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SLED CHARGES ELLOREE POLICE CHIEF WITH MALICIOUS INJURY TO PERSONAL PROPERTY

Agents with the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Shawn Edward Murphree, 54, on Monday, November 27, 2023, with Malicious Injury to Personal Property.

Details can be found in the attached warrant.

Murphree was booked at the Orangeburg County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 1st Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2023A3810701104

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Orangeburg

THE STATE
against

Shawn Edward Murphree

Address: [Redacted]
Ellorree, SC 29047-8404

Phone: [Redacted] SSN: [Redacted]
Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 10 Weight: 195

DL State: SC DL #: [Redacted]
DOB: [Redacted] 1969 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Shawn M Murray - S00941

Offense: Malicious / Malicious Injury to animals, personal property, injury value \$2,000 or less

Offense Code: 3415
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-11-0510(A)

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 Shawn Murphy on 11/27/23, 1:59pm

[Signature]
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

Central Region Magistrate
1540 Ellis Avenue
P. O. Box 9000
Orangeburg, SC 29116

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Orangeburg

Personally appeared before me the affiant Shawn M Murray who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Shawn Edward Murphree did within this county and state on or about 10/31/2023 violate the criminal laws of the

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Orangeburg) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Malicious / Malicious Injury to animals, personal property, injury value \$2,000 or less

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 October 31, 2023, the defendant, Shawn Edward Murphy, did commit the offense of Malicious Injury to Personal Property, Injury Value \$2,000 or Less (Section 16-11-510 (A)) in violation of South Carolina Law. In that the defendant Shawn Edward Murphy did willfully cause injury to the victim's 2013 Dodge Ram 1500 Pickup Truck, while it was parked at the Orangeburg County Courthouse, which is located at 1406 Amelia Street, Orangeburg, SC. The defendant is seen on surveillance camera, approaching the victim's vehicle, and intentionally scratching the paint with an unknown object. The cost to repair the damage caused by the defendant was \$1,216.15. The defendant and the victim both have prior knowledge of each other. This offense occurred in the County of Orangeburg, and the State of South Carolina. The affiant and others are witnesses to prove the same.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Orangeburg

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 10/31/2023 defendant Shawn Edward Murphree

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

County/ Municipality of Orangeburg) as set forth below

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Malicious / Malicious Injury to animals, personal property, injury value \$2,000 or less

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 11/21/2023

[Signature]
Signature of Issuing Judge (L.S.)

Dennis Gary Doremus II

Judge Code 7436

Judge's Address Post Office Box 9000
Orangeburg, SC 29116-

Judge's Telephone (803)247-2011

Issuing Court Magistrate Municipal Circuit

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Form Approved By
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

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