

Charleston Police Department

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

Affidavit

Personally appear before me, a magistrate of this county one, Det J. Belko who first being duly sworn deposed and says that, Casey Lee Combs did within this county and state on the February 17, 2024 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particular:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE

Assault and Battery of a High and Aggravated Nature 16-3-600 (B)

NCIC INITIALS

OFFICER INITIALS

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The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named did commit the crime set forth and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on February 17, 2024 at approximately 3:49 AM, while at [redacted] which is located within the City and County of Charleston, SC, the defendant, Case Lee Combs, did knowingly, willingly, and unlawfully violate SC State Statute 16-3-600 (B), Assault and Battery of a High and Aggravated Nature, in the following manner:

On February 17, 2024 at approximately 7:36 AM, City of Charleston Police Officers responded to MUSC Hospital (171 Ashley Ave) in reference to a past physical assault altercation that occurred at [redacted]. Upon arrival, Detectives and Officers observed [redacted] (victim 1) to have a severe laceration of his upper lip which extended from the outside of his mouth to the inside of his mouth. Mr. [redacted] was still receiving medical care, but it was believed the injury would require sutures.

Mr. [redacted] reported that after spending the night with [redacted] (victim 2/witness), on 02/17/2024 shortly after 2:00 am, he arrived at her residence ([redacted]). During the early morning hours, Mr. [redacted] heard knocking/banging on a door in Ms. [redacted] bedroom which led to the yard. Mr. [redacted] answered the door, and a bald white male (defendant) immediately struck him in the mouth with a handgun. The defendant then continued into the dwelling, with a black in color handgun in his right hand, towards Ms. [redacted] who was lying in bed. While passing by Mr. [redacted] the defendant told Mr. [redacted] that Ms. [redacted] was his girlfriend. The defendant then put the firearm to Ms. [redacted] head and continued pressing it against her head while calling her a "whore." At this point, Mr. [redacted] retreated to the backyard of the residence and eventually watched the defendant exit the residence and leave down the street on a "longboard." Ms. [redacted] told Mr. [redacted] that the person who assaulted him was her boyfriend and provided Mr. [redacted] with an article containing an image of the defendant which he positively identified as the person who assaulted him.

Detectives interviewed [redacted] who provided a statement that corroborated the elements of the incident described by Mr. [redacted]. Ms. [redacted] identified the defendant as her on and off boyfriend named Casey Combs. Ms. [redacted] had known the defendant for approximately 1 1/2 years and described him as a bald white male approximately 42 years of age and 5'7" in height who lives at 1136 Landsdowne Dr. Ms. [redacted] confirmed that the defendant does not and has never had residency in her residence. \*\*\*Continued on the Next Page\*\*\*

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COMPLAINT # 24-02593

WARRANT # K-740926

INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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A search of law enforcement databases returned with a Casey Lee Combs, who resides at the aforementioned address. Ms. [REDACTED] was presented with a single photograph of the Casey Lee Combs' CPD RMS photograph, and she positively identified him as the defendant.

Ms. [REDACTED] presented Detectives with text message communications between her and a contact on her phone saved as "Kase" phone #: [REDACTED], Timestamped 02/17/2024 at 3:49 am, a message was sent to Ms. [REDACTED] saying "Kinda funny lol. Your boy got knocked the fuck out in your backyard LOL YOU CHEATING CUNT I BUSTED YOU BITCH."

Detectives obtained surveillance recordings from a residence between [REDACTED] and Fort Johnson Rd timestamped (02/17/2024 at 5:31 am) of an individual with a consistent build to the defendant leaving the area on a longboard.

Due to the aforementioned facts and circumstances, it is probable that the defendant caused injury to Mr. [REDACTED] by striking him in the face with a firearm which could have resulted in death or great bodily injury. Therefore, sufficient probable cause exists to charge the defendant with SC Code of Law, 16-3-600 (B), Assault and Battery of a High and Aggravated Nature

The above is true and believable based on Mr. [REDACTED] and Ms. [REDACTED] statements, manifestations of injuries, surveillance recordings, and the investigation and observations of the Charleston Police Department.

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THIS 17 DAY OF February 2024

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AFFIANT  
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Charleston, SC 29403  
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COMPLAINT # 24-02593

WARRANT # *16-440926*

INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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Personally appear before me, a magistrate of this county one, *Det. J. Belko* who first being duly sworn deposed and says that, Casey Lee Combs, did within this county and state on the February 17, 2024 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particular:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE  
**Assault and Battery 1<sup>st</sup> Degree  
16-3-600 (C)(1)**

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The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named did commit the crime set forth and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on February 17, 2024 at approximately 3:49 AM, while at [redacted] which is located within the City and County of Charleston, SC, the defendant, Case Lee Combs, did knowingly, willingly, and unlawfully violate SC State Statute 16-3-600 (C)(1), Assault and Battery 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, in the following manner:

On February 17, 2024 at approximately 7:36 AM, City of Charleston Police Officers responded to MUSC Hospital (171 Ashley Ave) in reference to a past physical assault altercation that occurred at [redacted]. Upon arrival, Detectives and Officers observed [redacted] (witness/victim 2) to have a severe laceration of his upper lip which extended from the outside of his mouth to the inside of his mouth. Mr. [redacted] was still receiving medical care, but it was believed the injury would require sutures.

Mr. [redacted] reported that after spending the night with [redacted] (victim 1), on 02/17/2024 shortly after 2:00 am, he arrived at her residence ([redacted]). During the early morning hours, Mr. [redacted] heard knocking/banging on a door in Ms. [redacted] bedroom which led to the yard. Mr. [redacted] answered the door, and a bald white male (defendant) immediately struck him in the mouth with a handgun. The defendant then continued into the dwelling, with a black in color handgun in his right hand, towards Ms. [redacted] who was lying in bed. While passing by Mr. [redacted], the defendant told Mr. [redacted] that Ms. [redacted] was his girlfriend. The defendant then put the firearm to Ms. [redacted] head and continued pressing it against her head while calling her a "whore." At this point, Mr. [redacted] retreated to the backyard of the residence and eventually watched the defendant exit the residence and leave down the street on a "longboard." Ms. [redacted] told Mr. [redacted] that the person who assaulted him was her boyfriend and provided Mr. [redacted] with an article containing an image of the defendant which he positively identified as the person who assaulted him.

Detectives interviewed [redacted] who provided a statement that corroborated the elements of the incident described by Mr. [redacted]. Ms. [redacted] identified the defendant as her on and off boyfriend named Casey Combs. Ms. [redacted] had known the defendant for approximately 1 1/2 years and described him as a bald white male approximately 42 years of age and 5'7" in height who lives at 1136 Landsdowne Dr. Ms. [redacted] confirmed that the defendant does not and has never had residency in her residence.

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Charleston, SC 29403  
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COMPLAINT # 24-02593  
WARRANT # *K-740925*  
INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

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A search of law enforcement databases returned with a Casey Lee Combs ( ) who resides at the aforementioned address. Ms. [redacted] was presented with a single photograph of Casey Lee Combs' CPD RMS photograph, and she positively identified him as the defendant.

Ms. [redacted] presented Detectives with text message communications between her and a contact on her phone saved as "Kase" phone #: [redacted]. Timestamped 02/17/2024 at 3:49 am, a message was sent to Ms. [redacted] saying "Kinda funny lol. Your boy got knocked the fuck out in your backyard LOL YOU CHEATING CUNT I BUSTED YOU BITCH."

Detectives obtained surveillance recordings from a residence between [redacted] and Fort Johnson Rd timestamped (02/17/2024 at 5:31 am) of an individual with a consistent build to the defendant leaving the area on a longboard.

Due to the aforementioned facts and circumstances, it is probable that the defendant entered the dwelling during the night hours and offered to cause Ms. [redacted] physical harm when he pointed a firearm at her head. The defendant presented the firearm with the apparent present ability under circumstances reasonably creating fear of imminent peril. The defendant's pointing of a firearm at Ms. [redacted] after already assaulting Mr. [redacted] during the commission of a burglary could have caused Ms. [redacted] great bodily injury or death. Therefore, sufficient probable cause exists to charge the defendant with SC Code of Law, 16-3-600 (C)(1), Assault and Battery 1st Degree.

The above is true and believable based on Mr. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] statements, manifestations of injuries, surveillance recordings, and the investigation and observations of the Charleston Police Department.

NCIC INITIALS [initials]

[initials] OFFICER INITIALS

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COMPLAINT # 24-02593  
WARRANT # 16-740925  
INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez



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Personally appear before me, a magistrate of this county one, Det. J. Becko who first being duly sworn deposed and says that, Casey Lee Combs, did within this county and state on the February 17, 2024 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particular:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE

Burglary 1st Degree
16-11-311

NCIC INITIALS

OFFICER INITIALS

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The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named did commit the crime set forth and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on February 17, 2024 at approximately 3:49 AM, while at [redacted] which is located within the City and County of Charleston, SC, the defendant, Case Lee Combs, did knowingly, willingly, and unlawfully violate SC State Statute 16-11-311, Burglary 1st Degree, in the following manner:

On February 17, 2024 at approximately 7:36 AM, City of Charleston Police Officers responded to MUSC Hospital (171 Ashley Ave) in reference to a past physical assault altercation that occurred at [redacted] Upon arrival, Detectives and Officers observed [redacted] (witness) to have a severe laceration of his upper lip which extended from the outside of his mouth to the inside of his mouth. Mr. [redacted] was still receiving medical care, but it was believed the injury would require sutures.

Mr. [redacted] reported that after spending the night with [redacted] (victim), on 02/17/2024 shortly after 2:00 am, he arrived at her residence ([redacted]). During the early morning hours, Mr. [redacted] heard knocking/banging on a door in Ms. [redacted] bedroom which led to the yard. Mr. [redacted] answered the door, and a bald white male (defendant) immediately struck him in the mouth with a handgun. The defendant then continued into the dwelling, with a black in color handgun in his right hand, towards Ms. [redacted] who was lying in bed. While passing by Mr. [redacted] the defendant told Mr. [redacted] that Ms. [redacted] was his girlfriend. The defendant then put the firearm to Ms. [redacted] head and continued pressing it against her head while calling her a "whore." At this point, Mr. [redacted] retreated to the backyard of the residence and eventually watched the defendant exit the residence and leave down the street on a "longboard." Ms. [redacted] told Mr. [redacted] that the person who assaulted him was her boyfriend and provided Mr. [redacted] with an article containing an image of the defendant which he positively identified as the person who assaulted him.

Detectives interviewed [redacted] who provided a statement that corroborated the elements of the incident described by Mr. [redacted]. Ms. [redacted] identified the defendant as her on and off boyfriend named Casey Combs. Ms. [redacted] had known the defendant for approximately 1 1/2 years and described him as a bald white male approximately 42 years of age and 5'7" in height who lives at 1136 Landsdowne Dr. Ms. [redacted] confirmed that the defendant does not and has never had residency in her residence.

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COMPLAINT # 24-02593

WARRANT # K-740924

INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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Ms. [REDACTED] presented Detectives with text message communications between her and a contact on her phone saved as "Kase" phone # [REDACTED]. Timestamped 02/17/2024 at 3:49 am, a message was sent to Ms. [REDACTED] saying "Kinda funny lol. Your boy got knocked the fuck out in your backyard LOL YOU CHEATING CUNT I BUSTED YOU BITCH."

Detectives obtained surveillance recordings from a residence between [REDACTED] and Fort Johnson Rd timestamped (02/17/2024 at 5:31 am) of an individual with a consistent build to the defendant leaving the area on a longboard.

Due to the aforementioned facts and circumstances, it is probable that the defendant entered the dwelling and committed an assault and battery high and aggravated in nature, as well as, an assault 1st degree. While making forced entry into the dwelling during night hours, the defendant was armed with a deadly weapon (firearm) which was used to assault and physically injure Mr. [REDACTED] and threaten Ms. [REDACTED]. Therefore, sufficient probable cause exists to charge the defendant with SC Code of Law, 16-11-311, Burglary 1st Degree.

The above is true and believable based on Mr. [REDACTED] and Ms. [REDACTED] statements, manifestations of injuries, surveillance recordings, and the investigation and observations of the Charleston Police Department.

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WARRANT # K-740924

INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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Personally appear before me, a magistrate of this county one, Det. J. Belko who first being duly sworn deposed and says that, Casey Lee Combs, did within this county and state on the February 17, 2024 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particular:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE

NCIC INITIALS

Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Violent Crime 16-23-490

OFFICER INITIALS

FEB 17 10:07

The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named did commit the crime set forth and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on February 17, 2024 at approximately 3:49 AM, while at [redacted], which is located within the City and County of Charleston, SC, the defendant, Case Lee Combs, did knowingly, willingly, and unlawfully violate SC State Statute 16-23-490, Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Violent Crime, in the following manner:

On February 17, 2024 at approximately 7:36 AM, City of Charleston Police Officers responded to MUSC Hospital (171 Ashley Ave) in reference to a past physical assault altercation that occurred at [redacted]. Upon arrival, Detectives and Officers observed [redacted] (victim 1) to have a severe laceration of his upper lip which extended from the outside of his mouth to the inside of his mouth. Mr. [redacted] was still receiving medical care, but it was believed the injury would require sutures.

Mr. [redacted] reported that after spending the night with [redacted] (victim 2/witness), on 02/17/2024 shortly after 2:00 am, he arrived at her residence ([redacted]). During the early morning hours, Mr. [redacted] heard knocking/banging on a door in Ms. [redacted] bedroom which led to the yard. Mr. [redacted] answered the door, and a bald white male (defendant) immediately struck him in the mouth with a handgun. The defendant then continued into the dwelling, with a black in color handgun in his right hand, towards Ms. [redacted] who was lying in bed. While passing by Mr. [redacted] the defendant told Mr. [redacted] that Ms. [redacted] was his girlfriend. The defendant then put the firearm to Ms. [redacted] head and continued pressing it against her head while calling her a "whore." At this point, Mr. [redacted] retreated to the backyard of the residence and eventually watched the defendant exit the residence and leave down the street on a "longboard." Ms. [redacted] told Mr. [redacted] that the person who assaulted him was her boyfriend and provided Mr. [redacted] with an article containing an image of the defendant which he positively identified as the person who assaulted him.

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Detectives obtained surveillance recordings from a residence between [redacted] and Fort Johnson Rd timestamped (02/17/2024 at 5:31 am) of an individual with a consistent build to the defendant leaving the area on a longboard.

Based on the aforementioned facts and circumstances, sufficient probable cause exists to show the defendant did commit the offense of Possession of a Firearm During Commission of a Violent Crime, 16-23-490. The defendant was in possession of a handgun during the incident and was subsequently charged with SC Code of Law, 16-3-600 (B), Assault and Battery of a High and Aggravated Nature and 16-11-311, Burglary 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, which are both violent crimes as defined by the SC violent crime statute 16-1-60.

The above is true and believable based on Mr. [redacted] and Ms. [redacted] statements, manifestations of injuries, surveillance recordings, and the investigation and observations of the Charleston Police Department.

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WARRANT # K-740923  
INVESTIGATING OFFICER: Det. N. Perez

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