

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 12-08-2017

CRN: 17-102893

I, Detective K. Oldham # 5166 (Name and identify law enforcement officer, or person having information as probable cause.)

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 12-07-2017, at 4502 E. 24th St in

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Reginald E. Jones Jr (County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M, 01-27-99 committed one or more criminal offense(s). (Description of Identity)

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 12-07-2017, at approximately 1939 hours, Officers were dispatched to 4502 E. 24th St, (LP's Grocery and Liquor) on a reported shooting. Upon their arrival, two black male victims were located lying on the sidewalk just outside the store suffering from apparent gunshot wounds.

EMS responded and pronounced the victims deceased at the scene. Twelve spent shell casings were located on the street and sidewalk in front of the store. The victims were positively identified as Darryl Singleton B/M, 11-16-60 and Reginald E. Jones Sr., B/M, 05-31-1981

A relative of the victim, Jones, responded to the scene and advised investigating detectives that she received information that Reginald Jones Jr had shot his father and someone else. She also advised that she heard that Reginald Jones Jr. and Reginald Jones Sr. had been involved in an argument.

A witness was located who works at the store. He advised he was present during the shooting and agreed to accompany detectives to Police Headquarters to provide a statement in regard. The witness stated that he heard one of the victims (Jones) arguing with his son on the phone. A short while later the suspect showed up at the store and the victim, Jones, went outside to talk with him. The witness noted that the suspect was holding a gun in his hand at this time. While they were outside, the victim Singleton, who is a store employee, was also outside smoking a cigarette. The witness heard several shots and when he went outside he observed both victims to be lying on the ground shot. The witness was shown a photo array of five black males and positively identified Reginald Jones Jr. BM, 1-27-1999 as the person he witnessed shooting both victims.

A search warrant was obtained through the Jackson County Courts for 4502 E. 24th St. A video surveillance system was located and video was extracted. In external video, six black male individuals can be seen standing on the sidewalk just outside the front door of the store. Victim Singleton is seen to be leaning against an ice cooler and victim Jones is having a conversation with a black male wearing a black Nike baseball hat, a black hoodie with a grey Nike symbol, black Nike shorts over black tights and white socks that are pulled up to the calf. The three other black males are standing to the side and appear to not be involved in the confrontation.

The black male wearing the black Nike clothing pulls a hand gun from his waist area and holds it to his side as he and victim Jones continue to talk. Victim Jones turns away from the male and grabs the door handle as if he is going back into the store. The black male wearing the black Nike clothing raises the gun and shoots Jones who falls to the ground. The black male wearing the Nike clothing then points the gun at victim Singleton,

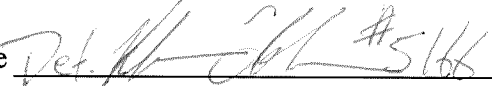
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shooting him. The three males who were standing to the side flee the scene on foot; eastbound on E. 24<sup>th</sup> St. The black male wearing the black Nike clothing enters orange Mitsubishi Eclipse and flees west bound on E. 24<sup>th</sup> St.

In interior video, prior to the shooting, the black male wearing the black Nike clothing enters the store and buys a sandwich. The black male appears to match the description of **Reginald Jones Jr. BM, 1-27-1999** to include a distinguishing white birth mark on the right side of his face.

On 12-11-2017, Reginald Jones Jr voluntarily turned himself in to police. On 12-12-17 he was transported to 1125 Locust for questioning. He was advised of his Miranda Rights. Jones advised he understood his rights and agreed to speak to detectives. Jones stated that on the night of the homicide he was called to LP's market by the victim. Upon further questioning, Jones advised he did not wish to answer any further questions without a lawyer present.

Printed Name K. Oldham # 5166 Signature 

The Court finds probable cause and directs the issuance of a warrant this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Circuit Court of \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of Missouri.