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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
Feb. 16, 2021

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ORANGEBURG COUNTY WOMAN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER

Agents of the S.C. Law Enforcement Division today arrested a woman in connection with a May 28, 2020 incident where she struck two people with her vehicle.

Ashley Charena Modest Williams, 23, was charged with two counts of Attempted Murder, along with Hit and Run.

The request for the SLED investigation was made by the Orangeburg County Sheriff's Office.

Williams was booked at the Orangeburg County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 1st Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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Warrants attached

ARREST WARRANT

2021A3810700127

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg

31-20-0066

Ashley Charena Modest Williams

Address: Orangeburg, SC 29115- Phone: [redacted] SSN: [redacted] Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 4 Weight: 126 DL State: SC DL #: [redacted] DOB: [redacted] Agency ORI #: SCLED0000 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division Prosecuting Officer: David H Owen, III - S00390 Offense: Assault / Attempted Murder

Offense Code: 3410 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0029

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg

The accused is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Ashley Williams on 2-16-21

Signature of Returnable Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 151 Docket Street P. O. Box 9000 Orangeburg, SC 29116

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg

Personally appeared before me the affiant David H Owen, III

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Ashley Charena Modest Williams did within this county and state on or about 5/18/2020 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Attempted Murder

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on May 18, 2020, while in the area of Orangeburg, in the County and State aforesaid, the above named defendant, ASHLEY CHARENA MODEST WILLIAMS, did commit the offense of violation section 16-3-29, of the South Carolina State Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, ATTEMPTED MURDER, in that she did willfully, unlawfully, feloniously, and with malice aforethought, attempt to kill victim [redacted] to wit: the defendant, while operating her vehicle, did strike the victim. The victim did sustain an injury that required medical attention. The above information was revealed through the investigation of SS/A Barfield and SS/A Owen, and they, along with witnesses' statements, are witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Signature of Affiant

David Owen

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg

Affiant's Address 104 Simmons Street

Walterboro, SC 29488-

Affiant's Telephone (843)782-3822

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 5/18/2020 defendant Ashley Charena Modest Williams did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Orangeburg County/ Municipality of Orangeburg) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Attempted Murder

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 2/8/2021

Signature of Issuing Judge (L.S.)

Dennis Gary Doremus II

Judge Code: 7436

Judge's Address Post Office Box 9000

Orangeburg, SC 29116-

Judge's Telephone (803)247-2011

Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [] Municipal [] Circuit

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Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003 SCCA 518

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2021A3810700128

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Orangeburg

THE STATE 31-20-0066

against

Ashley Charena Modest Williams

Address:

Orangeburg, SC 29115-

Phone:

Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 4 Weight: 126

DL State:

SC DL #: 1997 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

DOB:

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer:

David H Owen, III - S00390

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Assault / Attempted Murder

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Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0029

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Address:

Orangeburg, SC 29115-

Phone:

SSN:

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Race: B

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DL #: 1997

Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: David H Owen, III - S00390

Offense: Traffic / Hit and run, duties of driver involved in accident with minor personal injury

Offense Code: 2461

Code/Ordinance Sec: 56-05-1210(A)(1)

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Signature of Judge

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That on May 18, 2020, while in the area of Orangeburg, in the County and State aforesaid, the above named defendant, ASHELY CHARENA.MODEST WILLIAMS, did commit the offense of violation section 56-5-1210, of the South Carolina State Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT RESULTING IN PERSONAL INJURY, in that she did willfully and unlawfully leave the scene of an accident in which, while operating her vehicle, she did strike victim [redacted] while [redacted] was holding juvenile victim, and then left the scene without stopping to render any aid or contacting law enforcement to report the incident. Both victims did sustain injuries that required medical attention. The above information was revealed through the investigation of SS/A Barfield and SS/A Owen, and they, along with witnesses' statements, are witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

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