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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS

SEARCH WARRANT

STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF WYANDOTTE

KCKPD #2015112379

BY

The State of Kansas to any Sheriff or Peace Officer of the State of Kansas: Having evidence under oath before me from which I find there is probable cause to believe that an offense against the laws of the state of Kansas has been committed and that certain items, to wit:

Saliva sample of DNA (buccal swabs)

From the person of Heather J Jones, W/F, 02/04/1986, who is currently in custody [REDACTED]

Detective B. Lancaster, and other members of the Kansas City, Kansas Police Department, you are therefore commanded forthwith to search the person, place, or thing of means of conveyance hereinbefore specified for such items, holding them to be dealt with according to law.

Issued this

18 day of April at *10:14* o'clock *A.M.*

JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT
Wyandotte County, Kansas

BY

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COMPLAINT # 2015 11 2379

INVENTORY, RECEIPT AND RETURN TO SEARCH WARRANT

I received this warrant, on the 18 day of APRIL, 2016, at 1014 hours, executed it as commanded, therein by going to and on the place described in said warrant, and searched said person, place, thing or means of conveyance, and found thereon and seized the following described property to wit:

2-DNA SLABS FROM HEATHER JOWSS W/F 2/4/1986

which I now have in custody, subject to the order of the Court Execution of this warrant was completed at 1350 hours, on the 19 day of APRIL, 2016.

* I have delivered to HEATHER JOWSS a copy of this warrant and a receipt for the above-described property. (Cross out if inapplicable)

* No one being present, I left a copy of this warrant ~~and a receipt for the above-described property~~ at the place described in the warrant. ~~In addition, the above property was secured as best as possible by~~. (Cross out if inapplicable)

[Signature] Date 4/19/16
Detective's Signature

I acknowledge that I received a copy of this warrant and a receipt for the above-described property taken _____
Signature Date _____

* Sec. 22-2506. Execution of search warrants. A search warrant shall be executed within ninety-six hours from the time of issuance. If the warrant is executed the duplicated copy shall be left with any person from whom any things are seized or if no person is available the copy shall be left at the place from which the things were seized. Any warrant not executed within such time shall be void and shall be returned to the court of the magistrates issuing the same as "not executed." (Make return of warrant immediately upon execution or, is not executed, immediately following expiration of ninety-six

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS
AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF A SEARCH WARRANT

Case No. 2015112379

I, Brad Lancaster, a Detective with the Kansas City, Kansas Police Department, being of lawful age, having first duly sworn upon my oath, do hereby depose and state:

I have been a law enforcement officer with the Kansas City Kansas Police Department since July 12, 2007. I am currently an investigator with the Kansas City, Kansas Police Department, and have acted in the capacity of a detective for 2 years. During the course of my employment, I have received training in investigations including, but not limited to various seminars and schools. During the course of my employment, I have participated in numerous investigations which led to the prosecution of suspects.

PROBABLE CAUSE INFORMATION:

On 11/25/2015, officers of the Kansas City, KS Police Department responded to 5201 N 99th Street, Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas in regards to a domestic disturbance. Officers determined that the felony crimes of Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery had likely occurred. The victim, Heather Jones, had injuries consistent with being beaten and choked. Heather reported that the suspect, Michael Jones, had fired a gun at her while outside the home. Michael was taken into custody while driving away from the residence, in a gold 2009 GMC Yukon, as officers arrived on the scene.

While speaking to Detective Lancaster, Heather alleged that Michael's 7 year old son A.J. had died in the home on or about 09/28/2015 and that Michael disposed of his body on the property, in an effort to conceal the death and severe child abuse.

On 11/26/2015, officers of the Kansas City, KS Police Department executed a valid search warrant for the residence, curtilage and outbuildings on the property commonly known as 5201 N 99th Street. Officers discovered human remains that were consistent in size with that of a 7 year old child, stored in the exact manner and location described by Michael. A subsequent autopsy performed by Dr. [REDACTED] confirmed these findings.

On 11/28/2015, Heather Jones invited Detective Lancaster into the home at 5201 N 99th Street, to show Detective Lancaster items of interest and to provide additional evidence. While in the home, Heather Jones told Detective Lancaster that A.J. had been abused with a Zap Enforcer flashlight. This device combines a flashlight with an electronic control device, which delivers an electric shock to a person, similar in function to the device commonly known as a "Taser". The Zap Enforcer was recovered and separate areas of the device were swabbed for DNA evidence. Those swabs were submitted to the KBI Laboratory for testing. DNA testing results indicate a currently unidentified male DNA profile recovered from the electrode portion of the device. Michael Jones has been eliminated as the contributor of this profile. A haplotype DNA profile was also recovered from the electrode portion of the device. This type of DNA profile isolates the "Y" chromosome found only in males. The haplotype DNA profile found is consistent with the known haplotype DNA profile of Michael Jones. The contributor of this haplotype DNA profile could include any paternal relative of Michael Jones, which would include any son of Michael Jones. No paternal relatives of Michael Jones are known to have been in the home, other than A.J. A swab of the "handle" portion of the Zap Enforcer located a partial DNA profile attributed to a currently unidentified female. During interviews, Heather Jones viewed pictures of A.J. which Detective Lancaster believes show burns, open sores and scarring which are consistent with being exposed to the Zap Enforcer for extended periods of time. Heather admitted that she and Michael Jones both used the device on A.J. and confirmed the injuries on A.J. are from the Zap Enforcer. Heather estimated A.J.

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could have been exposed to the electronic discharge from the device for 30 seconds at a time and that the burns are from the Zap Enforcer.

Heather Jones' DNA is needed for comparison testing to confirm or eliminate her as the contributor of the currently unknown female partial DNA profile found on the handle of the Zap Enforcer.

As such, I respectfully petition the Court for a warrant to authorize obtaining a saliva sample for DNA (Deoxyribonucleic acid) from the listed suspect, Heather J Jones, W/F, 02/04/1986, who is currently in custody [REDACTED]

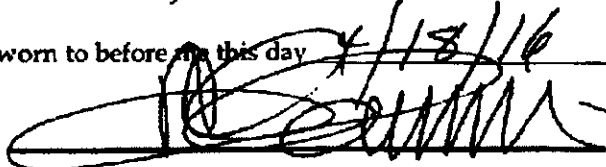
I would request that the warrant authorize the seizures of:

Saliva sample of DNA (buccal swabs)



Affiant, Detective B. Lancaster #1912
Kansas City, Kansas Police Department

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day

4/13/16


Judge of the District Court, Wyandotte County, Kansas