

State of Minnesota
v.
PHENG YANG

Case #: 27-CR-24-11069

Charge: Criminal Vehicular Homicide - Operate
Motor Vehicle in Grossly Negligent Manner
Type: FEL

PROBATION REFERRAL FORM
Investigation Division of Adult Field Services

Referral Date: 2/4/2026	Due Date:	Next hearing: 4/10 at 11 AM
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Referring Judge: Hoyos Return report to (location or Judge): Hoyos

Custody Status: Out In Pending release (bail or conditions)
 Release upon interview completion (bail or conditions)
 Interim commitment at: _____

- Assessment Requested:** Pretrial Bail Evaluation
 Financial Assessment/Ability-to-Pay Study (3 weeks)
- Felony PSI:** Tier 4 – full PSI (IC = 3 weeks; OC = 6 weeks + 3 days)
 Tier 3 – short-form PSI (IC = 2 weeks; OC = 6 weeks + 3 days)
 Tier 2 – jail credit/criminal history/conditional release compliance (1 week)
 Tier 1 – jail credit/Guideline Worksheet (1 week)
- GMD/MISD PSI:** Domestic-Violence PSI (IC = 1 week; OC = 2 weeks)
 Targeted-Offense PSI (IC = 1 week; OC = 2 weeks)

If PSI ordered, is there a plea negotiation? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes		
Proposed negotiation: Stay of adj, 5 years probation, restitution if requested. Range of workhouse time between 60 – 180 days. PSI and follow all terms and conditions, return for sentencing and remain law abiding. If fails to remain law abiding, violates CR or does not appear for sentencing, will be converted to straight plea.		
Felony Only	Possible reduction to GMD? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Considering departure? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Durational <input type="checkbox"/> Dispositional <input type="checkbox"/> Downward <input type="checkbox"/> Upward
	Possible sentence as GMD? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	

- Other:** Post-Sentence Guideline Worksheet Criminal Record Summary
 DNA Sample

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For reference: [Tiered PSI Definitions](#) **Court Staff:** This form must be emailed to probation according to the [Probation Referral Scenarios](#) instructions, and imaged into MNCIS. A [Probation Referral Handout Form](#) must also be given to the defendant if the defendant is to report to probation in person.