



# Press Release



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**~Suspect Arrested after Multiple Thefts at Local Wallingford Business~**

On July 29, 2021 members of the Wallingford Police Department arrested Daniel Meyer after an arrest warrant was obtained in regards to his involvement in several thefts at E&J Electric (53 North Plains Industrial Road) which occurred between February and May of 2021.

It was determined that E&J Electric sustained five separate thefts of their equipment on February 15<sup>th</sup>, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, April 12<sup>th</sup>, April 24<sup>th</sup>, and May 5<sup>th</sup> which incurred a total loss of \$96,954.75. The typical items stolen in each incident were copper wire coils and chainsaws which were located in locked storage compartments on each vehicle in the company's fleet. At the time of each theft, the vehicles were parked in the company parking lot which was fenced in.

After a lengthy investigation by Wallingford Police Detectives, Daniel Meyer was developed as the suspect in all five of the thefts and a warrant was ultimately obtained for his arrest. Meyer was also arrested by several other police agencies in the State of Connecticut for similar thefts in other jurisdictions.

*See the next page for Meyer's booking photo and case details.*



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**Daniel Meyer**

**Age:** 32 years

**Address:** 340 High Street, New Britain, Connecticut 06502

**Charges:** 53a-103- Burglary 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, 53a-122- Larceny 1<sup>st</sup> Degree by Ongoing Scheme

**Bond:** \$30,000.00 Surety

**Court Date:** September 16, 2021 at Meriden Superior Court

**WPD Case number:** 21-5678