



Town of Wallkill Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

For Immediate Release
June 14, 2017

Incident: Arrest – Robbery
Location: JCPenney, 1 Galleria Drive, Town of Wallkill, N.Y.
Date/Time: June 13, 2017 / 7:00 pm

On Tuesday, June 13, 2017 at 7:00 pm, Town of Wallkill Detectives arrested Kenneth Niebuhr, a 28 year old, male, Beacon, NY resident. Niebuhr was arrested after an investigation disclosed that at 3:42 pm on June 8, 2017, the defendant threatened an employee at JCPenney with a screwdriver prior to removing money from a cash register. Niebuhr was charged with Robbery in the First Degree and Petit Larceny.

The defendant was arraigned before Judge Peter Green, Town of Wallkill Court, where he was remanded to Orange County Jail on \$50,000 cash/\$100,000 bond. Niebuhr's next scheduled court appearance is on June 19, 2017 at 2:30 pm in the Town of Wallkill Court.

A criminal charge is merely an allegation by the police that a defendant has committed a violation of the criminal law, and it is not evidence of guilt. All defendants are presumed innocent and entitled to a fair trial, during which it will be the State of New York's burden to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

Robert C. Hertman
Chief of Police

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