IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, MERCER COUNTY, OHIO CRIMINAL DIVISION

STATE OF OHIO,

CASE NO.25-CRM-111

Plaintiff

VS.

TASHA N. CORNWELL

9982 Bay Road

New Knoxville, OH 45871

DOB: 7/29/1983

SSN: XXX-XX-6831

COMPLAINT

Defendant.

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Count One

Receiving Stolen Property - F4

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Date of Offense

On or about August 16, 2025

§2913.51(A), 2913.51(C)

Complainant being duly sworn states that Tasha N. Cornwell, in Mercer County, Ohio, on or about August 16, 2025, unlawfully

did receive, retain, or dispose of 2001 Ford Explorer Trac Vin number 1fMZU77E91UC04596, the property of Victim # 1, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the property had been obtained through commission of a theft offense and the property involved was a motor vehicle.

The offense is contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio.

MERCER COUNTY
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

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AFFIDAVIT ON COMPLAINT (O.R.C. 2935.09)

STATE OF OHIO, MERCER COUNTY, SS:

I, Connor J. Burr, do hereby state that I am employed at the Celina Police Department. The following did occur:

On August 16, 2025, at approximately 11:42 A.M, I Celina Police Department Officers were dispatched to a business parking lot, located at 1950 Havemann Road, in the city of Celina, Ohio. Someone called to report seeing a female trying to unlock a vehicle with a knife. Dispatch ran the license plate through LEADS/NCIC and it came back as being entered as a stolen vehicle from the city of Saint Mary's, Ohio. Dispatch also gave responding officers a description of the vehicle and the female standing beside it.

When I arrived at the parking lot, I located the female standing by the described vehicle, with the door standing open. I ordered the female to the front of my car, where she was detained. I identified the female as being Tasha N. Cornwell and her date of birth is July 29, 1983.

I read Cornwell her Miranda rights. Cornwell said that she knew the owner and mentioned him by name. She denied it being stolen and said that she had permission. Ptl. Poppe had arrived on scene. He contacted the Saint Mary's Police Department and confirmed that this vehicle, a 2001 Ford Explorer Trac, with license plate number NAM and vehicle identification number 1FMZU77E91UC04596 was a stolen vehicle.

The vehicle was towed, photographed and inventoried and placed into the Celina Police Department impound. Cornwell was incarcerated into the Mercer County Detention Facility.

Connor J. Burr

Celina Police Department

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Sworn to before me by Connor J. Burr, Celina Police Department on August 18, 2025.

JUDGE/Clerk/Notary Public-

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