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Preston A. Barham
Arrest

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On July 6, 2007 Preston A. Barham, 03-20-51, was arrested at his residence, 3630 Pine Ridge Court #109, Moline Illinois, on a McLean County arrest warrant charging him with:

FINANCIAL INSTITUTION ROBBERY - 720 ILCS 5/16H-40 Count:1
AGGRAVATED ROBBERY - 720 ILCS 5/18-5(a) Count:2

Case: 2007CF000715
EJS # 200708549



On 06-12-07 a report was filed with the Normal Police Department of an armed robbery that took place at the US Bank, 1401 S. Main Street, Normal Illinois. The warrant was issued based on the evidence obtained and the investigation conducted by the Normal Police Department Investigation Unit, with the assistance of the Moline Illinois Police Department and the Davenport Iowa Police Department.

Anyone with additional information regarding this case should contact Detective Beth Acuncius at 454-9702.

All suspects are presumed innocent unless proven guilty.