

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI
AT KANSAS CITY**

Police# 16-083767
Prosecutor# 095436075
1616-CR
OCN# B2106765

COMPLAINT

STATE OF MISSOURI

vs.

**George R. Turrentine
1711 Concord Court, #203
Kansas City, MO 64110
DOB: 06/29/1987; Race/Sex: B/M;
SS# [REDACTED]
Defendant.**

**Count I. Endangering The Welfare Of A Child Creating Substantial Risk - 1st Degree - 1st
Offense - No Sexual Conduct (568.045-005Y20033899.0)**

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 568.045, RSMo, committed the **Class C Felony of Endangering the Welfare of a Child in the First Degree**, punishable upon conviction under Sections 558.011 and 560.011, RSMo, in that on or about November 6, 2016, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant knowingly acted in a manner that created a substantial risk to the life of [REDACTED], a child less than seventeen years old, by handling a loaded firearm in the presence of [REDACTED].

The range punishment for a class C felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than two (2) years and not to exceed seven (7) years; or by imprisonment for a special term not to exceed one (1) year in the county jail or other authorized penal institution; or by a fine not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime up to a maximum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

The range punishment for a class D felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than two (2) years and not to exceed four (4) years; or by imprisonment for a special term not to exceed one (1) year in the county jail or other authorized penal institution; or by a fine not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime up to a maximum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

Count II. Armed Criminal Action (571.015-001Y19755299.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 571.015, RSMo, committed the **Felony of Armed Criminal Action**, punishable upon conviction under Section 571.015.1, RSMo, in that on or about November 6, 2016, in the county of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant committed the felony of Endangering the Welfare of a Child in the First Degree charged in Count I, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant committed the foregoing felony of Endangering the Welfare of a Child in the First Degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015 RSMo. is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than three (3) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of three (3) calendar years. The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015 RSMo. as a second offense is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than five (5) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of five (5) calendar years. The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015 RSMo. as a third offense is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of ten (10) calendar years. Any punishment imposed pursuant to section 571.015 RSMo. shall be in addition to any punishment provided by law for the crime committed by, with, or through the use, assistance, or aid of a dangerous instrument or deadly weapon.

Count III. Possession Of Up To 35 Grams Of Marijuana (195.202-003Y20093562.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 195.202, RSMo, committed the **Class A Misdemeanor of Possession of a Controlled Substance**, punishable upon conviction under Sections 558.011 and 560.016, RSMo, in that on or about November 6, 2016, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant possessed marijuana, a controlled substance, knowing of its presence and nature.

The range of punishment for a class A misdemeanor is imprisonment in the county jail or other authorized penal institution for a term not to exceed one (1) year; by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime up to a maximum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

The range of punishment for a class C misdemeanor is imprisonment in the county jail or other authorized penal institution for a term not to exceed fifteen (15) days; by a fine not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300); or by both imprisonment and a fine. If money or property has been gained through the commission of the crime, any fine imposed may be not more than double the amount of the offender's gain from the commission of the crime up to a maximum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 11/07/2016

CRN: 16-083767

I, Detective Ian Hobbs #5552
(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 11/06/2016, at 1711 Concord Ct. #203 in
(Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri George R. Turrentine
(County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M 06/29/1987 committed one or more criminal offense(s).
(Description of Identity)

- *Child Endangerment
- *Possession of a Controlled Substance

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 11/06/2016 at 1947 hours, officers of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department were dispatched to Research Medical Center, 2316 E Meyer Blvd, in regard to a shooting. Upon arrival, they contacted **GEORGE R. TURRENTINE B/M 06/29/1987** who stated that he accidentally shot himself and [REDACTED] his one year old daughter.

Officers located the crime scene at 1711 Concord Ct. #203, Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri

On 11/06/2016 detectives responded to Research Medical Center and contacted **GEORGE R. TURRENTINE** who waived his Miranda Rights and agreed to provide a statement. **TURRENTINE** stated he was getting ready to clean his Smith and Wesson 9mm handgun and accidentally shot himself. The bullet went through his arm and into his daughter [REDACTED]. **TURRENTINE** said he was moving too fast. **TURRENTINE** immediately picked [REDACTED] up and took her to the hospital as fast as he could.

On 11/06/2016 detectives responded to Children’s Mercy Hospital and contacted **MICHELLE MARSHALL**. Marshall stated that she and [REDACTED] (her daughter) were lying on the bed playing with her cell phone. She heard a “pow” and realized that both [REDACTED] and **TURRENTINE** were shot. They all got into **TURRENTINE**’s car and he drove them to Research Medical Center.

On 11/06/2016 detectives obtained a search warrant for **TURRENTINE**’s apartment at 1711 Concord Ct. #203. While executing the warrant detectives located a 9mm handgun, an AR-15

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style rifle, multiple containers of a green leafy substance they believed to be marijuana, 9mm a shell casing and apparent blood.

On 11/07/2016 detectives contacted Children’s Mercy Hospital’s Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) to inquire about [REDACTED]’s injuries. Staff at the PICU advised that [REDACTED] was still intubated and was in critical but stable condition. The bullet had damaged her pelvis and spine, she still had multiple bone and bullet fragments and doctors had performed an exploratory surgery to look for more damage. It was unknown if she would be permanently paralyzed at this time.

Printed Name Det Ian Hobbs #5552 Signature *cl 92 5552*

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

Judge

Circuit Court of _____ County, State of Missouri.