IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI AT INDEPENDENCE

18-0607352

	PROSEC	UTOR NO.:	0954	52325
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STATE OF MI	SSOURI,	PLAINTI	FF,))
vs.			•)
KACI COX 5839 Wallace A Kansas City, M DOB: 06/26/200 Race/Sex: W/F	O - 64129	DEDENDA)) CASE NO.)))
		DEFENDA	NT.)

POLICE NO.:

CLOSED INDICTMENT

In the Circuit Court of Jackson County, Missouri, at Kansas City, March Term, 2019. In Division Number 10 thereof, designated by the rules of said Court as Criminal Division A.

Count I. Murder 1st Degree (565.020-001Y19840903.0)

The Grand Jurors of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, charge that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.020, RSMo, committed the **Class A Felony Murder in the First Degree** punishable upon conviction under Section 565.020, RSMo, in that on or about on or about October 5, 2018, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant, either acting alone or purposely in concert with another, after deliberation, knowingly caused the death of Makayla A Brooks by shooting her.

The range of punishment for a Murder in the First degree is death or imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for life without eligibility of probation or parole, or release except by act of the governor. A person found guilty of murder in the first degree who was under the age of eighteen at the time of the commission of the offense shall be sentenced to a term of life without eligibility for probation or parole as provided in section 565.034, life imprisonment with eligibility for parole, or not less than thirty years and not to exceed forty years imprisonment.

Count II. Armed Criminal Action (571.015-001Y19755213.0)

The Grand Jurors of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, charge that the defendant, in violation of Section 571.015, RSMo, committed the **Felony of Armed Criminal Action**, punishable upon conviction under Section 571.015.1, RSMo, in that on or about October 5, 2018, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant, either acting alone or purposely in concert with another, committed the felony of Murder in the First Degree charged in Count 1, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant committed the foregoing felony of Murder in the First Degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015 RSMo. is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than three (3) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of three (3) calendar years. Any punishment imposed pursuant to section 571.015 RSMo. shall be in addition to any punishment provided by law for the crime committed by, with, or through the use, assistance, or aid of a dangerous instrument or deadly weapon.

Wherefore this Indictment supersedes any Complaint, Information, or Indictment previously filed in the Associate Circuit Court.

TRUE BILL	
FOREPERSON	
	JEAN PETERS BAKER PROSECUTING ATTORNEY FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON, STATE OF MISSOURI, by
Received this day of	, 2019.

State vs. Kaci Cox, Case No. WARRANT TO ISSUE. BAIL SET AT _______CASH ONLY SUMMONS TO ISSUE. BOND TO REMAIN AS PREVIOUSLY SET. SPECIAL CONDITIONS SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT.

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

WITNESSES:

- 1. Makayla A Brooks, 5528 Blue Ridge Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64133
- 2. TPR Travis Goolsby, 504 E. Blue Pkwy, Lees Summit, MO 64063

Probable Cause Statement Form

Date: 04/17/2019 Case: 180607352

I, Trooper T. I. Goolsby, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true.

I have probable cause to believe that on date, at time, Kaci (x) Cox, white/female, date of birth: June 26, 2001, committed one or more criminal offense(s):

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

- a. On Friday, October 5, 2018, at approximately 0105 hours, Makayla Brooks was asleep on the couch in her front living room. During this time, Logan England entered Brooks' residence from the west door, and subsequently shot Makayla Brooks four times, prior to leaving the residence. During a search of the crime scene, four .40 caliber fired shell casings were recovered. Makayla Brooks succumbed to her injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene.
- b. During this investigation, multiple witness' were interviewed by law enforcement and identified as having direct knowledge of the Makayla Brook's homicide. This was knowledge was either from directly speaking with Logan England or being with him during the murder.
- c. Witness 1 told law enforcement England told them he killed Makayla Brooks. According to Witness 1, England said he went there that night looking for Brooks, and said he saw her laying on the couch, went in the back door and it "happened," and subsequent to this, he ran off.
- d. In providing a synopsis of Witness 1's conversation with England, Witness 1 stated England said he went there, and as he was going around the house, he walked to the back yard and saw Brooks through the glass window, sleeping on the couch. They reported England said he opened the door and he went inside and killed her. After that, England said he ran, jumped over the fence, and ran down the street. Witness 1 further advised England said he got into his car, and Kaci Cox was driving, and they drove off.
- e. Witness 1 said the reasoning behind Makayla Brooks homicide, was due to a mutual friend of England's, identified as a white/male juvenile, getting arrested and England blaming Makayla Brooks for "snitching."
- f. Witness 2 told law enforcement they overheard a conversation where England said he could remember Brooks' body "twitching" due to the impact of the bullets he was firing. Witness 2

further advised, England purchased a white-colored Camaro, which had some overheating problems. Witness 2 said England got rid of this vehicle soon after Brooks' murder. Witness 2 further said they believed at the time of Brooks' homicide, England carried a .40 caliber, Smith and Wesson.

- g. Witness 3 told law enforcement that Kaci Cox told them about Makayla Brooks murder. According to Witness 3, Cox said she waited in the car and England walked into Brooks' house. According to Witness 3, Cox said England walked in as the door was not locked and subsequent to coming back to the car, they left. Witness 3 reported Cox told them she and England were together when they began talking about the girl (Brooks) who "snitched," though Witness 3 said they were unfamiliar with who this person she snitched on was. Witness 3 said they did not know this person's name but it was someone who was close to England.
- h. Witness 3 reported being told by Cox she heard Brooks was a witness to something the, white/male juvenile did. According to Witness 3, Cox told England she knew where Brooks lived and there was an "opportunity" and she is the only witness to what the, white/male juvenile, did. Witness 3 reiterated Cox said she was waiting in the car as England left the car, which was parked down the street from Brooks' residence. According to Witness 3, Cox was aware of the location of Brooks' residence as they "smoked" together in the past. Witness 3 said they were told England just walked into Brooks' house as the door was not locked.
- i. Witness 4 told law enforcement when Brooks was shot, they slept by her on a mattress with only a coffee table separating them. Witness 4 identified Brooks as already being asleep, prior to them going to sleep. Witness 4 also identified the back door to Brooks' residence as not being locked that night.
- j. Witness 4 said they heard gunshots, which they thought were coming from outside. Witness 4 said after the shooting, they heard the back, outer door, slam close. Witness 4 said they only heard one person come in, after hearing the door open, and heard that person take three steps and fire four times.
- k. Kaci Cox was interviewed by law enforcement regarding the Makayla Brooks homicide. Cox said she showed England where Brooks lived. Cox further articulated she showed England where Brooks lived, immediately prior to him murdering her. Cox said she did not know England was going to murder Brooks. According to Cox, England explained to her Brooks snitched on a white male juvenile, which resulted in their incarceration.
- l. Cox reiterated England asked her to show him where Brooks lived, which she did. Cox said she did this the night he killed Brooks. Cox said upon getting to Brooks' residence, England asked if she lived there, which Cox confirmed she did. Cox said England then parked his car, down the street. Cox said, "That time, I did hear the shots, with Riley, I didn't." Cox said, in relation to Brooks' house, they parked not very far down the street. She confirmed this happened in the nighttime, as it was dark outside. She further explained England drove them to Brooks'

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m. Cox described England's gun as a pistol, black in color, like the ones the police carry. She said he did not buy it in the store and that he always has a gun. Cox said she is not sure what England did with this gun but he did get rid of his car. When asked, Cox said England did not take anything from Brooks' house and estimates he was gone for "ten minutes." Cox said England did not tell her how he got into the house but that he shot Brooks while she was asleep. Cox reiterated England said Brooks was asleep when he shot her and for Cox to not tell anyone.

Name: Trooper T.I. Goolsby, Criminal Investigator #839

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