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Charges:

Sex offender/failure to provide photo	1 Count	Class E Felony
Sex offender/failure to report address change	1 Count	Class E Felony
Sex offender/failure to verify address every 90 days	1 Count	Class E Felony
Sex offender/failure to verify address	1 Count	Class E Felony

Arrested:

Bryan, Messiah M., (Age 27)
Gloversville

On Thursday, May 25, 2023, Mechanicville police arrested Messiah M. Bryan on the above-listed charges after a lengthy investigation. Police initiated an investigation in January after receiving a report that Bryan had changed addresses without notifying authorities as required by law due to his designation as a level III high-risk sex offender. Besides failing to register a new address, police charged Bryan with failing to provide a photograph of himself and verify his address every 90 days with law enforcement as required. Bryan was arraigned in Mechanicville City Court and remanded to the Saratoga County Jail pending further action.

The Mechanicville Police Department recognizes that persons arrested for crimes are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. People reviewing these arrests should understand that an arrest is often the first step of many in the criminal justice process.