

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 06-10-2015

CRN: 15-33282

I, Detective Mark Slater #5206, Kansas City Missouri Police Department Homicide Unit  
(Name and identify law enforcement officer, or person having information as probable cause.)

knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true.

I have probable cause to believe that on 05-16-2015, at 9103 E. 39<sup>th</sup> Street in  
(Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Divonte Lewis  
(County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M, DOB: 06-15-1991, SSN [REDACTED] committed one or more criminal offense(s).  
(Description of Identity)

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 05-16-2015 at approximately 1715 hours, officers of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department responded to the Coco Keys Water Resort located at **9103 E. 39<sup>th</sup> Street Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri 64130** on a reported shooting. Upon arrival officers discovered that a shooting had occurred and that two individuals had been injured in the shooting. One victim, who sustained non-life threatening injuries, traveled to a local hospital by private conveyance where he was treated. The other victim was observed lying in the foyer of the main entrance to the Coco Keys Water Resort suffering from apparent gunshot wounds. The second victim was transported by emergency medical services to a local hospital and died while in transit. The Jackson County Medical Examiner's office ruled the death a homicide.

Witness #1 stated that she observed a verbal confrontation begin between **Divonte Lewis** and one of the victims near the pool area of the water park. Witness #1 observed victim #1 attempt to leave the business but, was followed by **Lewis** and several others. A second verbal confrontation occurred in the main entrance and foyer of the business. During that confrontation, the witness observed **Divonte Lewis** produce a black in color handgun and fire several shots at the victims killing one of them.

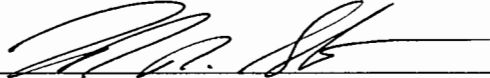
Witness #2 stated that she observed a verbal confrontation occur between **Divonte Lewis** and the surviving victim in the pool area of the water park. During that confrontation she stated that she observed **Lewis** grabbing at an object that she believed was a handgun through his clothing. Witness #2 stated that the victims attempted to leave the area but, were confronted by **Lewis** at the main doorway to the water park. The verbal confrontation continued until Witness #2 observed **Lewis** produce a handgun and shoot the victims killing one and injuring the other.

On 05-19-2015 at approximately 1400 hours, **Lewis** was taken into custody by Kansas City Missouri Police Officers on an unrelated arrest warrant. **Lewis** was transported to police headquarters where he was escorted to the 7<sup>th</sup> floor and placed in interview room #2. At approximately 1525 hours, **Lewis** was contacted by detectives for the purpose of conducting an interview. **Lewis** was advised of his Miranda Rights prior to being questioned. **Lewis** stated that he did not want to speak with detectives without an attorney present. The interview with **Lewis**

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was terminated at that time. **Lewis** was then transported, without incident, via police patrol wagon to the Jackson County Correctional Facility and booked in on his outstanding arrest warrant.

Printed Name Det. Mark Slater #5206 Signature 

The Court finds probable cause and directs the issuance of a warrant this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Circuit Court of \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of Missouri.