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SUSPECT INVOLVED IN AIKEN COUNTY OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING INCIDENT CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER

Agents from the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division arrested a man Tuesday in connection to the May 25 confrontation in which gunfire was exchanged with deputies from the Aiken County Sheriff's Office (ACSO).

Deputies were responding to a disturbance call when they encountered the armed man. During the incident, the suspect discharged a firearm toward law enforcement.

Chaney Asad Jones, 20, was charged with attempted murder along with pointing and presenting firearms at a person.

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. As such, no other information about the case will be disclosed by SLED at this time. SLED will defer to the Aiken County Sheriff's Office for any information about their deputies.

Jones was booked at the Aiken County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 2nd Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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Warrants Attached
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ARREST WARRANT

2021A0210700229

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 County/ Municipality of

Aiken

THE STATE
against

Chaney Asad Jones

Address:

Phone:

Sex: M Race: SC DL #: [redacted] Height: 5 6 Weight: 150

DOB: [redacted] 2001 Agency ORI #: SCLIED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: James C Busbee - S00195

Offense: Assault / Attempted Murder

Offense Code: 3410

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0029

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

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 on 5/25/2021 Chaney Asad Jones

Signature of Constabular Law Enforcement Officer

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RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
P O Box 583
109 Park Avenue
Aiken, SC 29802

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

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Personally appeared before me the affiant James C Busbee

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Chaney Asad Jones

did within this county and state on or about 5/25/2021

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of

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:

Upon information and belief on May 25, 2021, the defendant, Chaney Asad Jones, did with malice aforethought did attempt to kill Aiken County Sheriff's Office [redacted] white at 4002 Columbia Hwy. North, Aiken County, South Carolina. The defendant called 911 and reported a man with a gun and when deputies arrived he pointed a gun at [redacted] and fired one round. This incident was captured on [redacted] body worn camera. There was one shell casing in Jones' gun that was recovered that failed to eject, and Jones later confessed to shooting at [redacted] This being in Violation of Section 16-3-29 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

Signature of Affiant

SC Busbee

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Aiken

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Affiant's Telephone Columbia, SC 29221-

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 5/25/2021 defendant Chaney Asad Jones

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Aiken) 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 5/28/2021

Signature of Issuing Judge

(L.S.)

Patricia Yvonne Arthur Rushon

Judge Code: 7372

Judge's Address

Langley, SC 29834-

Judge's Telephone (803)593-5171

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

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ARREST WARRANT

2021A0210700218

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Aiken

THE STATE 32-21-0079

against

Chaney Asad Jones

Address:

Phone: SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: DL #: Height: 5 6 Weight: 150

DL State: SC Agency ORI #: SCLIED0000

DOB: 2001 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: James C Busbee - S00195

Offense: Weapons / Pointing and presenting firearms at a

person

Offense Code 0122

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-23-0410

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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Weapons / Pointing and presenting firearms at a person

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:

Upon information and belief that on May 25, 2021, the defendant, Chaney Asad Jones did assume a shooting stance and did point

and present a Glock .44 at deputies after being instructed to drop the weapon. This incident occurring in Aiken County, SC and

being in violation of 16-23-0410 South Carolina Code of Laws as amended.

Signature of Affiant

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Affiant's Telephone Columbia, SC 29221-

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

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