



## South Carolina Law Enforcement Division

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
December 21, 2023

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### **SLED CHARGES BAMBERG COUNTY MAN WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER AND POSSESSION OF A FIREARM DURING THE COMMISSION OF A VIOLENT CRIME**

Agents with the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones, 24, on Tuesday, December 19, 2023, with Attempted Murder and Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Violent Crime.

Details can be found in the attached warrants.

Jones was booked at the Bamberg County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 2<sup>nd</sup> Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2023A0510100211

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Bamberg

THE STATE

against

Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones

Address:

Bamberg, SC 29003-1054

Phone: SSN: Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 8 Weight: 180

DL State: SC DL #: DOB: 1999 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: David H Owen, III - S00207

Offense: Assault / Attempted Murder

Offense Code: 3410

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0029

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 Jaquan Jones

on December 19, 2023

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

Bamberg Magistrate
1234 North Street
Post Office Box 187
Bamberg, SC 29003

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Bamberg

Personally appeared before me the affiant David H Owen, III who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones

did within this county and state on or about 12/9/2023 violate the criminal laws of the

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

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:

SEE ATTACHED AFFIDAVIT.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Bamberg

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 12/9/2023 defendant Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones

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

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Bamberg ) 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 12/14/2023

Signature of Issuing Judge (L.S.)

Donald L. Price

Judge Code: 7498

Judge's Address Post Office Box 187

Bamberg, SC 29003-

Judge's Telephone (803)245-3016

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

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

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF BAMBERG

FILE # 31-23-0134

**AFFIDAVIT**

Personally appeared before me, a magistrate of this County, one, Senior Special Agent David Owen, of the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED), who, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that

**JAQUAN PATRICK ANTHONY JONES**  
**B/M DOB: [REDACTED] 1999**

did within this County and State on about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December 2023, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE**  
**ATTEMPTED MURDER**  
**16-3-29**

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on or about December 9, 2023, while at [REDACTED] Binnicker Bridge Road, Bamberg, in the County and State aforesaid, the above named defendant, **JAQUAN PATRICK ANTHONY JONES**, did commit the offense of violation section 16-3-29, of the South Carolina State Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, **ATTEMPTED MURDER**, in that he did willfully, unlawfully, feloniously, and with malice aforethought, attempt to kill victim [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to wit: the defendant discharged a firearm multiple times, striking the victim in the face, left hand and right leg.

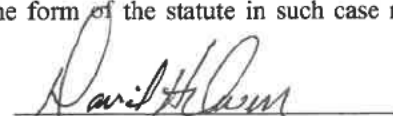
That on December 9, 2023, the Bamberg City Police Department (BPD) responded to [REDACTED] Binnicker Bridge Road for a shooting. Upon their arrival, BPD found the victim suffering from multiple gunshot wounds to head, hand, and leg. BPD requested the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) investigate the shooting. Senior Special Agent (SS/A) David Owen was called and responded.

That on December 11, 2023, SS/A Owen interviewed the victim at a Columbia area hospital. The victim stated that the defendant, [REDACTED] arrived at the residence on or about December 9, 2023, brandishing a firearm. The defendant then did shoot the victim in the face, hand, and leg causing multiple injuries.

The above information was revealed through the investigation of SS/A Owen, and he, along with the victim's statement, is witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of Dec., 2023

  
Signature of Judge

  
SS/A David Owen  
South Carolina Law Enforcement Division  
104 Simmons Street  
Walterboro, SC 29488  
843-782-3822

ARREST WARRANT

2023A0510100212

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Bamberg

THE STATE

against

Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones

Address:

Bamberg, SC 29003-1054

Phone: SSN: Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 8 Weight: 180 DL State: SC DL #: DOB: 1999 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division Prosecuting Officer: David H Owen, III - S00207 Offense: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death Offense Code: 0549 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-23-0490

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 Jaquan Jones on December 19, 2023

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

Bamberg Magistrate 1234 North Street Post Office Box 187 Bamberg, SC 29003

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[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of )

Bamberg )

Personally appeared before me the affiant David H Owen, III who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones did within this county and state on or about 12/9/2023 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Bamberg) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death

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:

SEE ATTACHED AFFIDAVIT.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of )

Bamberg )

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 12/9/2023 defendant Jaquan Patrick Anthony Jones did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Bamberg) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Weapons / Poss. weapon during violent crime, if not also sentenced to life without parole or death

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Signature of Issuing Judge (L.S.) Donald L. Price Judge Code: 7498

Judge's Address Post Office Box 187 Bamberg, SC 29003- Judge's Telephone (803)245-3016

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

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COUNTY OF BAMBERG

FILE # 31-23-0134

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**JAQUAN PATRICK ANTHONY JONES**  
B/M DOB: [REDACTED] 1999

did within this County and State on about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December 2023, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE**  
**POSSESSION OF A FIREARM DURING THE COMMISSION OF A VIOLENT CRIME**  
**16-23-490**

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on or about December 9, 2023, while at [REDACTED] Binnicker Bridge Road, Bamberg, in the County and State aforesaid, the above named defendant, **JAQUAN PATRICK ANTHONY JONES**, did commit the offense of violation section 16-23-490, of the South Carolina State Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, **POSSESSION OF A FIREARM DURING THE COMMISSION OF A VIOLENT CRIME**, in that he did willfully, unlawfully, and feloniously, possess a firearm during the commission of a violent crime, to wit: Attempt Murder.

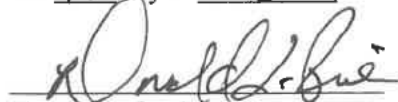
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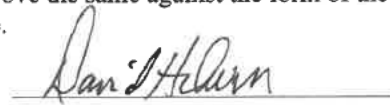
That on December 11, 2023, SS/A Owen interviewed the victim at a Columbia area hospital. The victim stated that the defendant, who is her cousin, arrived at the residence on or about December 9, 2023, brandishing a firearm. The defendant then did shoot the victim in the face, hand, and leg causing multiple injuries.

A Ruger P85 9mmX19 (S/N [REDACTED]) firearm was later recovered on December 9, 2023, at [REDACTED] Creek Side Drive, Bamberg, Apt [REDACTED] which was the same apartment the defendant was located in after a separate related shooting.

The above information was revealed through the investigation of SS/A Owen and BPD Sergeant Alex Still, and they, along with the victim's statement, are witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of Dec-, 2023

  
Signature of Judge

  
SS/A David Owen  
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