STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY

STATE OF WISCONSIN DA Case No.: 2025ML017761
Plaintiff, Court Case No.:

VS.

WILLIAMS, COREY GABRIEL

2028 NORTH 39TH STREET MILWAUKEE, WI 53208

DOB: 02/20/2000

Defendant(s). For Official Use

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

THE BELOW NAMED COMPLAINANT BEING DULY SWORN, ON INFORMATION AND BELIEF STATES THAT:

Count 1: KIDNAPPING - PTAC, AS A PARTY TO A CRIME

The above-named defendant on or about Friday, July 11, 2025, at 6230 West Hustis Street, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, as a party to a crime, by force or threat of imminent force, did carry JDW, from one place to another without that person's consent, with intent to cause the victim to be secretly confined, and with intent to cause another to transfer property to obtain the release of the victim, contrary to sec. 940.31(1)(a) and (2)(a), 939.50(3)(b), 939.05 Wis. Stats.

Upon conviction for this offense, a Class B Felony, the defendant may be sentenced to a term of imprisonment not to exceed sixty (60) years.

Count 2: TAKING HOSTAGES - PTAC, AS A PARTY TO A CRIME

The above-named defendant on or about Friday, July 11, 2025, at 2028 N 39th St, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, as a party to a crime, by force, did confine JDW, without consent and with intent to use that person as a hostage in order to influence a person to perform some action demanded by the defendant, contrary to sec. 940.305(1), 939.50(3)(b), 939.05 Wis. Stats.

Upon conviction for this offense, a Class B Felony, the defendant may be sentenced to a term of imprisonment not to exceed sixty (60) years.

Count 3: INTENT. CONTRIBUTE TO THE DELINQUENCY OF A CHILD - FELONY - PTAC, AS A PARTY TO A CRIME

The above-named defendant on or about Friday, July 11, 2025, at 6230 West Hustis Street, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, as a party to a crime, did intentionally encourage or contribute to the delinquency of a child such that the child's act that was contributed to is punishable as a felony, contrary to sec. 948.40(1) and (4)(b), 939.50(3)(h), 939.05 Wis. Stats.

Upon conviction for this offense, a Class H Felony, the defendant may be fined not more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), or imprisoned not more than six (6) years, or both.

Probable Cause:

FILED 07-17-2025 Anna Maria Hodges Clerk of Circuit Court 2025CF003277 Honorable Jeffrey A. Wagner-38 Branch 38 Complainant is a Police Officer with the City of Milwaukee and bases the following complaint upon the reports of Milwaukee Police Department Officers.

PO Xavier Rodriguez reports that he spoke to JWSR. JWSR stated that on Friday, July 11, 2025, at 6230 West Hustis Street, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, a white Jeep drove up to the front of his residence while his son JDW (DOB: 6/17/2018) rode his bike out front. JWSR stated that he saw black males jump out of the Jeep with guns in their hands and then he ran inside the residence. JWSR stated that the black males grabbed JDW without consent and put him in the white Jeep and fled eastbound.

Det Nicholas Waszak reports that he spoke to DRD who stated that his surveillance video may have recorded the incident. The recording shows that at 7:12PM JDW is riding his bike while the white Jeep turns and blocks the driveway of the residence at 6230 West Hustis Street, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin. Two individuals get out of the Jeep, one of the individuals chases JWSR and he runs into his home and then the other individual chases JDW and carries him back to the Jeep. The Jeep then flees after both suspects get back into the Jeep.

PO Matthew Link reports that he went to the address of 2028 N 39th St. in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin on July 12, 2025. Officers located JDW within the upper unit. The above-named defendant was located hiding in the attic of the duplex. Officers observed a pill which tested positive for methamphetamine in the defendant's pocket.

Det. Elizabeth Rubio reports that she conducted a Forensic interview of JDW (DOB 6/17/2018) on July 13, 2025. JDW stated that when he was at his dad's house, a man chased him and grabbed him by the back of the shirt and took him. JDW stated that he was in a car with three unknown men and they drove to the house where police found him. When they got to the house, he went inside with the man who drove the car. JDW stated that he heard the man talking to his mom, SW, and heard his mom say that she was going to come and pick him up but she never came. At this point JDW teared up during the interview because his mom did not pick him up.

Det. Rubio conducted a photo array with JDW. JDW identified the above-named defendant as the person who drove the Jeep when he was taken.

Det. Matthew Bughman reports that he conducted a Mirandized interview with the defendant. In that interview, the defendant stated that about two weeks prior, BC (DOB 12/3/2010) contacted the defendant with the intention to rob the mother of JDW, SW. The defendant claimed that SW is a wellknown drug dealer and flaunted money and that he had seen her with bricks of drugs during facetime calls between BC and SW. The defendant stated that BC called him on July 11, 2025 to try and rob SW that day. The defendant stated he left work early that day, borrowed his girlfriend (KA's) White Jeep Renegade, and picked up BC. The defendant stated that they removed the license place from the Jeep and that BC and another individual under investigation at this time both brought guns to commit the robbery. The plan was to go to SW's residence and rob her at gunpoint. The defendant stated that they left his residence at around 5PM that day and drove to SW's residence. The defendant stated that he was the driver of the Jeep, BC was the rear passenger, and the other individual was in the front passenger seat. Both BC and the other individual were wearing masks. The defendant stated that when they got to SW's residence, they waited but never saw SW. BC then suggested that they rob JWSR, SW's child's father, instead. On Friday, July 11, 2025, at 6230 West Hustis Street, in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, they drove in the Jeep to that residence and saw JDW and his father JWSR in front of the residence. JDW was riding a bike at the time. BC and the other individual exited the Jeep with hand guns and ran at JWSR. JWSR ran into the house and BC grabbed JDW. BC took JDW into the Jeep and then the defendant drove away with all four individuals at a high rate of speed. The defendant stated that while driving away he got into an argument with BC and the

other individual for taking JDW. The defendant stated that the plan then changed and the other individual contacted SW later that night and demanded \$100,000 and jewelry in exchange for JDW and they were going to meet at a nearby park. The defendant stated that he was originally promised \$10,000 for his part but demanded more after JDW was taken. The defendant stated that SW never showed for the meeting and once they became aware of the amber alert for JDW, BC and the other individual left JDW and the defendant at the defendant's residence. The defendant stated that there were conversations of whether the other individual or BC should harm JDW to show they were serious but that was not acted upon. The defendant finally stated that when police arrived to his residence, he hid in the attic and left JDW in a bedroom.

Det. Margaret Devito reports that she reviewed the cell phone records of the defendant. The records show that he made nearly 40 *67 calls to the mother of JDW between 7:33PM on July 11, 2025 and 2:39AM. Det. Devito also observed phone calls between the defendant and the other suspected individual not named at this time that took part in the kidnapping. There are 9 calls between 4:04PM and 4:44PM on July 11, 2025, a break of no calls, and then 12 calls between 8:49PM and 11:37PM on that same date.

Det. Stephen Colwell reports that BC was arrested and that he conducted a search of the residence of BC on July 15, 2025. Officers recovered a black handgun under the couch cushion in the basement. PO Blake Laufenberg reports that while waiting for the search warrant to be executed on the residence, he spoke to AAM. AAM stated that if BC had any property in the residence, it would be in the basement—where the firearm was found.

Det Colwell also reviewed recorded phone calls where BC spoke to other individuals about his plan to rob SW that he had with the defendant and he also talks about the kidnapping between July 10 and July 15, 2025.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO INTRODUCE FORENSIC INTERVIEW AT TRIAL

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes section 908.08(2)(a), the State of Wisconsin by Assistant District Attorney Kenneth Olstinski, hereby advises the Court and the defendant that it will offer into evidence at trial the video-recorded statement of JDW, date of birth, 6/17/2018, who is presently 7 years old.

The video-recorded statement of the child was conducted on July 13, 2025. The statement was taken at the Child Protection Center, 1020 North 12th Street, Milwaukee WI 53233. The video camera operator was Elizabeth Rubio of the Milwaukee Police Department.

****End of Complaint****

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Criminal Complaint prepared by Kenneth Olstinski.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on 07/17/25 Electronically Signed By: Kenneth Olstinski **Assistant District Attorney** State Bar #: 1105854

Electronically Signed By: Police Officer Katie Thiel Complainant