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SUSPECT INVOLVED IN CHARLESTON COUNTY OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER

Agents from the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division arrested a man Tuesday in connection to a confrontation that occurred April 24 with deputies from the Charleston County Sheriff's Office during the serving of an arrest warrant.

Joseph Jackson, 72, was charged with attempted murder and possession of a firearm during the commission of a violent crime.

Jackson is accused of shooting at deputies who went to his residence to serve him an arrest warrant for failure to register as a convicted sex offender. Law enforcement returned fire disabling Jackson. One deputy sustained an injury to his arm and was subsequently treated at the scene. Jackson was transported to a hospital for treatment for his injury.

SLED's investigation into the incident remains active. Information gathered in the SLED investigation of the incident will be summarized in a case file report to be submitted to prosecutors.

This is an ongoing investigation. No other information about the case will be disclosed by SLED at this time.

Jackson was booked at the Charleston County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 9th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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Warrants attached

ARREST WARRANT

2021A1011400009

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston

THE STATE
against

Joseph Jackson

Address:

[Redacted Address]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 11 Weight: 160

DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted] SSN: [Redacted]

DOB: [Redacted] Agency ORI #: SCELED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Officer Albayalde - 03340

Offense: Assault / Attempted Murder

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

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
County/ Municipality of Charleston
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law. The accused

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant JOSEPH JACKSON on 5/4/21 at 2:30

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
Charleston County Judicial Center
100 Broad Street, Suite 106
Charleston, SC 29401

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston

Personally appeared before me the affiant
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant
did within this county and state on or about 4/24/2021
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of
in the following particulars: Charleston

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:
SEE ATTACHED AFFIDAVIT

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone

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 4/24/2021 defendant Joseph Jackson
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
County/ Municipality of Charleston) 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 5/4/2021

Signature of Issuing Judge
Joanna Elizabeth Shimmey
Judge Code: 7259

Judge's Address: 6185 Rivers Avenue, Ste E
North Charleston, SC 29406-
Judge's Telephone: (843)553-4003
Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [] Municipal [] Circuit

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**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON**

AFFIDAVIT

SLED CASE# 31-21-0046

Personally appeared before me, a Magistrate of Charleston County, one **SENIOR SPECIAL AGENT JOMAR ALBAYALDE (SLED)** who first being duly sworn, deposes and says that

Joseph Jackson, DOB: [REDACTED] 1948

Did within this County and State on or about April 24, 2021, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE
ATTEMPTED MURDER
VIOLATION OF SECTION 16-3-29**

The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based upon the following facts:

That on or around April 24, 2021, while at 8462 Old Georgetown Road, McClellanville, SC 29458, located in the County of Charleston, State of South Carolina, one Joseph Jackson, did commit the offense of **ATTEMPTED MURDER**, in violation of section 16-3-29 of the South Carolina Code of Laws of 1976, as amended.

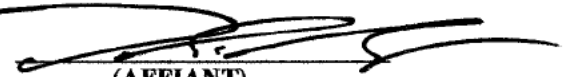
On April 24, 2021, at approximately 11:00 am, deputies of the Charleston County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) went to the aforementioned residence of defendant Jackson in reference to an outstanding CCSO arrest warrant for Failure to Register as a Convicted Sex Offender 2nd (Warrant# 2020-A1010900135). As the deputies attempted to initiate a dialogue with the defendant at the front of his home, the defendant went inside to retrieve a long gun, verbally demanded the deputies to leave his property, and discharged his weapon in the direction of the deputies who ran away to seek cover. After the deputies established a perimeter on Old Georgetown Road and requested assistance, additional CCSO deputies and SC Department of Natural Resource (DNR) conservation officers arrived on scene. Deputies continued to negotiate with the defendant, via a PA system (public address system, loudspeaker) until CCSO negotiators and the SWAT Team arrived on scene. At some point during the negotiation process, the defendant, having additional long guns in his possession, went to the backdoor area of his home. He then proceeded to discharge his weapons at a deputy and DNR officer, who were part of the rear security perimeter in the wood line area. The officers returned fire and struck the defendant. The deputy sustained an injury to his arm and was subsequently treated at the scene. The defendant did not vacate the interior of his home, until the SWAT Team located him on the floor of the living room and rendered medical aid. The defendant was taken into custody and transported to the Medical University of SC for additional emergency medical treatment.

The above information is true and accurate, and was obtained through witness statements and the investigation of **Senior Special Agents Jomar Albayalde and Ryan Kelly** of the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This 4th day of May
2021.



SIGNATURE OF JUDGE


(AFFIANT)
SS/A JOMAR ALBAYALDE
104 Simmons Street
Walterboro, SC 29488
(803) 542-3938

ARREST WARRANT

2021A1011400008

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston

THE STATE against

Joseph Jackson

Address:



Phone: SSN:
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 11 Weight: 160
DL State: SC DL #:
DOB: 1948 Agency ORI #: SCLD00000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Officer Albavalle - 0340

Offense: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death
Offense Code: 0549

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-23-0490

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

Charleston

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

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Joseph Jackson on 5.4.21 21:30

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
Charleston County Judicial Center
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Charleston, SC 29401

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston
Personally appeared before me the affiant Officer Albavalle being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Joseph Jackson did within this county and state on or about 4/24/2021 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Charleston) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death

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:

SEE ATTACHED AFFIDAVIT

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County/ Municipality of

Charleston

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone

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 4/24/2021 defendant Joseph Jackson did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Charleston) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death

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 5/4/2021

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Banita Elizabeth Summey

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Issuing Court: Magistrate

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

AFFIDAVIT

SLED CASE# 31-21-0046

Personally appeared before me, a Magistrate of Charleston County, one SENIOR SPECIAL AGENT JOMAR ALBAYALDE (SLED) who first being duly sworn, deposes and says that

Joseph Jackson, DOB: [REDACTED] 1948

Did within this County and State on or about April 24, 2021, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE
POSSESSION OF A FIREARM DURING THE COMMISSION OF A VIOLENT CRIME
VIOLATION OF SECTION 16-23-490

The affiant states there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based upon the following facts:

That on or around April 24, 2021, while at 8462 Old Georgetown Road, McClellanville, SC 29458, located in the County of Charleston, State of South Carolina, one Joseph Jackson, did commit the offense of **POSSESSION OF A FIREARM DURING THE COMMISSION OF A VIOLENT CRIME** in violation of section 16-23-490 of the South Carolina Code of Laws of 1976, as amended.


On April 24, 2021, at approximately 11:00 am, deputies of the Charleston County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) went to the aforementioned residence of defendant Jackson in reference to an outstanding CCSO arrest warrant for Failure to Register as a Convicted Sex Offender 2nd (Warrant# 2020-A1010900135). As the deputies attempted to initiate a dialogue with the defendant at the front of his home, the defendant went inside to retrieve a long gun, verbally demanded the deputies to leave his property, and discharged his weapon in the direction of the deputies who ran away to seek cover. After the deputies established a perimeter on Old Georgetown Road and requested assistance, additional CCSO deputies and SC Department of Natural Resource (DNR) conservation officers arrived on scene. Deputies continued to negotiate with the defendant, via a PA system (public address system, loudspeaker) until CCSO negotiators and the SWAT Team arrived on scene. At some point during the negotiation process, the defendant, having additional long guns in his possession, went to the backdoor area of his home. He then proceeded to discharge his weapons at a deputy and DNR officer, who were part of the rear security perimeter in the wood line area. The officers returned fire and struck the defendant. The deputy sustained an injury to his arm and was subsequently treated at the scene. The defendant did not vacate the interior of his home, until the SWAT Team located him on the floor of the living room and rendered medical aid. The defendant was taken into custody and transported to the Medical University of SC for additional emergency medical treatment.

The following long guns were subsequently located inside the defendant's home: One bolt-action (unknown make at this time) 30-60 rifle, one Benelli 12 gauge shotgun, and one Ruger .45-70 rifle.

The above information is true and accurate, and was obtained through witness statements and the investigation of Senior Special Agents Jomar Albayalde and Ryan Kelly of the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This 4th day of May
2021.


SIGNATURE OF JUDGE


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