

# Sheriff



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May 24, 2011

## OCSO ARRESTS MAN FOR ILLEGAL SALE OF PRESCRIPTION MEDS



An investigation by the OCSO Multi-Agency Drug Task Force into the illegal sale of prescription medications today resulted in the arrest of Terry James Simmons of Lineville Alabama.

The 55-year old Simmons is charged with sale of controlled substances for selling Valium, Methadone and Somas. Investigators say Simmons sold the pills to an Okaloosa County Drug Task Force undercover informant at the "Holiday Suites" 209 #114 SW Miracle Strip Parkway, Fort Walton Beach around ten a.m. Tuesday morning, May 24<sup>th</sup>. Simmons had pre-arranged the deal over the phone for several hundred dollars. Sheriff's Investigators were able to control the purchase of 25 Methadone, 25 Soma and 30 Valium prescription pills with law enforcement controlled funds.

Simmons was arrested shortly afterward and confessed to Sheriff's Investigators to selling prescription pills after being advised of his legal rights. The law enforcement funds were recovered from Simmons.

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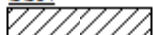
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ARREST REPORT

REPORT NO: OCSO11ARR005078

Jail Booking No	Offense No OCSO11OFF005049	Other No OCSO11CAD069663	OBTS 4601082281
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[ SUSPECT ]

Last                                      First                                      Middle                                      Title Race Sex DOB                      Age Hgt Wgt  
 SIMMONS                                      TERRY                                      JAMES                                                           W    M    12/28/1955    55    5'06"    168  
Eyes Hair MNI Number                      SSN                                      ID.No.                                      St    Type                      OCA/Agency ID  
                     BRO    OCSO10MNI010355                                                            S552810554680                                      FL                                      184036

Birth Location: City: County: State: FLORIDA Nation: UNITED STATES Citizenship: UNITED STATES

Address

100 5TH AVE LINEVILLE AL 36266

Occupations (Current/Last Known is Listed First)

Business: DISABLED, Job Title: , Entered: 6/21/2010

Suite:

Aliases (Last, First Middle Title DOB)

\* none found in MNI \*

Street Names

\* none found in MNI \*

[ INCIDENT INFORMATION ]

Occurred Date Range: 5/24/2011 09:49 to 5/24/2011 09:49 Lat / Long 30.44452 / -86.57825  
 No. Di Street Apt/Lot City ST Zip (GEO)  
 209 SW MIRACLE STRIP PARKWAY 114 FORT WALTON BEAC FL 32549 2 - 12 - -

[ CHARGES ]

893.13.1a1

SYNTH NARCOTIC-SELL

SYNTH NARCOTIC-SELL SCHEDULE I OR II

<u>Counts</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GOC</u>	<u>UCR</u>	<u>NCIC</u>	<u>AON</u>	<u>Bond Amount</u>
1	Felony	Second	Principal	9000		3540	

893.13.1a2

DRUGS - SELL

DRUGS - SELL OTHER SCHEDULE III OR IV

<u>Counts</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GOC</u>	<u>UCR</u>	<u>NCIC</u>	<u>AON</u>	<u>Bond Amount</u>
1	Felony	Third	Principal			3552	

[ STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE / NARRATIVE ]

In the month of May 2011, I along with members of the Multi Agency Drug Task Force initiated an investigation into the unlawful sale of prescription medication specifically but not limited to Valium, Methadone, and Soma. The suspect identified in this case is Terry Simmons.

On May 24, 2011, I along with members of the Multi Agency Drug Task Force conducted a controlled purchase of a predetermined amount of Valium, Methadone, and Soma, from an individual identified as Terry Simmons. To conduct the controlled purchase I utilized a confidential source. Prior to conducting the controlled purchase the confidential source identified Simmons as staying at the Holiday Suites located at 209 SW Miracle Strip Parkway Unit 114 Fort Walton Beach, FL. The confidential source further advised that Simmons vehicle specifically a maroon Dodge Ram bearing Alabama registration number H86L1 was parked in front of Unit 114. This information was corroborated through law enforcement surveillance and investigative techniques.

After arranging the meeting location with Simmons via telephone the confidential source was taken to the meeting location by this officer. This controlled purchase was conducted using a set of established procedures. After arriving at the

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meeting location the confidential source made contact with Simmons and purchased approximately twenty five Methadone (Schedule II) and Soma tablets and thirty (30) Valium (Schedule IV) tablets in exchange for police recorded drug buy monies.

After the controlled purchase the confidential source then made contact with me and was taken away from the location. A short time, later Simmons was observed leaving the location in the vehicle listed above, but was quickly detained by law enforcement.

During a post Miranda interview Simmons acknowledged that he had sold only forty (40) Valium's and Soma's prior to being arrested, but would not name the buyer. The police recorded drug buy monies were located in Simmon's wallet which was located in his back right pocket. I later positively identified the suspected Valium, Methadone, and Soma purchased from Simmons via Drug Bible.

Based on the information, evidence, and Miranda interview I have reason to believe and do believe the defendant Terry Simmons, did in fact violate F.S.S. 893.13 1a1 Sale of a controlled substance Schedule II (Methadone) and F.S.S. 893.13 (1a2) Sale of a controlled substance Schedule IV (Valium). This offense occurred in Okaloosa County, Florida.

I hereby swear (or affirm) that the facts established on this affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature (Arresting Officer) ALLEN, DAVID R Name 085 ID/SSN

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this 24 day of May A.D., 2011 by who is personally known to me or has produced as identification.

Signature Notary Public LEO CO

Commission No: My Commission Expires

[ PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ] [NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE LISTED]

[ ARREST INFORMATION ]

Arrested 5/24/2011 09:49 Residency Within country Injured None Extent of Injury N/A Resist No
Arrested Prior No Arrest Jurisdiction Unknown Alcohol No Drugs Unknown
No. 209 Di SW Street MIRACLE STRIP PARKWA A/L 114 City FORT WALTON BEACH ST FL Zip 32579 Lat / Long 30.44452 / -86.57825
Arresting Officer 085 ALLEN, DAVID R Unit OCSO/FSV/INV/SID/DTF (GEO) 2 - 12 - - Officer Type
Reporting Officer 085 ALLEN, DAVID R Unit OCSO/FSV/INV/SID/DTF Original Offense Jurisdiction OCSO
Forward to for approval OCSO/FSV/INV/SID/DTF

Bond Set by LEO at Time of Arrest & Booking: \$0.00 ( ) None

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- ROR
- Cash
- Pro

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| Bond Set by Judge              | <input type="checkbox"/> None | <input type="checkbox"/> ROR/Sign |
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|                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Any  |                                   |
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Return Court: CIRCUIT COURT: FELONY Date: 7/5/2011 Time: 15:30  
 Instructions: \_\_\_\_\_

[ DISPOSITION ]

<u>Disposition Type</u>	<u>Release Type</u>	<u>Other Desc</u>
<u>Release Date</u>	<u>Release Time</u>	<u>Release Officer</u>
		<u>Printed</u> <u>Printed By</u>
		No

Released To

<u>Court DispositionType</u>	<u>Court Disposition Description</u>
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[ ADDITIONAL PERSONS ]

COURT DISPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_  
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- No Bill / Petition     Issue Warrant     Prosecution Approved

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Assistant State Attorney                      Date