

SUPERIOR COURT

OF THE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
CRIMINAL DIVISION

Holding a Criminal Term

2013 MAR 19 P 2: 06

Grand Jury Sworn in on January 22, 2013

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Criminal No: 2012 CF1 011216

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v.

GRANT JOHNSON

PDID: 511-092

- : Violations:
- : 22 D.C. Code, Sections 2101, 4502,
- : 2104.01(b)(8);
- : 22 D.C. Code, Sections 2801, 4502;
- : 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b);
- : 22 D.C. Code Section 4503(a)(1);
- : Firearms Emergency Amendment Act of 2012,
- : to be codified at 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(a)
- : (2)(2001 ed.)
- : (First Degree Murder While Armed - Felony
- : Murder With Aggravating Circumstances; First
- : Degree Murder While Armed (Premeditated)
- : With Aggravating Circumstances; Armed
- : Robbery; Possession Of a Firearm During
- : Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense;
- : Unlawful Possession of a Firearm; Carrying a
- : Pistol (Outside Home or Place of Business))

The Grand Jury charges:

FIRST COUNT:

Grant Johnson, within the District of Columbia, while armed with a firearm, in perpetrating and attempting to perpetrate the crime of robbery, as set forth in the third count of this indictment, killed Ricardo Lancaster by shooting him with a firearm on or about May 30, 2012, thereby causing injuries from which Ricardo Lancaster died on or about May 30, 2012. (First Degree Murder While Armed - Felony Murder, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 2101, 4502 (2001 ed.))

*The Grand Jury Further Charges* at the time such murder was committed the following aggravating circumstance existed: the murder was committed in the course of committing or attempting to commit a robbery.

SECOND COUNT:

Grant Johnson, within the District of Columbia, while armed with a firearm, purposely and with deliberate and premeditated malice, killed Ricardo Lancaster by shooting him with a firearm, on or about May 30, 2012, thereby causing injuries from which Ricardo Lancaster died on or about May 30, 2012. (First Degree Murder While Armed (Premeditated), in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 2101, 4502 (2001 ed.))

*The Grand Jury Further Charges* at the time such murder was committed the following aggravating circumstance existed: the murder was committed in the course of committing or attempting to commit a robbery.

THIRD COUNT:

On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson, while armed with a firearm, by force and violence, against resistance and by putting in fear, stole and took from the person and from the immediate actual possession of Ricardo Lancaster, property of value belonging to Ricardo Lancaster, consisting of money and a cell phone. (Armed Robbery, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 2801, 4502 (2001 ed.))

FOURTH COUNT:

On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson did possess a firearm, while committing the crime of First Degree Murder While Armed – Felony Murder as set forth in the first count of this indictment. (Possession Of a Firearm During Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b) (2001 ed.))

FIFTH COUNT:

On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson did possess a firearm, while committing the crime of First Degree Murder While Armed (Premeditated) as set forth in the second count of this indictment. (Possession Of a Firearm During Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b) (2001 ed.))

SIXTH COUNT:

On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson did possess a firearm, while committing the crime of Armed Robbery as set forth in the third count of this indictment. (Possession Of a Firearm During Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b) (2001 ed.))

SEVENTH COUNT:

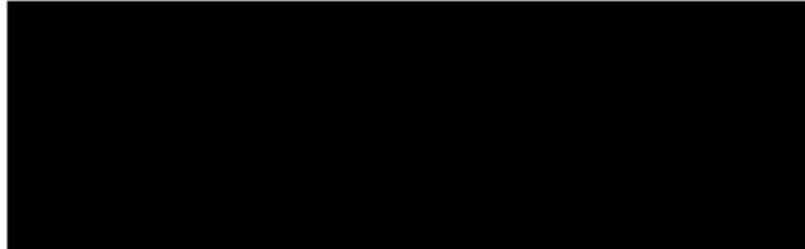
On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson, previously having been convicted in any court of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, owned, kept, and had within his possession and control, a firearm. (Unlawful Possession of a Firearm, in violation of 22 D.C. Code Section 4503 (a)(1) (2001 ed.))

EIGHTH COUNT:

On or about May 30, 2012, within the District of Columbia, Grant Johnson, did carry, openly and concealed on or about his person, in a place other than his dwelling place, place of business or on other land possessed by him, a pistol. (Carrying a Pistol [Outside Home or Place of Business], in violation of the Firearms Emergency Amendment Act of 2012, to be codified at 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(a)(2) (2001 ed.))

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A TRUE BILL:



Foreperson