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On May 27, 2021, the Miller County Missouri Prosecuting Attorney charged Charles E. Yelm, Jr., with one count of the Class C felony of Second-Degree Trafficking of Drugs. Specifically, Yelm is charged with possessing more than sixty-three grams of methamphetamine. The State also charged Yelm as a prior and persistent felony offender which increases the range of punishment from a class C felony to a class B felony which is punishable by five to fifteen years in prison. Defendant is being held in the Miller County jail on an arrest warrant and \$25,000.00 bond cash/surety.

Miller County Prosecuting Attorney Benjamin Winfrey is grateful for the hard work of the deputies of the Miller County Sherriff's Department.

Charges of a crime are not evidence of guilt and defendants are presumed innocent until found guilty beyond a reasonable doubt by a jury.

For further information or questions please call the prosecuting Attorney's Office at (573) 369-1940.