

ARREST WARRANT FORM - 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT - MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

WARRANT TYPE: AW

CASE TYPE: F

AWPS #

Refile indicator: YES

Court case number:

Division:

TO ALL AND SINGULAR SHERIFFS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, GREETINGS:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO IMMEDIATELY ARREST THE DEFENDANT AND BRING HIM OR HER BEFORE ME. A JUDGE IN THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, TO BE DEALT WITH ACCORDING TO LAW.

DEFENDANT'S NAME: (last) Brown				(first) Antonio		(middle) Tavaris	
STR/APT/CITY/ST/ZIP: [REDACTED]							
DOB: [REDACTED]	RACE: B	SEX: M	HEIGHT: 5'11"	WEIGHT: 170	HAIR: Brown	EYES: Brown	
SS #:	CIN #:	SID #:	FBI #:				
scars, marks, tattoos (use FCIC/NCIC abbreviations):				IDS #:			
driver's license #:				ST:			
veh tag #:	state:	make:	model:	year:	color:		
comments:							

 BEFORE ME PERSONALLY CAME Det. H Ortega (AFFIANT), WHO, BEING DULY SWORN, STATES THAT THE DEFENDANT Antonio Tavaris Brown, DID COMMIT THE ACTS STATED IN THE ATTACHED STATEMENT OF FACTS, BASED UPON THIS SWORN STATEMENT OF FACTS, I FIND PROBABLE CAUSE THAT Antonio Tavaris Brown DID COMMIT THE CRIMES OF:

CHARGE # CHP/SEC/SUBS	INTENT INTENT/TYPE/DEGREE	COUNTS	VERSION	CHARGE NAME/DESCRIPTION
782.04	First degree felony	1		Attempted 2nd degree murder with FA

IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, CONTRARY TO FLORIDA STATUTES AND AGAINST THE PEACE AND DIGNITY OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

POLICE CASE #: 2505170031731

AGENCY #: 01

AGENCY NAME: City of Miami Police

ASA'S APPROVAL INITIALS: *KB*

UNIT #: 1

MIN/MAN: ☐ Not Charged/Not Filed ☒ Charge Filed**EXTRADITE INFORMATION**

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| ☒ 1. Felony - Full extradition | ☐ B. Misdemeanor - Limited extradition |
| ☐ 2. Felony - Limited extradition | ☐ C. Misdemeanor - Extradition - Surrounding states only |
| ☐ 3. Felony - Extradition - Surrounding states only | ☐ D. Misdemeanor - No extradition |
| ☐ 4. Felony - No extradition | ☐ E. Misdemeanor - Pending extradition |
| ☐ A. Misdemeanor - Full extradition | |

SWORN TO BY AFFIANT:(name) Det. H. Ortega

Court ID #: 01-41770

Date: 6/11/25

+ loc code if Miami-Dade

SO ORDERED THIS 11th DAY OF June, 2025.JUDGE IN THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BOND AMOUNT

☐ FIRST APPEARANCE JUDGE MAY NOT MODIFY CONDITION OF RELEASE PER RULE 3.131(D)(1)(IV)
 (judge's initials) *Ariel Rodriguez*

- ☐ TO ANSWER UNTO THE STATE OF FLORIDA ON AN INFORMATION OR INDICTMENT FILED AGAINST HIM OR HER BY THE STATE ATTORNEY FOR THE CHARGE(S) OF:
- ☐ UPON ORDER OF A JUDGE IN THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA FOR FAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT TO ANSWER THE PENDING CHARGE(S) OF:

CHP/SEC/SUBS	INTENT/TYPE/DEGREE	COUNTS	VERSION	CHARGE NAME/description

JUAN FERNANDEZ-BARQUIN
CLERK OF THE COURT AND COMPTROLLER

BY: (Deputy Clerk)

(Date)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA)
) SS
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE)

STATEMENT OF FACTS IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT

Before me, Ariel Rodriguez, a Judge of the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, personally appeared Detective Henry Ortega of the Miami Police Department, Badge #41770, who being by me duly sworn depose and says that there is probable cause to arrest the following:

Antonio Tavaris BROWN, (B/M; [REDACTED])

AFFIANT'S BACKGROUNDS INFORMATION

Your Affiant, Detective Henry Ortega #41770, of the Miami Police Department (MPD) Crime Gun Intelligence Unit, has been a sworn police officer for approximately twelve (12) years. Your Affiant's duties consist of the investigation of offenses committed by criminal gangs and criminal enterprises. Your Affiant has actively participated in numerous narcotics investigations. Your Affiant has been trained in the Identification of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Street Level Drug investigations, firearms, and Gang & Security Threat Groups investigations. Your Affiant has actively participated in the execution of multiple firearms related search warrants and arrests wherein quantities of narcotics and firearms have been seized. Your Affiant has interviewed numerous persons arrested on firearms charges. In addition, Your Affiant been a Task Force Officer (TFO) with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) since May 2025. Your Affiant is currently assigned to the ATF Miami Field Division, Group II.

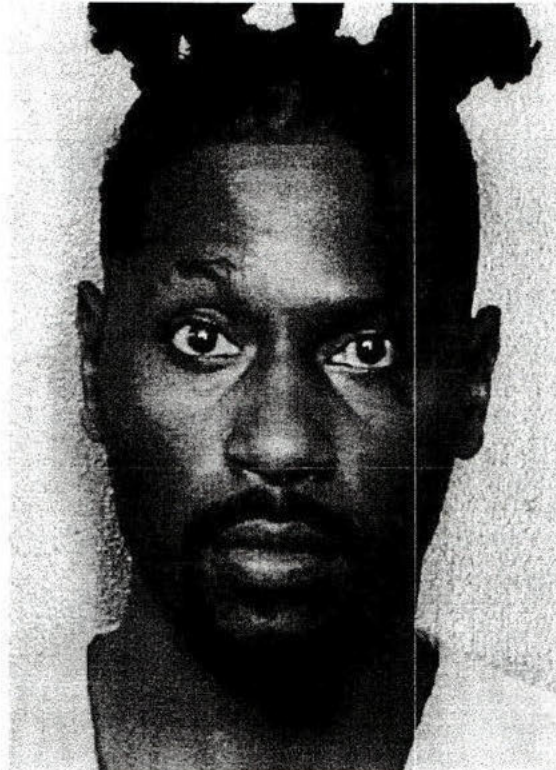
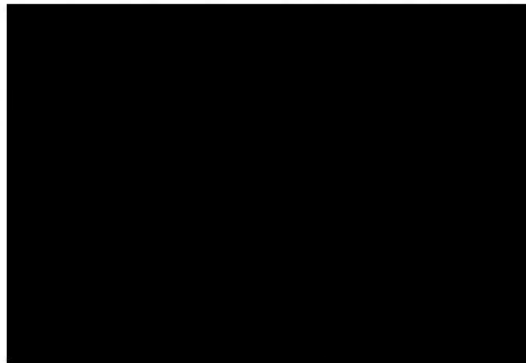
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INTRODUCTION

This affidavit is based upon information personally known to your Affiant obtained during the investigation, and information obtained from others who have investigated this matter and/or have personal knowledge of the facts herein. Because this affidavit is being submitted for a limited purpose of establishing specific and articulable facts which establish probable cause that a felony has been committed, your Affiant has not included every aspect, fact, or detail of this investigation.

The facts are as follows:

Antonio Tavaris BROWN



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On Friday May 16th, 2025, at approximately 11:56 P.M., Miami Police officers were dispatched to 221 NE 67th ST reference shots fired in the area. Upon arrival, officers made contact with Florida Highway Patrol units working in an off-duty capacity as security for an amateur boxing event. Officers encountered a male, later identified as Antonio Tavaris Brown (hereinafter referred to as "Mr. Brown"), who had already been detained by Florida Highway Patrol officers.

Florida Highway Patrol Lieutenant Camacho, badge number 31-2823, stated that while working inside of the event, he was approached by several individuals who reported hearing gunshots outside. Lieutenant Camacho exited the building and observed Mr. Brown engaged in a physical altercation with an unidentified male in front of 221 NE 67th Street. Lieutenant Camacho issued loud verbal commands for both individuals to stop, which they did. Mr. Brown then began walking toward the parking lot of the building.

Lieutenant Camacho stated that several patrons from the event identified Mr. Brown as the shooter and informed him that Mr. Brown was armed. Mr. Brown was detained in the parking lot and patted down for officer safety. At the time of detention, Mr. Brown was not armed. The unknown male involved in the physical altercation with Mr. Brown was not located by officers.

Although no victims were found on the scene, officers located two spent shell casings and an empty firearm holster outside of 221 NE 67th Street. The firearm holster is a right-handed holster and had the retaining clip ripped off. These items were later collected and submitted to MPD property as evidence for further testing. Due to the absence of identified victims at the time, Mr. Brown was released.

On Friday May 17th, 2025, at approximately 1:13 P.M., your Affiant was notified of the incident and responded to 221 NE 67th Street, to locate potential witnesses and/or video footage. An initial review of surveillance cameras with a view of an enclosed parking area inside the venue

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revealed a large physical altercation occurred prior to the shooting on the outside sidewalk. One of the individuals involved in the physical altercation was identified as Mr. Brown, wearing green pants, green army helmet and green top. The second male was identified through investigative means as Zul-Qarnain Kwame Nantambu (DOB 07/09/1983) who was wearing a dark long-sleeved colored top with a gold stripe across the chest.

Mr. Brown and Zul-Qarnain Kwame Nantambu (hereinafter referred to as Mr. Nantambu) came face to face. Mr. Brown struck Mr. Nantambu with a closed fist, and a fight ensued. Several other individuals began attacking Mr. Nantambu, escalating the situation to three (3) individuals against one (1).

The fight continued briefly, until several security staff members including Eric Bauer (herein referred to as Mr. Bauer) intervened. Mr. Nantambu was then seen walking away from Mr. Brown and exiting the enclosed parking area. Mr. Brown was observed struggling with Mr. Bauer around and behind a parked white SUV. As Mr. Brown and Mr. Bauer get to the driver side of the SUV, Mr. Brown begins to grab and pull on the right hip of Mr. Bauer. Mr. Brown appears to retrieve a black firearm from the right hip area of Mr. Bauer. Mr. Brown at this point, holding the firearm with his left hand, started to run out of the enclosed parking area in the same direction that Mr. Nantambu exited.

Cell phone video obtained from social media showed Mr. Brown with the firearm in his hand advancing towards Mr. Nantambu on the outside sidewalk. The video captures two shots which occur as Mr. Brown is within several feet of Mr. Nantambu. The video also captures Mr. Nantambu ducking after the first shot is heard.

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Your Affiant contacted Mr. Nantambu and requested an interview regarding the shooting. Mr. Nantambu agreed to meet with Detectives on Wednesday, May 21, 2025, at Miami PD Headquarters with his counsel present.

On Wednesday, May 21, 2025, 12:56 P.M., Detective Pinckney and your Affiant met with Mr. Nantambu and his counsel. A recorded interview was conducted. Mr. Nantambu gave detectives a detailed account of the reason for him attending the event, as well as the moments leading up to the physical altercation. He stated he got into a verbal altercation with Mr. Brown which escalated when Mr. Brown punched him in the face. He further stated that as he attempted to defend himself, several additional people began to strike him until security separated all parties. As he was exiting the building, he noticed Mr. Brown began to run towards him with a firearm in his hand. Mr. Nantambu stated Mr. Brown proceeded to shoot at him (possibly grazing him in the neck) placing him in fear for his life. As Mr. Brown advanced on Mr. Nantambu, they got into a struggle over the firearm and ended up on the ground. When police arrived, Mr. Brown walked away concealing the firearm within a dark colored garment. While officers directed their attention to Mr. Brown, Mr. Nantambu left the scene and went to Aventura hospital to treat his injuries.

Mr. Nantambu positively identified Mr. Brown from the CCTV from the cameras at 221 NE 67th Street, as the individual who shot at him. Mr. Nantambu identified Mr. Brown via a single photo and stated he has known Mr. Brown since 2022. Mr. Nantambu had visible injuries which were documented by Crime Scene.

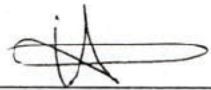
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WHEREFORE, "Your Affiant" requests an Arrest Warrant be issued for:

Antonio Tavaris BROWN ([REDACTED]) for one (1) count of ATTEMPTED
SECOND DEGREE MURDER dated on 05/17/2025 in violation of Florida Statue
782.04.

OATH

I SWEAR, under the penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

 # 41770

Det. Henry Ortega, Badge #41770
Miami Police Department
AFFIANT

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