

COUNT 4: POSSESSION OR USE OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE, a Class A Misdemeanor, in violation of Utah Code Ann. § 58-37-8(2), in that on or about 2/9/2025, in Utah County, the defendant, SETH LESLIE GORDON, did knowingly and intentionally possess or use a controlled substance analog or a controlled substance classified in Schedule I or II, to wit: methamphetamine.

COUNT 5: POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA, a Class B Misdemeanor, in violation of Utah Code Ann. § 58-37a, in that on or about 2/9/2025, in Utah County, the defendant, SETH LESLIE GORDON, did use, or possess with intent to use, drug paraphernalia to plant, propagate, cultivate, grow, harvest, manufacture, compound, convert, produce, process, prepare, test, analyze, pack, repack, store, contain, conceal, inject, ingest, inhale or otherwise introduce a controlled substance into the human body in violation of Utah Code Title 58, Chapter 7a.

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT: Chandler Cattelain of the Utah County Sheriff's Office, having probable cause to believe that the defendant committed the above-listed offense(s), submitted the following evidence in support of the filing of this Information:

On February 9, 2025, UCSO deputies were on patrol in Orem and observed a vehicle fail to signal for 2 seconds before a lane change. Deputies stopped the vehicle and contacted the occupants. The deputy observed a backseat passenger sitting directly behind the driver's seat who was identified as Seth Gordon. The deputy observed the compartment behind the driver was bulging with a bag containing a white crystal-like substance. The substance later field test positive for methamphetamine, weighting approximately 1 ounce. Seth exited the vehicle and was given his Miranda rights. Seth was searched and officers found several used syringes in his pocket and a bag with green residue in his wallet. Seth stated the residue was marijuana. Seth was asked about the methamphetamine.

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Seth stated the methamphetamine belonged to the front seat passenger, Ashley Berriel and her boyfriend, Mason. Seth stated that someone in Provo asked him for drugs, so he contacted Ashley and Mason, and was told they had some. Seth admitted he was selling the drug for Ashley and Mason and would receive money for facilitating the sale. Seth showed the deputy text messages providing an address where Ashley would pick him up. Ashley allowed the deputy look at her text messages which showed Ashley agreeing and arranging to provide the methamphetamine and would pick up Seth and take him to Provo to deliver the methamphetamine. Both Seth and Ashley were arrested and transported the Utah County Jail. Ashley consented to give blood and urine. A urine test for Ashley showed positive for amphetamine, fentanyl, methamphetamine, ecstasy and opiates. Ashley admitted to smoking meth and using heroin and fentanyl. Seth consented to give blood and urine. Seth's urine tested positive for amphetamine, ecstasy, methamphetamine and THC.

Based upon evidence received from Chandler Cattelain of the Utah County Sheriff's Office, I have probable cause to believe the defendant committed the offense(s) as charged herein.

Authorized for presentment and filing this February 12, 2025.