



# Big Lake Police Department

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## Press Release

Incident Number: 19002685

Date/Time: 03/06/2019 1:20am

### **Suspect Charged with Controlled Substance Crime**

On March 6, 2019 at approximately 1:20am Officer Nic Prigge was dispatched to Holiday gas station for a theft complaint. Store employees reported a female was in the bathroom for a long period of time and had been putting store items in her purse.

Officer Prigge made contact with the female, Jolene Schlichting (Age 40 – Brooklyn Center, MN), who had an active Hennepin County warrant for her arrest. Officer Prigge placed Schlichting under arrest for the warrant.

A search of Schlichting's purse lead to the discovery of a pill bottle with Schlichting's name, containing two kinds of pills. There were approximately 30 oval yellow tablets that matched the bottle. Two other pills that were blue and white capsules were also located in the bottle and did not match the prescription.

The pills were sent to the Midwest Regional Forensic Laboratory for analysis. The two blue pills were identified as methylphenidate, a Schedule II controlled substance. Schlichting claimed to have a prescription for them but was unable to provide it to the officer at the Holiday store. Officer Prigge told Schlichting to provide the prescription within 30 days. Schlichting has not provided Officer Prigge a valid prescription.

Schlichting was charged by criminal complaint with; Felony 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Controlled Substance (schedule II controlled substance)

