



## South Carolina Law Enforcement Division

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April 11, 2023

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### **SLED CHARGES FORMER LEXINGTON COUNTY DEPUTY WITH MISCONDUCT AND OBTAINING SIGNATURE UNDER FALSE PRETENSES**

Agents with the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Gabriel William Mulkey, 26, of Leesville, SC, today with Misconduct and Obtaining Signature Under False Pretenses.

SLED investigated the case at the request of the Lexington County Sheriff's Department.

Details can be found in the attached warrants.

Mulkey was booked at the Lexington County Detention Center.

The cases will be prosecuted by the South Carolina Attorney General's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2023A3210201076

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Lexington

THE STATE against

Gabriel William Mulkey

Address: [Redacted] Leesville, SC 29070-8730

Phone: [Redacted] SSN [Redacted] Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 10 Weight: 175

DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted]

DOB: [Redacted] 1996 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Richard J Cullop - S01690

Offense: Breach / Obtain signature or prop. under false pretenses, value more than \$2,000 but less than

Offense Code: 3470

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-13-0240

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 Gabriel William Mulkey on April 11, 2023

[Signature]

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions Mark H. Westbrook Judicial Center 205 East Main Street Lexington, SC 29072

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Lexington

Personally appeared before me the affiant Richard J Cullop who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Gabriel William Mulkey

did within this county and state on or about 1/1/2021 violate the criminal laws of the

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Lexington)

in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Breach / Obtain signature or prop. under false pretenses, value more than \$2,000 but less than \$10,000

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:

From the dates of January 1, 2021 through September 14, 2022, in Lexington County, Gabriel William Mulkey falsely obtained \$2,677.14 in wage payments from the Lexington County Sheriff's Department (LCSD). From the dates of January 1, 2021 through September 14, 2022 Gabriel Mulkey submitted timecards to his employer, the LCSD, in which he included hours he purportedly worked on official duty and these hours overlapped with hours he was working while on extra-duty details outside of his employment with the LCSD. Gabriel Mulkey submitted timecards containing a total of 132.25 hours of official duty hours worked and he was paid a total of \$2,677.14 for hours worked during his extra-duty detail employment.

Signature of Affiant

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone (803)896-7250

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Lexington

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 1/1/2021 defendant Gabriel William Mulkey

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Lexington) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Breach / Obtain signature or prop. under false pretenses, value more than \$2,000 but less than \$10,000

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 4/10/2023

[Signature] (L.S.)

Brian Norman Buck (Magistrate)

Judge Code: 7322

Judge's Address 521 Gibson Road

Lexington, SC 29072-

Judge's Telephone (803)951-2518

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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County/ Municipality of

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Phone: SSN Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 10 Weight: 175

DL State: SC DL #: DOB: 1996 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Richard J Cullop - S01690

Offense: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance,

misfeasance, or nonfeasance

Offense Code: 0819

Code/Ordinance Sec: 17-25-0030

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Signature of Judge

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AFFIDAVIT

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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, 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:

From January 1, 2021 through September 14, 2022, in Lexington County, SC, Gabriel William Mulkey when acting in his official capacity as a Lexington County Sheriff's Department (LCSD) Deputy (Dep.) committed malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance of his official duties by submitting timecards and receiving official duty pay for hours he purported to work as a LCSD Deputy, while he was working in extra-duty details outside of his employment with LCSD in violation of the LCSD Policies and Procedures. From January 1, 2021 to September 14, 2022, LCSD Dep. Mulkey worked a total of 73 days in which he collected pay for being on duty as a LCSD Deputy while he was working overlapping hours on an extra-duty detail. Dep. Mulkey submitted timecards containing a total of 132.25 hours of official duty hours worked and he was paid a total of \$2,677.14 in wages for hours worked during his extra-duty detail employment.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA County/ Municipality of Lexington

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398 Columbia, SC 29221- Affiant's Telephone (803)896-8250

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

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