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Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that a complaint was filed today in U.S. District Court in Madison, charging Marcus Canady, 25, of Madison, with being a felon in possession of a firearm. If convicted, Canady faces a maximum penalty of ten years in prison and a \$250,000 fine.

The details of the allegations against the defendant are contained in the complaint affidavit which is attached to this release.

The charge against Canady is the result of an investigation conducted by the Fitchburg Police Department, the Oregon Police Department, the Town of Madison Police Department, the Dane County Sheriff's Department, and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. The prosecution of this case has been assigned to Assistant U.S. Attorney Elizabeth Altman.

You are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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