes injury with extreme indifference	Held for Court
6 Recklessly Endangering Another Person	Held for Court

ATTORNEY INFORMATION

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DOCKET ENTRY INFORMATION

Filed Date	Entry	Filer	Applies To
06/22/2026	Held for Court	Magisterial District Judge Patricia A. Zaffarano	Steve Christian Jahn, Defendant
06/22/2026	Docket Transcript Printed	Magisterial District Court 15-1-02	Steve Christian Jahn, Defendant
03/09/2026	Commitment Printed - Bail Denied	Magisterial District Court 15-1-02	Steve Christian Jahn, Defendant
03/09/2026	Criminal Complaint Filed	Magisterial District Court 15-1-02	

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