

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 3/23/2015

CRN: 15-019562

I, Det. Bryan Jobe #4842 (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 3/22/15, at 905 E 25th St. in (Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Christopher Van Perkins (County) (Name of Offender(s))

b/m, 2/22/66, 5'4", 160lbs, s.s.# [redacted] committed one or more criminal offense(s). (Description of Identity)

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 3/22/15 at approximately 2031 hours, members of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department were dispatched to the area of 25th and Harrison, Jackson County, Kansas City, Missouri, in regard to an outside disturbance. Upon arrival, officers observed a four door blue over green Chevrolet Caprice wrecked into a pole on the southeast corner of the intersection facing eastbound. Officers observed an unconscious b/m lying in the street next to the driver's side of the wrecked vehicle with an apparent gunshot wound to his left side. Broken shards of glass were observed in the street in front of 901 E 25th St., Jackson County, Missouri. The victim, identified as Kelvin B. Paige, b/m, 11/1/61, was transported by EMS to an area hospital where he succumbed to his injuries. The death is being investigated as a homicide. The initial responding officer also observed the victim's nylon style sweat pants to have apparent tear marks on the back side of the sweat pants.

A witness at the scene was contacted, and described a verbal confrontation had taken place between the victim and the suspect in front of 901 E 25th St. on 3/22/15, shortly before the shooting occurred. The witness and victim, who were both unarmed, attempted to leave the area and entered the victim's vehicle, the Chevrolet Caprice. The victim was in the driver's seat, and the witness occupied the front right seat. After the victim and witness entered the victim's vehicle, the suspect responded to his vehicle, described by the witness as an older model silver pick-up truck, which was parked directly behind the victim's vehicle on the street at 901 E 25th St. The suspect then approached the victim's driver's side window and shot several times into the victim's vehicle. The witness fled from the vehicle, and observed the victim's vehicle travel eastbound on 25th St., and the suspect's vehicle also traveling eastbound behind the victim's vehicle. The witness, who had a prior relationship with the suspect, identified the suspect as Christopher Van Perkins, b/m, 2/22/66.

Perkins is listed in a KCMO PD report from October of 2014 as the driver of a 1999 gray Dodge R15.

Several witnesses who had driven through the area of 25th and Harrison westbound in a vehicle, were contacted at the scene. Several occupants within the vehicle described seeing a b/m lying in the street next to a wrecked vehicle into a pole, and an unknown b/m associated with a Dodge pick-up, which was stopped in the street facing eastbound near the b/m lying on the ground. The unknown b/m was described by the witnesses as apparently pulling on the feet or ankles of the b/m lying in the street. The witnesses' perception was that the unknown b/m

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was attempting to pull the b/m lying in the street to his pick-up, as the tailgate of the Dodge pick-up was observed down.

Printed Name Bryan Jobe

Signature



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

Judge

Circuit Court of _____ County, State of Missouri.