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PRESS RELEASE

Charged: Marci L. Schawar
724 Spring Garden Street
Easton, PA 18042
DOB: 11/27/1973

On Sunday, May 1st at approximately 2:00 PM, Lopatcong Township Police responded to Rite Aid Pharmacy located at 755 Memorial Parkway for a shoplifting in progress. Upon arrival, a suspect was seen leaving the store walking to her car after concealing \$173 worth of merchandise. During the course of the investigation, she was identified as Marci L. Schawar, 48, of the 700 block of Spring Garden Street in Easton, PA. On two separate occasions, Schawar provided law enforcement with false names and dates of birth to hinder her apprehension. Schawar finally provided her proper name and date of birth, and a warrant check yielded a NCIC Wanted Person from Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

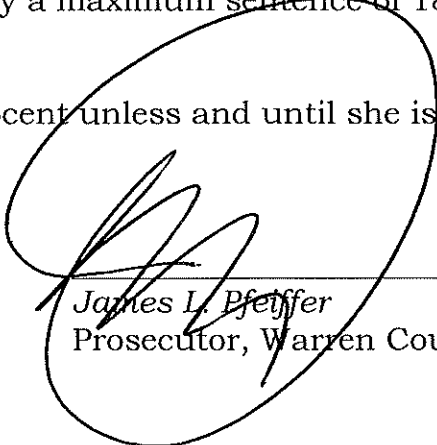
Schawar was charged with one count of Shoplifting, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:20-11, two counts of Hindering Apprehension, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:29-3 and one count of Fugitive from Justice. Schawar was transported to Warren County Correction Facility pending future court appearances and extradition to Pennsylvania.

Disorderly Persons offenses carry a maximum sentence of 180 days in County Jail.

The defendant is presumed innocent unless and until she is proven guilty.

Approved by:

Dated: May 2, 2022



James L. Pfeiffer
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