

# GRAND JURY RETURNS

Room 3014 1.23.24

Upon entry into the Grand Jury room, retrieve the Reports of Proceedings AND the ORDER from the Foreperson, who will be sitting in the center of the bench.

Sitting to the side of the Foreperson is the Clerk of the Grand Jury. Retrieve the Indictments from the Grand Jury Clerk.

**ANNOUNCE:** “On the record. This is the return of the Grand Jury. Present are the Foreperson, the Clerk of the Grand Jury and the Assistant State's Attorney - please state your name for the record. Also present is the Clerk of Court.”

**ANNOUNCE:** “I have been tendered the report of proceedings which reads as follows:”(Read the Report of the Grand Jury that was signed by the Grand Jury Foreperson. It will begin with "To the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of DuPage County..."”

**ANNOUNCE:** “The Court will review each indictment and will transfer any Pre-Trial Release or Detention Order previously set in the case to the indictment, unless I hear an objection from the State.”

Read the name and case number for each Defendant. State that the conditions of Pre-Trial Release or Detention will transfer.

Then, place your initials on the back page of the Indictment.

If the Indictment is accompanied by a warrant, ask the State if they are seeking detention, and then check the appropriate box.

After all Indictments have been signed, check with the Circuit Clerk to ensure that the number of Indictments is the same as written in the Order and Report of Proceedings

**ANNOUNCE:** The Court will enter the following Order:  
(Now read the second report that was retrieved from the Foreperson. This will be entitled ORDER and have a signature line for the Judge's signature. )

**ANNOUNCE:** That concludes the return of the Grand Jury.

No. 23 CF 2052

# SAMPLE

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

v.

**TERRY N. JOHNSON**

INDICTMENT

**FOR: BURGLARY AND ARMED VIOLENCE**

A TRUE BILL

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Foreman, Grand Jury

WITNESSES

OFFICER A. GALLIK #206  
HINSDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
121 SYMONDS DR.  
HINSDALE, IL 60521-3744

Originating Dept. Number: HIPC2300250  
Document Control Number:  
Enhancement of Case Number: N/A  
Driver's License #: IL JXXX-XXXX-3081  
Date of Birth: 3/19/1993

Clerk

PRETRIAL RELEASE

*[Handwritten Signature]*



**Initial Here**

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Clerk

**This means that a warrant  
is outstanding.**

PRETRIAL: DETAINED/RELEASED



*[Handwritten Signature]*

Not all Indictments will be accompanied by a warrant. Usually, the Defendant has already been arrested. However, there may be a few Indictments for which the Judge must issue the accompanying warrant.

Below is an electronic warrant example. The “hard copy” paper warrant should be similar.

Before signing the warrant, ask the State which **Mileage Limitation** they are seeking, and fill in the appropriate circle.

Then ask the State if they are seeking **Release or Detention** and fill in the appropriate circle.

The image shows a screenshot of an electronic warrant form. The form is divided into several sections. The first section is titled "Offenses" and contains a table with two columns: "Violation" and "Statute". The table has one row with the following content:

Violation	Statute
▶ FLEEING OR ATTEMPTING TO ELUDE POLICE OFFICER IN MOTOR VEHICLE	625 ILCS 5/11-204(a)

The second section is titled "Mileage Limitations" and contains several radio button options:

- DUPAGE
- Illinois
- No Limitaion
- DeKalb, DuPage, Lake, McHenry, Kane, Kendall, Will and Cook Counties
- Midwestern States - IL, IN, WI, IA, MO, KY, MI and MN
- Other

The third section is titled "Release/ Detention" and contains two radio button options, which are circled in red in the image:

- Release on personal recognizance authorized
- Defendant to be held without release to be brought before this Court

Below the "Release/ Detention" section is an "Other" label followed by a text input field.