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Defendant's Name: Nadia Cutsinger
Age: 18
City & State of residence: North Sioux City, SD
Criminal File Number: 15-172
Convicted of: Ct. 1C: Simple Assault, SDCL § 22-18-1(4) (M1)
Arrest Date: March 15, 2015
Indictment Date: June 10, 2015
Arraignment Date: July 20, 2015
Change of Plea Date: July 20, 2015
Sentence Date: August 3, 2015
Arresting Officer: Officers Dustin Sharkey, Aaron Tyler and Richard Headid
– North Sioux City Police Department

Case Synopsis:

On March 15, 2015, the North Sioux City Police Department was called to respond to a residence for a disturbance involving a stabbing. Officers discovered that Nathaniel Cutsinger laying in the front yard bleeding from his left thigh. Law Enforcement interviewed Nathaniel and Nadia about the incident and discovered, that Nathaniel had locked Nadia out of the residence. Because Nathaniel had locked Nadia out of the house, Nadia took a knife and slashed a tire on Nathaniel's vehicle. Nathaniel came out of the residence to confront Nadia. As a part of the confrontation, Nathaniel raised his leg to kick Nadia, who still had the knife in her hand which resulted in the knife puncturing Nathaniel's thigh. Nathaniel, who is 17 years old is the uncle to Nadia, who is 18 years old.

Original Sentencing Synopsis:

Nadia Cutsinger was sentenced to a suspended Ninety (90) day sentence to the Union County Jail on the terms and conditions that Cutsinger successfully complete supervised probation, and pay all financial obligations for the next six (6) months.

Criminal History Synopsis:

This is Nadia Cutsinger's first simple assault violation on her criminal history.