

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
SEARCH WARRANT

TO: CHIEF OF POLICE OR ANY SWORN MEMBER OF THE METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
(Specific Law Enforcement Officer or Classification of Officer of the Metropolitan Police Department or other Authorized Agency)

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Affidavit, herewith attached, having been made before me by Detective Chanel N. Howard, D2-1665 And Detective Sean Deere, #1761 (Pq County Homicide) that he has probable cause to believe that on the (person) (premises) (vehicle) (object) known as 2508 N Street SE, #3 Washington, DC. The premises is described a Multi-unit red brick building. The front door of the building in gray in color with a white frame. The numbers "2508" are affixed above the door in black. Aptment #3 is on the second level. The door to aptment #3 has a black door with a white numeral "3" under the peephole.

in the District of Columbia, there is now being concealed certain property, Any indicia of the relationship between the decedent and Kahlil Tatum including, but not limited to, photographs, mail matter, cell phones, computers and any other electronic devices and any indicia of occupancy for the premises described above.

which is In violation of the D.C. code. and as I am satisfied
(Alleged grounds for seizure)

that there is probable cause to believe that the property so described is being concealed on the above designated (person) (premises) (vehicle) (object) and that the foregoing grounds for issuance of the warrant exist.

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED within 10 days of the date of issuance of this warrant to search in the daytime/at any time of the day or night, the designated (person) (premises) (vehicle) (object) for the property specified and if the property be found there.

YOU ARE COMMANDED TO SEIZE IT, TO WRITE AND SUBSCRIBE an inventory of the property seized, to leave a copy of this warrant and return to file, a further copy of this warrant and return with the Court on the next Court day after its execution.

Issued this 21st day of March, 20 14
Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia

RETURN

I received the above detailed warrant on MARCH 21, 20 14 and have executed it as follows:
On MARCH 21, 20 14, at 7:21 PM., I searched the (person) (premises) (vehicles) (object) described in the warrant and I left a copy of the warrant and return with ON SCENE properly posted.
(Name of person searched or owner, occupant, custodian or person present at place of search)

The following is an inventory of the property taken pursuant to this warrant:

- CLOTHING (CHILD'S)
- SHOES (CHILD'S)
- CUP
- PHOTO OF REYSHA RUDD
- US CURRENCY \$ 87.00
- PAN DIGITAL TABLET
- (2) VTECH PORTABLE PHONE
- MAIL MATTER (2)
- NFCU CHECKBOOK (2)
- HTC CELLPHONE
- SPLINT CELLPHONE
- SAMSUNG CELLPHONE
- IPHONE 5 BOX
- PASSPORTS
- PHOTOS

This inventory was made in the presence of DET. C. HOWARD, DET. S. DEERE, CORP. J. MONTGOMERY, DET. J. MOULDON
I swear that this is a true and detailed account of all property taken by me under this warrant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 20 14
Executing Officer

CHANEL N. HOWARD
Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia

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2014 CRW 501148

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CLERK OF COURT

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CHANEL N. HOWARD
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[Signature]
Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia

METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
Washington, D.C.

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF AN APPLICATION FOR
SEARCH WARRANT

UNITED STATES
DISTRICT COURT



SUPERIOR COURT OF THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

FOR THE ENTIRE PREMISES KNOWN AS 2508 N STREET SE, #3, WASHINGTON, DC. THE PREMISES IS DESCRIBED AS A MULTI-UNIT RED BRICK BUILDING. THE FRONT DOOR OF THE BUILDING IN GRAY IN COLOR WITH A WHITE FRAME. THE NUMBERS "2508" ARE AFFIXED ABOVE THE DOOR IN BLACK. APARTMENT #3 IS ON THE SECOND LEVEL. THE DOOR TO APARTMENT #3 HAS A BLACK DOOR WITH A WHITE NUMERAL "3" UNDER THE PEEPHOLE.

Your affiant has been a sworn member of the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) for the past (15) fifteen years and currently hold the rank of Detective, Grade II with the Criminal Investigations Division Homicide Branch. During my tenure with MPD I have participated in over 300 drug and/or firearms related arrests and have also applied for and/or executed 200 search warrants which have led to the recovery of illegal narcotics, weapons and other evidence relating to violent crimes. Your affiant has participated in numerous investigations of burglaries, narcotics violations, thefts, and assaults and assisted in the prosecution of those offenses in DC Superior Court.

Your co-affiant, Detective Sean Deere, has been a law enforcement officer for twenty four years with the Prince George's County Police Department in the state of Maryland. My law enforcement training and experience include the preparation, presentation, and service of criminal complaints, arrest, and search warrants. I annually attend in-service training, where I receive criminal law updates. In addition, I have received training in basic investigation techniques. I have effected more than four hundred arrests for felony assaults, robberies, attempted murders, etc. for violations of criminal laws in the State of Maryland. I have testified under oath in Circuit and District Courts in the State of Maryland. I have been assigned the duties as a criminal investigator for eighteen years.

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HOWARD

Affiant

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United States Attorney

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ Day of _____, _____.

Magistrate
United States District Court

Judge
Superior Court of the District of Columbia

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The following statements are presented for the sole purpose of establishing probable cause for the affidavit in support of the search warrant application and do not represent the totality of facts and circumstances known to the affiant.

On March 19, 2014, a DC Public School social worker reported to members of the Metropolitan Police Department that an 8-year-old female juvenile had been absent from school for more than 30 days. The social worker reported that IT had received information that the child was absent because she was being treated by a "Dr. Tatum," with a phone number of 202-907-4156. The social worker called that number and spoke with an adult male who represented himself as "Dr. Tatum." After exchanging several calls with "Dr. Tatum," the social worker made arrangements to meet him to obtain documentation regarding the minor child's absences. At "Dr. Tatum's" direction, the social worker responded to the DC General Family Emergency Shelter, located at 1901 Massachusetts Avenue, Southeast, in an attempt to meet "Dr. Tatum." Once at the location, unable to locate "Dr. Tatum," the social worker contacted a supervisor who indicated that there was no "Dr. Tatum" employed as a physician in that building, however, the supervisor indicated that there was a custodian named Khalil Tatum who worked in that building. Khalil Tatum (DOB 2/6/63) who is employed as a custodial worker at 1901 Massachusetts Ave, SE, was then contacted by his supervisor and summoned to the supervisor's office. Tatum did not respond to the supervisor's office, but abruptly left work prior to his shift ending, and to date, has never returned to his place of employment. The phone number 202-907-4156 was registered to Khalil Tatum, and law enforcement learned through various sources that he was known to use that phone number. Multiple attempts were made by members of law enforcement to contact Tatum via his cellular telephone, however the telephone went directly to voicemail. Law enforcement obtained cellular tower records associated with that phone number, which indicated that the phone showed no activity after March 19, 2014 at 9:39 p.m., and, to date, has not been reactivated.

Prior to the child's disappearance, she was residing at the DC General Family Emergency Shelter, located at 1901 Massachusetts Avenue, SE. Investigation revealed that the child's parent had given Kahlil Tatum permission to care for the child, and the child had been seen in his presence within the last three weeks.

To date, the 8-year-old child has not been located and is considered an endangered missing person. An AMBER Alert was issued on March 20, 2014, throughout the Washington Metropolitan Area.

On Thursday, March 20, 2014 at approximately 8:01 a.m., the Prince George's County Police received a request from the Metropolitan Police Department (MPDC) in reference to the missing 8-year-old child, referenced under CCN# 14-037611.

Investigation also revealed that Khalil Tatum operates a 2007 Chevrolet Blazer, maroon in color. PG County Officers received information that a burgundy 2007 Chevrolet Blazer with a Redskin emblem on the back window was parked at the Red Roof Inn located at 6170 Oxon Hill Road, Oxon Hill, Maryland 20745.

Upon arrival PG County Officers located the vehicle in the parking lot directly in front of room #132. Officers obtained information that the registered owner of that vehicle was Kahlil Tatum and that he was associated with room #132.

PG County Officers knocked on the room door and did not get an answer. PG County Officers obtained a key card from management and entered the room. Once inside the room they discovered a black female, unconscious and unresponsive, lying face down on the bed with what appeared to be a bullet wound to her head. The decedent, identified as Andrea Tatum, wife of Khalil Tatum, was pronounced dead by Fire Fighter Morrow #16423 at 9:16 a.m. The decedent was transported to the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner in Baltimore, Maryland for an autopsy.

Members of the Homicide Unit and Forensic Services Unit responded to the scene and assumed their investigative duties. Pursuant to witness interviews and an on-scene investigation the following account of this incident was established. Your co-affiant reports a witness (hereinafter referred to as Witness One) reported the decedent checked into the Red Roof Inn on March 19, 2014, at about 10:04 p.m. The decedent, Khalil Tatum, Witness One and two individuals were all captured on numerous surveillance cameras at the Red Roof Inn in the area of room #132. Less than an hour after they checked in, Witness One and two of the individuals can be seen leaving in a vehicle driven by the female individual. The decedent and Kahlil Tatum were the only people left in the room. Witness One reports at approximately 5:40 a.m. the next morning, IT returned to the Red Roof Inn and talked to Kahlil Tatum. Witness One stated that IT observed the decedent lying on the bed when Kahlil Tatum answered the door. Witness One also stated that Kahlil Tatum refused to allow IT to enter the room.

Your co-affiant further reports an interview with an additional witness (hereinafter referred to as Witness Two) who revealed that the decedent was having domestic problems with Kahlil Tatum. Witness Two stated that the decedent was contemplating leaving Kahlil Tatum. Witness Two also reported within the last month IT conducted internet searches for Khalil Tatum in an attempt to purchase a handgun. Witness Two reported IT utilized an Apple Ipad and downloaded images of handguns for Khalil Tatum.

Your co-affiant reports Khalil Tatum uses a cellphone with the number (202) 907-4156 (Sprint) and has had the same number for several years. An exigent request to Sprint revealed the decedent was the subscriber for the cellphone number (202) 907-4156. The decedent and Khalil Tatum have both provided the address, 2508 N Street NE, #3 Washington, DC to authorities on several occasions.

Your affiant queried MPD databases and was able to locate the address of 2508 N Street SE, #3 Washington, DC as a primary address dated back to September 2013.

Your affiant reports Detectives with the MPD Youth Division Branch were advised of the crime scene in PG County, MD, obtained a key from a maintenance person at 2508 N Street SE Washington, DC and entered apartment #3 under exigent circumstances to search for the missing child or any other persons in need of immediate medical assistance. Your affiant further reports

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the scene is being maintained by (2) MPDC Sixth District Officers who observed a large sum of US Currency on a table in plain view.

Based upon your affiant's professional training, your affiant's experience as an officer enforcing laws against illegal firearm possession, and your affiant's work with other veteran police officers and detectives:

(a) I know that persons who keep or carry guns illegally commonly retain items associated with their firearms long after they purchased the guns, including the original manufacturer's packaging, gun-cleaning equipment, and additional parts, such as gun sights; and, that these are almost always stored in the gun-possessor's home; in particular, gun cleaning equipment, which is excellent evidence of illegal gun possession, normally is not carried on a person with a gun, but kept at home, to be used periodically to keep a gun "in shape" or good working order;

(b) That, it is quite common for a person who possesses one firearm to own or possess additional firearms, and, that it is common for a person who is found carrying a firearm on his person to have stored at home one or more additional firearms, along with additional ammunition, and papers related to the acquisition of that firearm;

(c) That many persons who commit crimes often secrete guns and other evidence of their crime and this is kept at the gun possessor's home or in their room at their homes or the homes of family members, and/or friends along with gun paraphernalia.

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Based upon the aforementioned facts and circumstances, and your affiants' experience and training, there is probable cause to believe that secreted inside of 2508 N Street, SE #3, Washington D.C., is evidence relating to ongoing criminal investigations regarding a missing child, obstruction of justice and the homicide discussed above. Your affiant respectfully requests that a District of Columbia Superior Court Search Warrant be issued for the entire premises of 2508 N Street SE, #3, Washington D.C., for any evidence of a relationship between the missing child and Khalil Tatum or indicia that the missing child had been present in that apartment, including but not limited to clothing, toys, books, fingerprints, biological material, hair and fibers, bedding, any electronic devices, photographs, or documents; and for any evidence of firearms, parts of firearms, ammunition, gun magazines, shell casings, firearms holsters, gun cleaning equipment, receipts of any firearms purchase or any purchase related to the carrying or housing of firearms or ammunition, any paraphernalia relating to the possession of a firearm, any indicia of the relationship between the decedent and Kahlil Tatum including, but not limited to, photographs, mail matter, cell phones, computers and any other electronic devices and any indicia of occupancy for the premises described above.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st

Day of March 2014

Magistrate

United States District Court

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Judge

Superior Court of the District of Columbia

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