

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

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CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MO
BY <u>[Signature]</u> DCA

I, Detective Alexa Tarwater #5991, Kansas City, Missouri Police Department
(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 04/28/2025, at [Redacted] in
(Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Jeremiah WILLIAMSON
(County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M DOB: [Redacted] committed one or more criminal offense(s).
(Description of Identity)

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 04/28/2025 at approximately 1759 hours officers of the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department responded to the [Redacted] located at [Redacted] in regard to a shooting.

Upon arrival, officers located a male, later identified as [Redacted] who appeared to be suffering from apparent trauma just outside of the business. [Redacted] was transported to University Health Medical Center by the Kansas City, Missouri Fire Department but was later confirmed deceased at approximately 1818 hours on 04/28/2025.

Officers located a male at the entrance of the business, later identified as [Redacted] and determined [Redacted] was the individual who called 911 and told 911 call takers he shot [Redacted] while defending himself. [Redacted] was detained at approximately 1800 hours and transported to Kansas City, Missouri Police Headquarters 7th floor.

While clearing the interior of the business, officers located a second male wearing a green shirt, later identified as **Jeremiah WILLIAMSON (B/M 07/20/2006)**, who was pointed out by an employee of the business as being an involved party. At approximately 1800 hours WILLIAMSON was detained and he was then transported to Metro Patrol Detention located at 7601 Prospect Ave.

Detectives responded to [Redacted] to process the crime scene. While processing the scene signs of a disturbance were seen near the front entrance. Two firearms, black CZ-P10F 9mm & black modified Glock 20 Gen5 10 mm with an apparent switch and extended magazine, were located inside the business on the counter. Five 9mm shell casings were located inside on the floor of the business near the front door. Thirty-three 10mm live rounds were located in the same area.

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Detectives responded to Metro Patrol Detention on 04/28/2025 in an attempt to obtain a statement from WILLIAMSON. WILLIAMSON was checked out of detention and escorted to the interview room where he was read aloud his Miranda Warning. WILLIAMSON advised he understood his rights and agreed to speak to detectives. He advised [REDACTED] was the individual who attempted to steal [REDACTED] firearm from his pocket and while they were all three struggling over [REDACTED] firearm at the front of the store [REDACTED] was telling him to shoot [REDACTED]. He then told detectives he did not want to speak anymore.

On 04-28-2025, Detectives made contact with [REDACTED] at Police Headquarters in an attempt to obtain a statement in regard to the homicide investigation. [REDACTED] was read aloud his Miranda Warning and advised he understood his rights. [REDACTED] stated he was inside the store with his girlfriend and he was talking to the cashier after making a purchase when he observed the two (2) black males standing in the line to the left of him. [REDACTED] stated as the males walked past him, one of them grabbed the firearm (9mm pistol) he had in his left pants pocket. [REDACTED] advised he immediately attempted to secure his firearm as he began to physically struggle with the male. [REDACTED] stated both he and the male that grabbed his gun went to the ground by the entry/exit door as the second male suspect pulled a firearm from his waistband and began pointing it at him while he was on the ground fighting with the other male over his firearm. The suspect fighting with the him began to tell the other suspect with the gun to "hurry up and shoot him." [REDACTED] stated he was able to retain his firearm as they were all getting up from the ground and he discharged his firearm at the suspect that initially grabbed his gun. [REDACTED] stated the suspect fell to the ground outside the front door and the other suspect ran to the back of the business. After the shooting, [REDACTED] stated he retrieved the suspect's firearm that had been dropped and set it on the counter as he called 911 to report the incident. [REDACTED] stated he did not want to shoot anyone, but he was afraid for his own safety and the safety of his girlfriend as the incident was occurring.

Detectives were able to view surveillance footage from [REDACTED] which showed video consistent with [REDACTED] statement to detectives.

A computer check of WILLIAMSON's criminal history revealed him to not be a felon.

Due to the violent nature of this incident WILLIAMSON should be considered a danger to the public.

Printed Name Detective Alexa Tarwater #5991 Signature /s/ Detective Alexa Tarwater #5991

The Court finds probable cause and directs the issuance of a warrant this 29-Apr-2025 3:11 pm day of .

SIGNED BY JUDGE

*This is a redacted public document. The original
unredacted document bears the Judge's signature.*

Judge

Circuit Court of _____ County, State of Missouri.