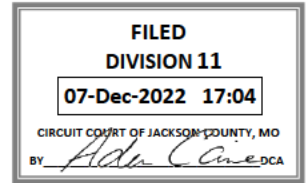



**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI
AT KANSAS CITY**

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| POLICE NO. : | KC22081837 |
| PROSECUTOR NO. : | 095472462 |
| OCN: | HS037506 |



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| STATE OF MISSOURI, |) | |
| |) | PLAINTIFF, |
| vs. |) | |
| |) | |
| EMMETT C. WILLIAMS |) | |
| 2936 Wayne Ave |) | CASE NO. 2216-CR |
| Kansas City, MO 64109 |) | DIVISION |
| DOB: 02/15/1989 |) | |
| Race/Sex: B/M |) | |
|  |) | |
| |) | DEFENDANT. |

COMPLAINT
WARRANT REQUESTED

Count I. Murder 2nd Degree (565.021-001Y20200911.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.021, RSMo, committed the class A felony of murder in the second degree, punishable upon conviction under Section 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about December 6, 2022, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant, with the purpose of causing serious physical injury to Shayla Curts, caused the death of Shayla Curts by shooting her.

An individual convicted and sentenced for this offense shall not be eligible for parole until eighty-five percent of the sentence is served.

The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life imprisonment.

Count II. Armed Criminal Action (571.015-001Y20205213.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges 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 December 6, 2022, in the County of Jackson, State of

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Missouri, the defendant committed the felony of murder in the second degree charged in Count I, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant committed the foregoing felony of murder in the second degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

The punishment imposed pursuant to Section 571.015, RSMo shall be in addition to and consecutive 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. The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015.1, RSMo. is imprisonment by the department of corrections for a term of not less than three years and not to exceed fifteen years, unless the person is unlawfully possessing a firearm, in which case the term of imprisonment shall be for a term of not less than five years. No person convicted under this subsection shall be eligible for parole, probation, conditional release, or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of three calendar years. The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015.2, RSMo. as a second offense is imprisonment by the department of corrections for a term of not less than five years and not to exceed thirty years, unless the person is unlawfully possessing a firearm, in which case the term of imprisonment shall be for a term not less than fifteen years. No person convicted under this subsection shall be eligible for parole, probation, conditional release, or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of five calendar years. The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015.3, RSMo. as a third offense is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of ten (10) calendar years.

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.

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Jackson County, Missouri
by,

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WITNESSES:

1. [REDACTED]

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4. Shayla Curts, Prosecuting Atty. Office, 415 E 12th St, Floor 11, Kansas City, MO 64106
5. PO Dalton Cutting, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106
6. PO Brett Greufe, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106
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8. PO Derek P. Haskell, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106
9. DET Mary J Kincheloe, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106
10. CST Eden Kuhn, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106
11. PO Matthew Maurer, 1125 Locust, Kansas City, MO 64106

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 12-07-2022

CRN: KC22-081837

I, Detective Mary Kincheloe #5063
(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 12-06-2022, at 4921 Bellefontaine Avenue in
(Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Williams, Emmett C
(County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M 02-15-1989, 6'00, 155lb, [REDACTED] committed one or more criminal offense(s).
(Description of Identity)

Murder II
Armed Criminal Action

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 12-06-2022, at 2000 hours, Officers of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department were dispatched to 4921 Bellefontaine Avenue, Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri on a reported shooting. Upon arrival, Officers located an unknown female, later determined to be Curts, Shayla B/F 03-12-2000, suffering from a bullet wound to the head. KCFD Medic #18 confirmed Curts deceased at the scene.

Witness #1 advised the suspect, later identified as **Williams, Emmett C/ B/M 02-15-1989**, came to his residence to hang out upstairs in the his bedroom. Present in the bedroom was the victim, witness #1, witness #2 and **Williams**. Witness #1 advised the victim went downstairs to living room and approximately five minutes later **Williams** told witness #1 he was leaving. Witness #1 said about one minute later he heard one gunshot. Witness #1 came downstairs saw the victim deceased and his front door standing open. Witness #1 looked out and saw somebody running northbound on Bellefontaine Avenue and east on E. 49th Street. Witness #1 stated there was never an altercation between **Williams** and the victim during the night.

Witness #2 advised she was in her bedroom with witness #1, the victim and a person she knew to go by the name "EW." Witness #2 said the victim left the bedroom first and "EW" followed several minutes later. Witness #2 said she heard one gunshot. She told witness #1 to go see what happened. Witness #2 did not leave her bedroom until Officers arrived on scene.

A search warrant was obtained to process the residence for items of evidentiary value. One WINN 9mm Luger spent shell casing was located on the floor in the living room just southeast of the couch where the victim was located deceased.

On 12-07-2022, at approximately 0415 hours, **Williams, Emmett C. B/M 02-15-1989**, called 911 from 2601 Blue Parkway, Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri and advised he had shot someone earlier in the night and

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wanted to turn himself in. **Williams** was taken into custody at 0432 hours and transported to Police Headquarters. **Williams** was read aloud the Miranda Warning and advised he understood his rights. **Williams** said he has known the victim for four years and they see one another occasionally. **Williams** said on 12-06-2022 at approximately 1800-1830 hours, he arrived at witness #1's residence. **Williams** said the victim is always antagonizing **Williams** with her words such as calling him a "bitch" and telling him he has a "clit." **Williams** said he is typically is unaffected by the victim's words. **Williams** said he recently had suffered the loss of multiple family members and has not been managing those emotions well. **Williams** believed that this, accompanied with his own mental health issues and illegal drug use caused him to "snap." **Williams** said the victim was sitting downstairs on the couch in the living room when he came downstairs. **Williams** said it happened very quickly, but when he was walking past the victim, he made the decision to pull his firearm, a 9mm Jimenez, from the holster on his hip and shoot her in the head. **Williams** said he walked out the front door and north on Bellefontaine Avenue. **Williams** said when he arrived on foot in the wooded area north of Blue Parkway and College Avenue, he fell down a ravine and lost his gun, backpack and cell phone. **Williams** was transported to the area where he pointed out the direction he was traveling when he lost the firearm in the wooded area.

SA Koerner and K9 Shiloh of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms and KCPD Detectives searched the wooded area and located/recovered the property previously described by **Williams** as belonging to him which included a gray, 9mm Jimenez firearm.

An examination at the Jackson County Medical Examiner's Office was conducted and revealed a single defect to the victim's head. An X-ray of the victim's body revealed her to be pregnant and have a bullet lodged at the base of her neck.

Printed Name Detective Mary Kincheloe #5063 Signature /s/ Det. Mary Kincheloe #5063

The Court finds probable cause and directs the issuance of a warrant this 7th day of December, 2022.

Ada Caine
Judge

Circuit Court of Jackson County, State of Missouri.