

Hiawatha man arrested on drug, weapon charges

**(KNZA)--A Brown County traffic stop leads to the arrest of a Hiawatha man on drug and weapon charges.**

**Brown County Sheriff John Merchant says 45-year-old David Seamster was arrested Tuesday.**

**Seamster has been formally charged in Brown County District Court with felony counts of possession of methamphetamine with intent to distribute and possession of methamphetamine.**

**In addition, he has been charged with misdemeanor counts of criminal use of a weapon and transporting an open container.**

**According to the criminal complaint, Seamster was allegedly in possession of metal knuckles and at least 3.5 grams but less than 100 grams of methamphetamine.**

**A preliminary hearing in the case has been set for October 17.**

**Seamster is currently free on bond after it was modified from \$7,500 to \$2,500.**

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