

CLINTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

Memorandum

MEDIA RELEASE

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RE: Capture of convicted murderer escapee in a stolen vehicle

On November 17th at approximately 11:45pm Clinton Police Officer Randall Chisum arrested Norman Barclay following a routine traffic stop. Barclay was driving a vehicle that matched the description of one that earlier had been suspected of being driven by an intoxicated driver.

Chisum stopped Barclay's vehicle at the Rocky Top on N. Charles Seivers Blvd. Barclay initially was uncooperative in providing identification, however after positively confirming Barclay's identity, it was learned that he had escaped from the Michigan Department of Corrections. Barclay had been serving time for murder. Also, the vehicle Barclay was driving was confirmed to be stolen from Michigan.

Barclay faces charges of Driving Under the Influence, Driving on revoked license, theft over \$10,000, Violation of implied consent, Fugitive from Justice, Violation of open container, and Financial responsibility. Michigan will extradite once local charges are satisfied. He remains in custody at the Anderson County Detention Facility.

"This was a great example of everyone involved working together. Officer Randall Chisum, E911 Dispatcher Amanda Carter, and Anderson County Corrections Officer Dustin Collins all gave extra effort to get all available information on the suspect. If not for their attention to detail the suspect could have possibly escaped the Michigan charges." Said Clinton Police Chief Rick Scarbrough