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IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA  
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

STATE OF ALASKA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MARCUS EDWARD OLSEN

DOB: [REDACTED]

APSIN ID: 07611619

DMV NO.: 7387273 AK

ATN: 114677658

Defendant.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ CR (Marcus Edward Olsen)  
3AN-26-03749CR

INFORMATION

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The following counts charge a crime involving DOMESTIC VIOLENCE as defined in AS 18.66.990: NONE

Count I - AS 47.05.210(a)(1) Fel C  
Medical Assistance Fraud  
Marcus Edward Olsen - 001

Count II - AS 11.46.130(a)(1)  
Theft In The Second Degree  
Marcus Edward Olsen - 002

Count III - AS 11.46.630(a)(1)  
Falsifying Business Records  
Marcus Edward Olsen - 003

THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL PROSECUTIONS CHARGES:

COUNT I

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, between February 10, 2025 and March 8, 2025, at or near Nikiski, MARCUS EDWARD OLSEN knowingly submitted or authorized the submission of a claim to a medical assistance agency for property, services, or a benefit with reckless disregard that the claimant is not entitled to the property, services, or benefit; to wit: \$4,418.84 from the Alaska Medicaid Program.

All of which is a class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 47.05.210(a)(1) Fel C and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT II

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, between February 10, 2025 and March 8, 2025 at or near Nikiski, MARCUS EDWARD OLSEN committed the crime of theft and the value of the property or services was \$750 or more; to wit: \$4,418.84 from the Alaska Medicaid Program.

All of which is a class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 11.46.130(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT III

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, between February 10, 2025 and March 8, 2025 at or near Nikiski, MARCUS EDWARD OLSEN with intent to defraud, made or caused a false entry in the business records of an enterprise; to wit: time sheets and case notes.

All of which is a class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 11.46.630(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

1 The undersigned swears under oath this Information is based upon a review of  
2 Medicaid Fraud Control Unit (MFCU) Report #1317629 submitted to date, as well as from  
3 direct discussions with MFCU Investigator Randy Mayer and reports compiled by MFCU  
4 Forensic Accountant Margaret Summers.

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6 **Background and Investigative Summary**

7 On March 13, 2025, Adult Protective Services (APS), a division of the Alaska  
8 Department of Health, filed a report with the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit (MFCU)  
9 regarding possible fraudulent activity by MARCUS EDWARD OLSEN for conduct that  
10 occurred while he was working as a Personal Care Assistant for his mother, K.O.

11 Based on this report, MFCU investigator Randy Mayer began an investigation into  
12 OLSEN's conduct. After some initial investigation, Inv. Mayer learned that a personal  
13 service care agency, Hearts and Hands of Care, hired OLSEN as K.O.'s PCA on November  
14 10, 2021 to provide PCA services to K.O. K.O. was morbidly obese, a right leg amputee,  
15 and had chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. K.O. was OLSEN's mother, and OLSEN  
16 provided personal care services to K.O. at the home in which they both lived. Inv. Mayer  
17 reviewed OLSEN's employment records, claims data, and time sheets.

18 OLSEN was assigned to provide 21.75 hours of PCA care to K.O. weekly, 10  
19 hours of respite care monthly, and 14 days of respite care yearly. As K.O.'s PCA,  
20 OLSEN's duties entailed assisting K.O. with completing activities of daily living,  
21 including bed mobility, dressing, eating and drinking, toileting, and personal hygiene.  
22 OLSEN was required to monitor K.O.'s health, safety, and welfare and document daily,  
23 accurately, and contemporaneously the PCA tasks he performed.

24 Two days prior to the APS referral, on March 11, 2025, K.O. complained to her  
25 daughter she had left leg and ankle pain and had not left her bed in 6 months. K.O. asked  
26 to be taken to the hospital. K.O.'s daughter called 911, and the Nikiski Fire Department  
27 transported K.O. to Central Peninsula Hospital (CPH).

After K.O. was admitted to and treated at CPH, two caregivers who treated K.O.

1 filed Critical Incident Reports (CIRs) with APS. The first CIR stated K.O. arrived at CPH  
2 on March 11, 2025 in a state of severe neglect. K.O. presented to the emergency room with  
3 skin breakdown and abrasions in the folds of her skin. The extent of damage to K.O.'s skin  
4 and her poor hygiene showed K.O. had not received basic necessary care for a prolonged  
5 period. Inv. Mayer found that CPH records supported this report. CPH records  
6 documented that K.O. was soiled with urine and feces. Her hair was matted and "looked  
7 like a rat's nest". The elastic band of a sleep mask had grown into her hair and had to be  
8 cut out of it. Her clothes were dirty. She possessed a foul odor suggestive of necrotic tissue.  
9 K.O. also exhibited stage IV wounds to her buttocks, abdomen, flank, back, and thighs.  
10 The second CIR stated K.O. lived with OLSEN, who was her son and PCA, and that K.O.  
11 informed emergency room staff she could not recall when she last showered. K.O. died at  
12 CPH, 6 days later, on March 17, 2025, due to blood clots in her left leg and aorta and kidney  
13 failure.

14 F.A. Summers pulled OLSEN's Medicaid claims data from January 1, 2024 to  
15 March 8, 2025. The claims show that between February 10, 2025 and OLSEN's last entry  
16 on March 8, 2025, OLSEN reported a total of 24-time entries. Olsen claimed he provided  
17 87 hours of PCA care and 40 hours of respite care.

18 Inv. Mayer reviewed OLSEN's time sheets and found a common pattern. All  
19 OLSEN's entries for this period followed one of two common formats. When using the  
20 first format, OLSEN documented that he and K.O. would watch a movie or television for  
21 one hour, play a board game for one hour, read books for an hour, continue watching a  
22 movie or television for an hour, and then play video games for an hour. The amount of time  
23 spent doing each of these activities was always exactly one hour; OLSEN changed only  
24 the names of movies, television shows, and board games.

25 When using the second format, OLSEN documented that K.O. requested a specific  
26 meal for breakfast, she told OLSEN where to put her things, she requested help getting  
27 dressed, OLSEN washed and folded her laundry, and she requested help brushing her hair.  
Lastly, OLSEN described K.O.'s mood. In these entries, OLSEN changed only what she  
ate for breakfast and her mood. At the end of each entry, OLSEN wrote in bold letters

1 "There was no change in [K.O.'s] health, safety, or welfare." Between February 10, 2025  
2 and March 8, 2025, OLSEN documented that he completed "dressing, hygiene, bath,  
3 laundry" tasks for K.O. in eight separate entries, the final entry being on March 5, 2025,  
4 six days before K.O.'s hospitalization.

5 On August 11, 2025, Inv. Mayer interviewed Cassandra Boze, a nurse who treated  
6 K.O. shortly after she was admitted to CPH. Boze stated it was clear to her when K.O.  
7 arrived at CPH that "there was obvious neglect." She stated K.O.'s condition was "horrific",  
8 and "it was clear no one was taking care of her." Inv. Mayer asked, "If I told you [OLSEN's]  
9 notes state he brushed her hair, you'd obviously disagree with that?" Boze replied, OLSEN  
10 was "absolutely not" combing K.O.'s hair. Boze stated K.O.'s condition was among the  
11 worst she had seen in twelve years of nursing, "was not something that happened  
overnight", and she felt obligated to report her condition to APS.

12 On April 24, 2026, Inv. Mayer interviewed OLSEN. In response to Inv. Mayer's  
13 questions regarding OLSEN's time entries regarding hygiene and why the amount of time  
14 spent on certain activities always totaled exactly one hour, OLSEN stated, "[T]here were  
15 times [K.O.] didn't want to brush her hair. I don't know why I put that down." OLSEN  
16 further stated, "I was just putting stuff [on timesheets] . . . I shouldn't have put it down and  
17 I regret that[.]" Inv. Mayer asked, [H]ow many times did you put a washcloth to [K.O.'s]  
18 body?" OLSEN responded, "I couldn't give you an exact number . . . It was a stupid, idiotic  
19 move. And that's on me. I hold that 100% against myself. It was never, it should never  
20 have been put down."

### 21 **Medicaid Requirements and Regulations**

22 Olsen provided two services to K.O.: respite care and personal care services.

23 The procedure code used to bill Medicaid for OLSEN's respite services is code  
24 S5150. S5150 is a 15-minute code, which requires the provider to be present and actively  
25 providing respite services to the recipient for each 15-minute period in which it is billed to  
26 Medicaid.

The procedure code billed to Medicaid for OLSEN's personal care services is S5125. This is a 15-minute code, which requires the provider to be present and actively providing personal care services to the recipient for each 15-minute period in which it is billed to Medicaid.

### Conclusion

The investigation conducted by the MFCU revealed the following: between February 10, 2025 and March 8, 2025, Olsen billed the Alaska Medicaid Program \$4,418.84, for personal care services he claimed to have provided to K.O. OLSEN admitted did not provide these services as claimed. The Alaska Medicaid Program therefore paid \$4,418.84 for services OLSEN fraudulently claimed he provided.

### BAIL INFORMATION

Per the Alaska Public Safety Information Network, the defendant has the following convictions in Alaska:

| CONV<br>COURT | CONV<br>DATE | CONVICTING<br>CHARGE | COURT<br>DOCKET | POS<br>ID | FEL | ATN       |
|---------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----|-----------|
| DKN           | 08/20/10     | THEFT 2              | 3KN-10-1149     | Y         | N   | 112203558 |

Dated at Anchorage, Alaska, this 8th day of June, 2026.

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