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CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MO
BY *Kyndra J. Stockdale* DCA

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

Date: 5/14/2025

Report #: 2025-28266

I, Rogelio Garcia, a Detective with the Independence, Missouri, Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true.

1. I have probable cause to believe that on 5/13/2025, at 2355 hours, Jadon T Stumph, (Race- White, Sex- Male, committed one or more criminal offenses in Jackson County, Missouri.
2. The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 05/13/2025 at 2355 hours, Independence Police Officers were dispatched to an address in Independence, Jackson County, Missouri regarding a shooting which had just occurred.

Witness 1 called police emergency services and advised Victim had been shot and was laying on the driveway of her residence.

Upon arrival, police located Victim lying on the driveway with two apparent gunshot wounds to the left side of his torso. Medical personnel arrived, attempted life saving measures, and pronounced Victim deceased at 0018 hours on 05/14/2025.

Witness 1 and Involved 1 were contacted by police on scene. Witness 1 and Involved 1 agreed to respond to Independence Police Headquarters to provide a formal statement. While on scene, information was received Involved 2 was enroute to the address. Police located Involved 2 driving towards the address and a traffic stop was conducted. Involved 2 agreed to respond to Independence Police Headquarters to provide a formal statement.

On scene, 3 .40 caliber shell casings were located near where Victim was on the ground. No firearm was located at the scene.

Witness 1 was interviewed by Detective Vanhoecke and Witness 1 stated the following: Witness 1 and Victim had been sitting in Witness 1's vehicle. Witness 1 was in the driver's seat and Victim was in the passenger seat. Witness 1 received 3 phone calls from a blocked number, which she did not answer. Witness 1 believed the blocked calls were from Suspect. A short time later, a black vehicle with tinted windows pulled into her driveway in a quick manner. Due to Witness 1's vehicle being backed in the driveway; the two vehicles were front bumper to front bumper. Suspect exited the driver's door of the vehicle, walked towards Witness 1's door, and asked where Involved 2 was. Witness 1 told Suspect that Involved 2 was not there, multiple times. Suspect raised his shirt and showed his waistline. Witness 1 then began opening her door and Victim exited the vehicle. Victim walked around the front of the vehicle towards Suspect. Suspect asked Victim, what are you going to do about it? Victim told Suspect that Involved 2 was not there. At this point Victim and Suspect were face

to face. Witness 1 then heard gunshots. It should be noted that when Witness 1 mentioned the sound of shots, Witness 1 made 3 gunshot sounds. Witness 1 then ran to the back door of the residence and went inside. Witness 1 then went to the front window of the residence and observed Suspect standing near where Victim was lying. Witness 1 observed Suspect enter the vehicle and leave the area. Witness 1 further explained she knew Suspect due to him being Involved 2's significant other. Witness 1 had even taken steps to obtain an ex-parte against Suspect.

A photo lineup was completed with Witness 1 and Suspect was positively identified.

Involved 1 was interviewed by Detective Vanhoecke and Involved 1 stated the following: Involved 1 was inside the residence and had not witnessed the crime take place. Involved 1 was alerted to the crime when Witness 1 entered the residence and advised the incident had occurred.

Involved 2 was interviewed by Detective Garcia and Involved 2 stated the following: Involved 2 stated Suspect and her had been in a relationship which was "toxic" and had a history of domestic abuse. Involved 2 had sent Suspect a picture of her ready to go on a date with another male and advised Suspect she was going to enjoy herself. Involved 2 then began receiving multiple calls while on the date, which Involved 2 ignored most. Involved 2 answered one of the calls at approximately 1800 hours and was advised by the Suspect he was at her residence. Suspect then made threats of violence and Involved 2 no longer answered any of his calls. Involved 2 showed detectives her call history and text thread with Suspect, which confirmed her statement. Involved 2 was made aware of the crime by Witness 1. Involved 2 had not been in contact with Suspect since the crime. Suspect, however, had called Involved 2 multiple times and she had not answered.

Suspect is a convicted felon out of Missouri. Suspect shows a history of arrests for Robbery 1st Degree, Armed Criminal Action, Burglary 1st Degree, Counterfeiting, Tampering with a Motor Vehicle 1st Degree, Shoplifting, Unlawful Possession of Weapon, Resisting Arrest, and Assault.

Rogelio Garcia #1583

/S/ R. Garcia #1583

Print Name

Signature

THE COURT FINDS PROBABLE CAUSE:

14-May-2025

Date

Kyndin J. Stockdale

Judge