

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 06-05-2015

CRN: 14-078843

I, Detective Mark Spiegel #4856 (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 10-31-2014, at 6901 Bellefontaine in (Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Antonio M. Golston (County) (Name of Offender(s))

a black male, 02-18-1994, 5'11 / 205, bro/blk. committed one or more criminal offense(s). (Description of Identity)

Murder and Robbery.

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 10-31-2014 at 0430 hours, Officers with the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department were dispatched to 6901 Bellefontaine in regard to a suspicious car and occupant. Upon arrival, they located a gold Dodge Stratus parked in the street. The vehicle was running and the headlights were on. A black male victim was located in the driver's seat of the vehicle. The victim appeared to suffer from apparent gunshot wound and was deceased. The victim was identified as Dionte R. Greene, B/M, 03-01-92.

Further investigation showed the victim to be shot on the right side of his head which would indicate that the suspect was inside the vehicle with him. Detectives also recovered a spent shell casing, 400 Cor-Bon. The victim's cell phone was not found in the vehicle.

Information was obtained that at approximately 0130 hours, Patrol Officers in the area had heard a gunshot. They drove down Bellefontaine and observed the victim's car running in front of 6901 Bellefontaine. They were able to confirm that it was in the same location upon discovering the victim at 0430 hours.

Detectives contacted Greene's family who advised Greene had left their residence on 10-31-2014, at approximately 0020 hrs. At that time Greene left in the gold, Dodge Stratus and had his cell phone with him. The family reported his cell number to be, 816-447-1228. His family said he was going to meet a friend of his to get something to eat.

A friend of the victim's was contacted who stated prior to the homicide the victim had been contacting multiple individuals on Facebook in an attempt to meet them for sexual activities. On 10-30-2014 at approximately 2300 hours, the victim told him he was going to meet a party for a sexual encounter whom he had met online. He was to meet the party and the party's cousin at 2416 E. 70th, Kansas City, Missouri, which is approximately less than half a mile away for where the victim was found deceased. The friend was on the phone with the victim on 10-31-2014 from 0044 hours to 0105 hours, while the victim picked up the parties he was meeting. At one point the victim told the friend that the male he was picking up looked just like his Facebook photo and the

second male was "chubby". The victim also indicated that he was stopping at a store where the male went inside.

The victim's friend provided Detectives with screen shots of text messages from the victim's phone that he had been sent by the victim. The messages were between the victim and the males he was going to meet. The text messages were dated 10-31-2014 at 2137 hours and they were in reference to performing sexual acts. The phone number that the victim was corresponding with was 816-277-1823.

Detectives recovered video surveillance from the gas station located at 7033 Prospect. Detectives reviewed the video footage and observed the victim's vehicle enter the gas station parking lot. The front seat passenger, believed to be Travone Shaw exited the vehicle and walked into the gas station. The male walked to the ATM near the front door and used the ATM; however it appeared he did not withdraw any money.

The front seat passenger exited the gas station and entered the front passenger's seat of the victim's vehicle. The victim's vehicle exited the gas station and drove south bound on Prospect, and then east bound on Gregory at 0102 hours.

Detectives obtained Greene's phone records and found there were a total of 83 phone contacts either phone calls or text messages between Greene and the phone number 816-277-1823. These calls were between 10-30-2014 at 1802 hours through 10-31-2014 at 0055 hours. The last phone call Greene had was with his friend and it was on 10-31-2014 at 0044 hours and it lasted 1259 seconds (approximately 21 minutes).

Detectives obtained a court order for the phone number 816-277-1823. The subscriber was to "young tone" and Tracey Williams with the address of 9260 Blue Ridge, Kansas City, MO 64138. The account was activated 05-09-2009 and it was currently active. The cell phone number was searched and found to show on 03/2014 Antonio Golston, B/M, 02-18-1994 provided that number to Officers.

On 11-05-2014, Officers with the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department were tracking the phone 816-277-1823 and they observed Antonio Golston, B/M, 02-18-1994 leaving 2420 East 70<sup>th</sup> Street. They contacted Antonio Golston and he had the phone (816-277-1823) in his possession. Antonio was arrested on unrelated charges and his cell phone was located in his property.

I contacted Antonio Golston and advised him of his Miranda Rights. Golston waived his rights and agreed to talk with me. Golston stated that the cell phone 816-277-1823 was not his phone, but his cousins. He said he knew the victim and had met him on 10/29/2014 when the victim had wanted to buy some marijuana. He met the victim through his gay play cousin "Tra Jones". Antonio Golston denied having anything to do with the homicide. Antonio said he last saw the victim on 10-29-2014.

Detectives obtained a search warrant for the 816-277-1823 cell phone and upon looking through the data found that all the text messages between the victim's phone and this phone had been deleted. Detectives observed several photographs, commonly referred to as "selfies" of Antonio Golston holding guns. Upon further review of the phone, detectives found a contact that was listed as "Mom". Detectives determined who that number

belonged to and made contact with the female. The female advised that she is the mother of Antonio Golston and that she knew him to have the cell phone number 816-277-1823 for the last three years.

Also found on the cell phone, 816-277-1823 were text messages, on-line searches, email messages and ebay bids regarding barrels for .45 handguns. The ebay bids were placed under the name "tony85caprice" and that account was registered to Antonio Golston.

On 09-28-2014, there was a sent text message that stated "I got a 400 corbon last nite" and a purchase of a box of 20 count of 400 Cor-bon ammunition.

Detectives conducted research on .45 handguns. It was found that 400 Cor-bon barrel is a barrel that is fitted into the .45 cal handgun.

Several text messages were observed in the phone to a person who was listed as "Tra". This phone number 816-457-4584 was also found in the victim's cell phone records as having called the victim on 10-30-2014 at 0107 hours.

A search warrant was obtained for the victim's Facebook account. On 11-19-2014, Facebook emailed the requested information to the detectives. The detectives looked in the data and observed several messages between the victim and the user Tra da Gunner on 10-30-2014 and 10-31-2014. One of the posts said to contact him on 816-277-1823. Detectives were able to identify Travone Shaw to be "Tra da Gunner".

On 11-06-2014, Travone Shaw was arrested at 2420 East 70<sup>th</sup> Street on unrelated charges. I contacted Shaw and advised him of his Miranda Rights. Shaw waived his rights and agreed to talk with me. He said he did not know the victim and he said he had never been in or around the victim's vehicle. Shaw denied the cell phone number 816-457-4584 was his phone number and someone must have used his name for that cell phone account.

The victim's vehicle was processed and latent fingerprints were located on the exterior of the front passenger's door window. The latent fingerprints were found to match Travone Shaw.

It should be noted both Antonio Golston and Travone Shaw frequent the address, 2420 East 70<sup>th</sup> Street which is one house directly to the east of the address of the address, 2416 East 70<sup>th</sup> Street that was given to the victim, Dionte Greene.

Antonio Golston's cell phone, Travone Shaw's cell phone and the victim's cell phone all "pinged" off the same cell phone tower the night of the homicide.

On 05-22-2015, Travone Shaw was arrested on unrelated charges. I contacted Shaw and advised him of his Miranda Rights. Shaw waived his rights and agreed to talk with me. He said the night of the homicide, he was asleep and Tony (Antonio Golston) asked him to use his phone. He allowed Tony to use his phone and at one point Tony woke him up and said he was going to rob someone. Tony told him to sit in the front seat when the victim arrived. The victim arrived and he got into the front seat and Tony got into the rear passenger's seat and they drove off and went to the gas station. Travone went inside the gas station and withdrew \$60.00. They left

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and drove to a residence on Bellefontaine. When they pulled up, Travone exited the front passenger's seat and he observed Tony pull a black 45 handgun and pointed it at the victim. The victim and Tony wrestled and Tony shot the victim one time.

On 06-05-2015, Antonio Golston was arrested following a vehicle pursuit in regard to this homicide. Detectives contacted Golston and advised him of his Miranda Rights at which time he invoked his right and refused to talk with Detectives.

Printed Name Detective Mark Spiegel #4856 Signature *Res. Spiegel*

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

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Judge

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