

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

Police# 16-092287  
Prosecutor# 095436750  
1616-CR  
OCN#

**COMPLAINT**

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**vs.**

**Tyren J. Lamar  
4219 South Benton  
Kansas City, MO 64127  
DOB: 04/30/1999; Race/Sex: B/M;  
SS# [REDACTED]  
Defendant.**

**Count I. Murder 1st Degree (565.020-001Y19840911.0)**

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.020, RSMo, committed the class A felony of murder in the first degree punishable upon conviction under Section 565.020, RSMo, in that on or about December 8, 2016, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant, either acting alone or purposefully in concert with another, after deliberation, knowingly caused the death of Johnathon Echols by shooting him, and the defendant is further given notice that should the state submit murder in the second degree--felony under Section 565.021(2), it will be based on the death of Johnathon Echols as a result of the perpetration of the class A felony of Robbery in the First Degree under Section 569.020, RSMo committed by the defendant either acting alone or in concert with another.

An individual convicted and sentenced for this offense shall not be eligible for parole until eighty-five percent of the sentence is served. The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life imprisonment.

**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 December 8, 2016, in the county of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant

committed the felony of murder 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 murder 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.

### **Count III. Murder 1st Degree (565.020-001Y19840911.0)**

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.020, RSMo, committed the class A felony of murder in the first degree punishable upon conviction under Section 565.020, RSMo, in that on or about December 8, 2016, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, either acting alone or purposefully in concert with another, after deliberation, knowingly caused the death of Freddie Jones by shooting him, and the defendant is further given notice that should the state submit murder in the second degree--felony under Section 565.021(2), it will be based on the death of Freddie Jones as a result of the perpetration of the class A felony of Robbery in the First Degree under Section 569.020, RSMo committed by the defendant either acting alone or in concert with another.

An individual convicted and sentenced for this offense shall not be eligible for parole until eighty-five percent of the sentence is served. The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life

### **Count IV. 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 December 8, 2016, in the county of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant committed the felony of murder in the first degree charged in Count Three, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant either acting alone or in concert with another committed the foregoing felony of murder 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.

**Count V. Robbery 1st Degree (569.020-001Y19791207.0)**

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 569.020, RSMo, committed the class A felony of robbery in the first degree, punishable upon conviction under Section 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about December 8, 2016, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant either acting alone or purposefully in concert forcibly stole U.S. currency and guns in the possession of Johnathon Echols and in the course thereof the defendant was armed with a deadly weapon.

An individual convicted and sentenced for this offense shall not be eligible for parole until eighty-five percent of the sentence is served. The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life imprisonment.

**Count VI. 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 December 8, 2016, in the county of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant committed the felony of robbery in the first degree charged in Count Five, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant either acting alone or in concert with another committed the foregoing felony of robbery in the first degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

The facts that form the basis for this information and belief are contained in the attached statement(s) of facts, made a part hereof and submitted as a basis upon which this court may find the existence of probable cause.

Wherefore, the Prosecuting Attorney prays that an arrest warrant be issued as provided by law.

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**JEAN PETERS BAKER**

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PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT FORM

Date: 12-16-2016

CRN: 16-92278

I, Detective Mark A. 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 12-08-2016, at 3911 Chestnut Ave in  
(Date) (Address)

Kansas City, Jackson Missouri Tyren Lamar  
(County) (Name of Offender(s))

B/M, DOB: 04-30-99, SSN: [REDACTED] committed one or more criminal offense(s).  
(Description of Identity)

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 12-08-2016 at approximately 1719 hours, Officers of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department responded to 3911 Chestnut Ave Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri 64130 in regard to a reported "Medical Nature Unknown" call for service. Upon arrival officers located two deceased black males inside the residence. Both were pronounced dead at the scene and had succumbed to apparent gunshot wounds. The victims were discovered by a minor child who resided at the residence as she returned home from school. The victims were identified as the residents of 3911 Chestnut Av, Johnathan Echols, b/m, 7/15/62 and Freddie Jones b/m 6/17/64. The Jackson County Medical Examiner's Office ruled the cause of death as multiple gunshot wounds for both victims, and the manner of death as homicide. Numerous 7.62 shell casings were discovered at the scene of the residence near the victims. No firearms were recovered from the scene. Some marijuana was discovered in the front living room area within an entertainment center cabinet in a plastic baggie. A box of baggies was observed laying on the floor of the living room.

A Witness advised investigators Echols (victim) sold marijuana and some pills out of 3911 Chestnut Av, and specifically described two firearms, which belonged to Echols, and also described where marijuana was stored within the living room of the residence. The Witness described the marijuana and two firearms were stored within the same general area as where both victims were located. A container of marijuana, which had been described in a specific location of the living room, was not located when the scene was processed.

On 12-11-2016 a confidential source contacted detectives with the Kansas City Missouri Police Department with information about the double homicide that occurred at 3911 Chestnut Ave KCMO 64130. The confidential source provided information in regard to **Seth S. Reed, b/m, 1/27/98** and **Tyren Lamar, b/m, 4/30/99** as the suspects responsible, and **Lamar** as the lone shooter. The source stated both **Reed** and **Lamar** had responded to the residence to rob the residents.

On 12-15-2016 at approximately 1345 hours, **Reed** was taken into custody by officers of the Kansas City Missouri Police Department. Reed was transported to 1125 Locust St., police headquarters, to be formally interviewed. **Reed** was advised of his Miranda Waiver Rights and agreed to speak with detectives. **Reed** stated on 12-08-2016 he was contacted by **Lamar** at **Reed's** residence in Kansas City, MO, and **Lamar** stated he

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wanted to rob the victims on Chestnut Av (3911 Chestnut Av) to obtain money and narcotics. **Reed, Lamar,** and another b/m then walked to the victims' residence, and agreed to participate in the robbery. Only **Reed** and **Lamar** had been previously familiar with the residence. **Reed** and **Lamar** were allowed entry into the residence by one of the victims. **Reed** stated **Lamar** then brandished an AK-47 style weapon out of his coat and shot one of the victims lying on a couch. **Reed** stated neither victim was armed nor presented a threat at the time **Lamar** brandished the firearm. **Reed** believed the victim shot by **Lamar** had died immediately. **Reed** stated the second victim, lying on a different couch within the same room, attempted to get up after the first victim was shot, but was pushed back down on the couch by **Lamar**. **Reed** stated he then ran out of the residence and subsequently heard several more gunshots from inside the residence. **Reed** stated he fled and ran back to his residence. A short time later **Lamar** arrived at **Reed's** residence where **Lamar** produced marijuana taken from the victims' residence as well as a handgun identified during the course of the investigation as belonging to one of the victims. **Reed** described he was previously familiar with **Lamar** and identified **Lamar** from a single color photo.

Printed Name Det. Mark A. Slater #5206

Signature

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

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

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An individual convicted and sentenced for this offense shall not be eligible for parole until eighty-five percent of the sentence is served. The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life imprisonment.

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that on or about December 8, 2016, in the county of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant either acting alone or in concert with another, committed the felony of Murder in the Second Degree charged in Count One, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant committed the foregoing felony of Murder in the Second Degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

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