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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
May 5, 2021

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LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER CHARGED WITH ASSAULT AND BATTERY, MISCONDUCT

Agents of the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division Wednesday arrested a City of Belton police officer in connection with inappropriately touching an individual on numerous occasions between Oct. 1, 2019, and July 31, 2020.

Derrall Blake Foster, 33, was charged with second-degree assault and battery, along with misconduct in office.

The request for the SLED investigation was made by the City of Belton Police Department.

Foster was booked at the Anderson County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the Attorney General's Office.

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Warrants Attached
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ARREST WARRANT

2021A0410100500

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Anderson

THE STATE 34-20-0150

Derrall Blake Foster, III

Address:

Phone: [Redacted]

Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 6 Weight: 245

DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted]

DOB: [Redacted] Agency ORI #: SCLD0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Michelle Q Rice-Johnson - S01081

Offense: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misteasance, or nonfeasance

Offense Code: 0819

Code/Ordinance Sec: 17-25-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

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

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Derrall Blake Foster on May 5th 2021

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 100 South Main Street Po Box 8002 Anderson, SC 29622

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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Personally appeared before me the affiant Michelle Q Rice-Johnson

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Derrall Blake Foster, III

did within this county and state on or about 10/1/2019

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Anderson) violate the criminal laws of the in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misteasance, or nonfeasance

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 October 1, 2019 through July 31, 2020, in the county of Anderson, one Derrall Blake Foster III did commit the crime of Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misteasance, or nonfeasance in that he did willfully and dishonestly fail to properly and faithfully discharge the duties of his position imposed upon him by law; to wit, committing acts of nonconsensual touching of the private parts of the victim, after being told to stop. He did on numerous occasions slap the victim's butt, put his hands on her breast, and engaged in inappropriate text messages with the victim. Foster committed these acts while on duty. The incidents took place in the city of Belton.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

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

Affiant's Telephone

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

on or about 10/1/2019 It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of Anderson) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misteasance, or nonfeasance

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 5/5/2021

Signature of Issuing Judge

Sammuel Matthew Lillis (Magistrate) Judge Code: 7222

Judge's Address 2404 N. Main St Anderson, SC 29621-

Judge's Telephone (864)260-4156

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Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0600(D)(1)

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