IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI <u>AT INDEPENDENCE</u>

POI	LICE NO.:	22-0782	208
PROSECU	TOR NO.:	095472	120
	OCN:	qo0101	48
STATE OF MISSOURI,)
,	PLAIN	NTIFF,)
vs.)
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TERRY L WATSON)
15103 Truman Rd) CASE NO. 2216-CR
Independence, MO 64050) DIVISION
DOB: 11/24/1988)
Race/Sex: W/M)
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	DEFENI	DANT.)
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COMPLAINT WARRANT REQUESTED

Count I. Domestic Assault 1st Degree - 1st Offense (565.072-002Y20201399.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.072, RSMo, committed the class B felony of domestic assault in the first degree, punishable upon conviction under Section 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about October 27, 2022, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant struck _______, and such conduct was a substantial step toward the commission of the offense of domestic assault in the first degree of _______, and was done for the purpose of committing such assault, and _______, and defendant were family or household members in that ________, and the defendant were persons who were related by blood.

The range of punishment for a class B felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than five (5) years and not to exceed fifteen (15) years.

OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE Count I. Abuse Or Neglect Of A Child Under Section 568.060.5(1)-Sexual Contact (568.060-008Y202036.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 568.060, RSMo, committed the class D felony of abuse or neglect of a child, punishable upon conviction under Sections 558.011, 558.002 and 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about October 27, 2022, in the County

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of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant was eighteen years of age or older, and knowingly caused ., a child less than eighteen years of age, to suffer physical injury as a result of abuse by striking ., and the injury inflicted was serious physical injury on .

The range punishment for a class D felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than one (1) year and not to exceed seven (7) years; or by imprisonment for a special term not to exceed one (1) year in the county jail or other authorized penal institution; or by a fine not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime.

Count II. Abuse Or Neglect Of A Child Under Section 568.060.5(1) - No Sexual Contact (568.060-002Y20203899.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 568.060, RSMo, committed the class D felony of abuse or neglect of a child, punishable upon conviction under Sections 558.011, 558.002 and 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about April 15, 2022, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant was eighteen years of age or older, and knowingly caused ., a child less than eighteen years of age, to suffer physical injury as a result of abuse by striking . and, the injury inflicted was serious physical injury on .

The range punishment for a class D felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than one (1) year and not to exceed seven (7) years; or by imprisonment for a special term not to exceed one (1) year in the county jail or other authorized penal institution; or by a fine not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime.

The facts that form the basis for this information and belief are contained in the statement(s) of facts filed contemporaneously herewith, made a part hereof, and submitted as a basis upon which this court may find the existence of probable cause.

Wherefore, the Prosecuting Attorney prays that an arrest warrant be issued as provided by law.

JEAN PETERS BAKER

Prosecuting Attorney Jackson County, Missouri by,

/s/ Devon Tarantino
Devon Tarantino (#72156)
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
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WITNESSES:

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- N Memorial Dr, Independence, MO 64050 DET Emily Knox, 223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO 64050
- 5. DET John Roach, 223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO 64050
- , 415 E 12th St, Floor 11, Kansas City, MO 64106 6.

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

I, Joh that f	11/9/2022 Report #: 2022-78208 n Roach, a Detective with the Independence, Missouri, Police Department, knowing alse statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained are true.
1.	I have probable cause to believe that between 04-15-22 and 10-27-22, at Circle, Independence, Jackson County Missouri, 64057 and 15103 E. Truman Road, Independence, Jackson County Missouri 64050, Terry L. Watson (Race: White, Sex: Male, DOB:11-24-88, Address: 4432 E. 10 th Street, Kansas City Missouri 64127, committed one or more criminal offenses in Jackson County, Missouri.
2.	The facts supporting this belief are as follows:
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Defendant Watson states twice, "shut up". Tiffnee can be heard in the background stating "are you fucking kidding me".

Detective Minter advised that he had received the video from Sergeant at Kearny Police Department who advised the video had been posted on the Independence Awareness Facebook Page. He advised the male in the video had been identified as Terry Watson and the female had been identified as Tiffnee Hockaday. Detective Minter advised he was not aware of a police report being made in regard to the assault.

Detective Roach contacted Dispatch to have them run Defendant Watson to find an address. At that time Dispatch advised that the video had been posted on several social media sites and that a report had been made earlier this morning.

Report 2022-78208 had been taken by Officer A. Kelly with the Independence Police

Department. Officer Kelly made contact with at the Independence HQ on 11-07-22 at 0920 hours. advised she lives at 15103 E Truman Road with
Tiffnee Hockaday. She advised on 10-27-22 at 0607 hours she was woken up by yelling. stated she accessed the Ring camera on the front porch and that is when she witnessed the assault on the Victim. She identified the male in the video as Defendant Watson and stated Tiffany is dating him. e further advised the Victim is the Defendant Watson.
Based on Statement to Officer Kelly, Detective Roach issued a Person of Interest Order for Defendant Watson for Child Abuse.
On 11-08-22 Destinee responded to the Independence Police Department for a formal interview with Detective Roach and Detective Knox. During the interview advised there is a long history of Defendant Watson physically abusing the Victim. She advised the Victim has been diagnosed with Autism and is non verbal with hearing issues. Advised there have been several instances where she has observed severe bruising on the Victim from Defendant Watson hitting the Victim.
e advised on 10-27-22 around 0600 hours she was woken up by yelling on the front porch. She advised she utilized the Ring Camera App on her phone and that is when she observed Defendant Watson punching the Victim. advised she saved the video footage to her phone so it couldn't be erased.

During the interview Defendant Watson stated that the Victim has been diagnosed with Autism, a chromosome deficiency, was nonverbal, and wore hearing aids. Defendant Watson stated he had gone earlier today to get help "cause he saw that video and it made him sick". I asked him to tell me about what happened in the video. Defendant Watson said he "blacked out" and doesn't

On 11-08-22 Defendant Watson was taken into custody on the POI that had been issued by Detective Roach. He was transported to Independence HQ for booking and a formal interview. Upon arrival at HQ Defendant Watson was escorted to a 3rd Floor interview room where he was

read and signed the Miranda Warning of Rights form.

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Detective John Roach	/s/ John Roach

Signature

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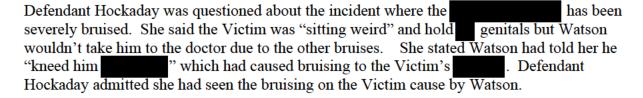
On 11-08-22 Defendant Hockaday was taken into custody on the POI that had been issued for her arrest. She was escorted to a 3rd Floor interview room at the Independence Police Department for a formal interview. Prior to the interview she was read and signed the Miranda Warning of Rights form.

Defendant Hockaday advised she knew she was there for questioning in regard to the video that had been posted on social media. She stated when she woke up on 10-27-22 she found that the Victim had defecated and urinated in his pants and on bed. Defendant Hockaday said she took the Victim out to the front porch and gave to Watson. She stated she went back inside and got ready for work. When questioned about her involvement in the video she advised she

tripped over the door jamb and that caused her to stumble with the Victim. She denied any wrongdoing.

Defendant Hockaday was questioned about the past abuse between Watson and the Victim. She advised she was aware that there have been several different incidents where Watson struck the Victim.

Defendant Hockaday was questioned about the incident at IHOP. She denied witnessing Watson strike the Victim.



Defendant Hockaday was questioned about the incident where Watson pushed the Victim in the shower knocking down. She advised that incident occurred around the end of summer of this year. Defendant Hockaday said Watson and the Victim came to her house for dinner. She said when they arrived she observed the Victim had a large untreated laceration on his chin. Defendant Hockaday said she asked Watson what happened, and he told her the Victim had improperly showered himself. Watson stated he became angry and pushed the Victim in the back causing him to fall forward and strike his chin on the water faucet causing the injury. Defendant Hockaday said Watson used superglue to close the wound and refused to take to the hospital for treatment.

Defendant Hockaday was questioned in regard to an incident that occurred at Watson's house during the summer. She stated Watson had pushed the Victim causing to fall into the wall which caused a hole in the wall. She stated she was aware of that situation and that Watson had patched the hole in the wall.

Defendant Hockaday was questioned about Watson punching the Victim's hands. She said the Victim touched the perfume in the bathroom and Watson told her "he needs to know not to touch peoples shit". Defendant Hockaday said Watson punched the Victim's hands because he needs to "fucking learn". She said the Victim's hand had a couple of blood vessels popped on one hand. Defendant Hockaday said this happened during the summer at her house.

When asked Defendant Hockaday admitted to knowing that Watson was physically abusive to the Victim. Defendant Hockaday stated she was a mandated reported due to working in the medical field as a Med Tech. She was asked if she ever hotlined any of the abuse incident with Children's Division. Defendant Hockaday said she would tell to make the hotline for her because she was scared of Watson. She was asked if she ever filed a police report after witnessing the Victim being abuse and she said no.

In regard to the incident on 10-27-22 Defendant Hockaday admitted she knew what was probably going to happen to the Victim when she took out to Watson on the porch.

Detective John Roach	/s/ John Roach
Print Name	Signature