



## South Carolina Law Enforcement Division

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Columbia, South Carolina  
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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**  
August 9, 2022

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(803) 260-3020  
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### **SLED CHARGES CHEROKEE COUNTY PARENTS AND SON IN DEATH OF CHILD, SON ALSO FACING ILL TREATMENT OF ANIMALS CHARGES**

Agents from the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) arrested the following individuals from Gaffney, S.C. on Monday, August 8, 2022:

- Edward Vincent Baynard, 20 - Murder, Child Abuse, Unlawful Neglect of a Child or Helpless Person by a Legal Custodian, 3 counts of Ill Treatment of Animals
- David Eugene Baynard, 53 - Child Abuse, Unlawful neglect of a Child or Helpless Person by a Legal Custodian
- Bobbie Jo Baynard, 42 - Child Abuse, Unlawful neglect of a Child or Helpless Person by a Legal Custodian

Details from the investigation are in the attached warrants.

Edward, David and Bobbie Jo Baynard were booked at the Cherokee County Detention Center.

David and Bobbie Jo Baynard are facing related charges issued in April 2022 from the Cherokee County Sheriff's Office.

The case will be prosecuted by 7<sup>th</sup> Circuit Solicitor's Office.

###



*An Accredited Law Enforcement Agency*



2022A1110101006

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE  
against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address: [Redacted]  
Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone: [Redacted] SSN: [Redacted]  
Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145  
DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted]  
DOB: [Redacted] 2002 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division  
Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678  
Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general,  
torture

Offense Code: 2804  
Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

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

The accused  
is 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 Edward Baynard  
on 2/8/2022

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions  
125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd  
Gaffney, SC 29342

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County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

Personally appeared before me the affiant Millie A Agrawal who  
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Edward Vincent Baynard  
did within this county and state on or about 4/11/2022 violate the criminal laws of the  
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of  County/  Municipality of Cherokee)  
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

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:

On or about April 11, 2022 to May 2, 2022 Edward Vincent Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected the  
numerous animals in his care. During a search warrant of his home and property, one dog was found deceased, and all other animals  
were severely malnourished, dehydrated, and infested with fleas and worms. Additionally, two more puppies were deemed beyond  
saving by a veterinarian and had to be euthanized. The three animal deaths were a direct result of the long-term neglect they  
experienced under the care of Edward Baynard. Probable cause is based on the condition of animals as assessed by a veterinarian  
and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

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Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

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 4/11/2022 defendant Edward Vincent Baynard

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of  
 County/  Municipality of Cherokee) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

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 8/8/2022

Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court  
Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court:  Magistrate  Municipal  Circuit

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2022A1110101007

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE

against

David Eugene Baynard

Address: Gaffney, SC 29341

Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 10 Weight:

DL State: DL #:

DOB: 1968 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

Offense: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless person

Offense Code: 2481

Code/Ordinance Sec: 63-05-0070

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The accused

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

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

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on 8/8/2022

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

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General Sessions
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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless 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:

On or about April 11, 2022, David Eugene Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected his medically fragile child's needs, unlawfully placing the child at unreasonable risk of harm affecting the child's life, physical or mental health, or safety. The child's numerous doctors' appointments were canceled or rescheduled, with last appointment taking place in Fall of 2021 despite the protests of physicians. The home in which the child lived was in deplorable conditions, specifically filled with garbage, infested with roaches, and covered in animal urine and feces, including the crib in which lived. Probable cause is based on the condition of the home and child's body, witness statements, medical opinions, and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

Signature of Affiant

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

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ARREST WARRANT

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Sworn to and subscribed before me on 8/8/2022

Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

(L.S.)

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court

Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court:  Magistrate  Municipal  Circuit

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2022A1110101008

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE  
against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address:   
Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone:   
Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145   
DL State: SC DL #:   
DOB: 2002 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

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(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

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Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions   
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Gaffney, SC 29342

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

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Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone

ARREST WARRANT

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Sworn to and subscribed before me   
on 8/8/2022

Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court   
Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court:  Magistrate  Municipal  Circuit

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SCCA 518   
April 21, 2003

ARREST WARRANT

2022A1110101009

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address: [Redacted] Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone: [Redacted] SSN: [Redacted] Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145 DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted] DOB: [Redacted] 2002 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Offense Code: 2804 Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

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

The accused is 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

on 8/8/2022 Edward Baynard

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd Gaffney, SC 29342

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Cherokee

Personally appeared before me the affiant Millie A Agrawal who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Edward Vincent Baynard did within this county and state on or about 4/11/2022 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Cherokee) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

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:

On or about April 11, 2022 to May 2, 2022 Edward Vincent Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected the numerous animals in his care. During a search warrant of his home and property, one dog was found deceased, and all other animals were severely malnourished, dehydrated, and infested with fleas and worms. Additionally, two more puppies were deemed beyond saving by a veterinarian and had to be euthanized. The three animal deaths were a direct result of the long-term neglect they experienced under the care of Edward Baynard. Probable cause is based on the condition of animals as assessed by a veterinarian and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

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Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Cherokee

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

Affiant's Telephone

ARREST WARRANT

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Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

(L.S.)

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

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

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2022A1110101010

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE

against

David Eugene Baynard

Address:

Gaffney, SC 29341

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 10 Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

DL State: \_\_\_\_\_ DL #: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: 1968 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

Offense: Abuse / To inflict great bodily injury upon a child

Offense Code: 2766

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0095(A)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/  Municipality of

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(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant David Baynard

on 8/8/2022

*[Signature]*  
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions  
125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd  
Gaffney, SC 29342

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S.C. Attorney General  
April 21, 2003  
SCCA 518

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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:

On or about April 11, 2022, David Eugene Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected his medically fragile child's needs, causing bodily injury that created a substantial risk of death, serious or permanent disfigurement, or protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ. The child's numerous doctors' appointments were canceled or rescheduled, with last appointment taking place in Fall of 2021 despite the protests of physicians. The home in which the child lived was in deplorable conditions, specifically filled with garbage, infested with roaches, and covered in animal urine and feces, including the crib in which lived. Probable cause is based on the condition of the home and child's body, witness statements, medical opinions, and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

Signature of Affiant

*[Signature]*

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
 County/  Municipality of  
Cherokee

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

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ARREST WARRANT

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Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 8/8/2022

*[Signature]*  
Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court  
Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court:  Magistrate  Municipal  Circuit

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2022A1110101011

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/  Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE  
against

Bobbie Jo Baynard

Address: [Redacted]  
Gaffney, SC 29340

Phone: [Redacted] SSN: [Redacted]  
Sex: F Race: W Height: 4 11 Weight: 213  
DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted]  
DOB: [Redacted] 1979 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000  
Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division  
Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678  
Offense: Abuse / To inflict great bodily injury upon a child

Offense Code: 2766  
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0095(A)

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 County/  Municipality of  
The accused  
is to be arrested and brought before me to be  
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(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to  
defendant Bobbie Jo Baynard  
on 8/8/2022

[Signature]  
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions  
125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd  
Gaffney, SC 29342

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Signature of Affiant

[Signature]

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
 County/  Municipality of  
Cherokee

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

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ARREST WARRANT

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

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[Signature] (L.S.)  
Signature of Issuing Judge  
Robert Howell  
Judge Code: 5882

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court  
Gaffney, SC 29342  
Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533  
Issuing Court:  Magistrate  Municipal  Circuit

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2022A1110101012

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE

against

Bobbie Jo Baynard

Address:

Gaffney, SC 29340

Phone: SSN:

Sex: F Race: W Height: 4 11 Weight: 213

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: 1979 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

Offense: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless person

Offense Code: 2481

Code/Ordinance Sec: 63-05-0070

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County/ Municipality of

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(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant on 8/8/2022 Bobbie Jo Baynard

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd Gaffney, SC 29342

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Signature of Issuing Judge

Robert Howell

Judge Code: 5882

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court

Gaffney, SC 29342

Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

Magistrate

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ARREST WARRANT

2022A1110101013

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE

against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address:

Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone: SSN: Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145 DL State: SC DL #: DOB: 2002 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678 Offense: Abuse / To inflict great bodily injury upon a child

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Signature of Judge

Date:

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A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Edward Baynard on 8/8/2022 Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 125 E. Floyd Baker Blvd Gaffney, SC 29342

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Cherokee

Personally appeared before me the affiant Millie A Agrawal who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Edward Vincent Baynard did within this county and state on or about 4/11/2022 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Cherokee) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Abuse / To inflict great bodily injury upon a child

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:

On or about April 11, 2022 Edward Vincent Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected his medically fragile's needs, causing bodily injury that created a substantial risk of death, serious or permanent disfigurement, or protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ...s numerous doctors' appointments were canceled or rescheduled, with last appointment taking place in Fall of 2021 despite the protests of physicians. The home in which lived was in deplorable conditions, specifically filled with garbage, infested with roaches, and covered in animal urine and feces, including the crib in which lived. Edward Baynard was employed as both a Respite Nurse and a Certified Personal Care Assistant and failed to render any aid to Probable cause is based on the condition of the home and's body, witness statements, medical opinions, and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the SLED.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Cherokee

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

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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 4/11/2022 defendant Edward Vincent Baynard did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Cherokee) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Abuse / To inflict great bodily injury upon a child

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 8/8/2022 Signature of Issuing Judge Robert Howell Judge Code: 5882 (L.S.)

Judge's Address Cherokee Magistrate's Court Gaffney, SC 29342 Judge's Telephone (864)487-2533

Issuing Court: X Magistrate Municipal Circuit

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address: Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone: SSN: Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145 DL State: SC DL #: DOB: 2002 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678 Offense: Murder / Murder

Offense Code: 0116 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0010

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

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

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AFFIDAVIT

April 21, 2003 SCCA 516

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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Murder / 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:

On or about April 11, 2022 Edward Vincent Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected his medically fragile's needs with a depraved indifference to human life, resulting in her death. s numerous doctors' appointments were canceled or rescheduled, with last appointment taking place in Fall of 2021 despite the protests of physicians. The home in which the child lived was in deplorable conditions, specifically filled with garbage, infested with roaches, and covered in animal urine and feces, including the crib in which lived. Edward Baynard was employed as both a Respite Nurse and a Certified Personal Care Assistant and failed to render any aid to Probable cause is based on the condition of the home and child's body, witness statements, medical opinions, and other evidence that is part of an ongoing investigation by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

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

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ARREST WARRANT

2022A1110101015

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Cherokee

THE STATE against

Edward Vincent Baynard

Address: Gaffney, SC 29341-5303

Phone: SSN: Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 7 Weight: 145

DL State: SC DL #: Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

DOB: 2002

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Millie A Agrawal - S00678

Offense: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless person

Offense Code: 2481

Code/Ordinance Sec: 63-05-0070

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

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

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Affiant: Millie A Agrawal. Defendant: Edward Vincent Baynard. Date: 4/11/2022. Offense: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless person.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Children / Legal custodian, unlawful neglect of child or helpless 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:

On or about April 11, 2022 Edward Vincent Baynard in Gaffney within Cherokee County, continually neglected his medically fragile [redacted] s needs, unlawfully placing the child at unreasonable risk of harm affecting the child's life, physical or mental health, or safety.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

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