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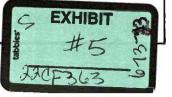
THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, To Craig Pakkala, a law enforcement officer of the Green Bay Police Department:

Whereas, Craig Pakkala has this day complained in writing to the said court that upon certain property in the City of Green Bay, Brown County, at 2353 Eastman Ave., apartment #1 occupied by persons named to include Scott M. Thoms, date of birth 03/24/1968, and is more particularly described as follows:

2353 Eastman Ave., apartment #1, in the City of Green Bay, Count of Brown, State of Wisconsin. 2353 Eastman Ave. is part of a multi-unit apartment complex. The apartment complex consists of (4) attached units, having (8) apartments in each unit. The complex is composed of brick, having white trimmed windows, and black shutters. The address of the units from west to east are 2349 Eastman Ave., 2351 Eastman Ave., 2353 Eastman Ave., and 2355 Eastman Ave. Apartment #1 is located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor, northeast corner of 2353 Eastman Ave. The entrance door to apartment #1 has the number "1" and a decorative letter "S" on the exterior.

there are now or will be located and concealed certain things, to wit:

- Blood and/or apparent blood evidence
- > DNA and other biological evidence
- > Clothing
- > Towels, sheets, bedding, and/or any other fabric material
- Weapons; guns, knives, other instruments, ammunition, bullets, and shell casings
- > Proof of residence



- Identifying documents of other individuals living or temporarily staying at the apartment
- Trazodone medication and/or its container, other illicit substances/drugs, and drug paraphernalia
- > Cellphones

which was used in the commission of, or may constitute evidence of illegal activity, to wit:

- 1. First Degree Intentional Homicide, contrary to Wis. Stat. § 940.01.
- 2. Uniformed Controlled Substances Act, contrary to Wis. Stat. § Chap. 96

And the facts tending to establish the grounds for issuing a search warrant are information given under oath by Det. Craig Pakkala.

Wherefore, said law enforcement Officer Craig Pakkala prays that a search warrant be issued to seize and search said property and its contents.

Now, therefore, in the name of the state of Wisconsin you and any necessary assisting law enforcement personnel are commanded forthwith to search the said property for said things, and if the same or any portion thereof are found, you are commanded to seize them and hold them secure in your custody, and return this warrant within 48 hours before the said court to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at Green Bay, Wisconsin this 23rd day of February, 2022.

Honorable

Judge of the Circuit Court, Branch \_\_\_\_\_

Brown County, Wisconsin

Court Commissioner

Honorable

Brown County, Wisconsin

## ENDORSEMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

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STATE OF WISCONSIN	)	<b>S</b> S	AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF SEARCH WARRANT
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The facts tending to establish the grounds for issuing a search warrant are as follows:

- Your affiant is a law enforcement officer with the City of Green Bay Police Department. Your affiant has been employed as a law enforcement officer for the past 28 years. Since 2017, your affiant has been assigned to the Investigative Division.
- 2. Your affiant has written several warrants and subpoenas during his law enforcement career. Your affiant has received training and experience in investigations regarding crimes, including but not limited to; human trafficking, ICAC (Internet Crimes Against Children), homicide, battery, sexual assaults, and various property crimes.
- 3. Your affiant makes this affidavit on personal knowledge, information, and belief.
- 4. Your affiant, as a police detective for the Green Bay Police Department, also reviews and references multiple official police reports which have been prepared by law enforcement officers with the Green Bay Police Department. These reports contain factual information obtained from victims, witnesses, and other sources which affiant asserts to establish the commission of the crimes of 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Intentional Homicide, contrary to Wis. Stats. §§ 940.01and the Uniformed Controlled Substances Act, contrary to Wis. Stats. §§ Chapter 961; that these aforementioned reports are the type of reports similarly generated by both police officers and detectives with the Green Bay Police Department. Your affiant has not only prepared similar reports through the course of affiant's career but has also relied on said reports for other investigations and found them to be truthful and reliable.

- On 02-23-22, at approximately 3:25 AM, Green Bay Police Officers were dispatched to 829 Stony Brook Ln., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. The complainant, S.C.H. 01-09-73, informed a dispatcher with the Brown County Communication Center that his girlfriend, T.L.P. 05-14-74, found a severed (human) head in a bucket, in the basement of their home. T.L.P. believes the head is that of her son, S.R.T. 09-07-97.
- 6. Your affiant reviewed the details of Ofc. P. Linsmeyer, an officer with the Green Bay Police Department. Ofc. Linsmeyer made contact S.C.H., who stated he last seen S.R.T. Monday (02-21-22) night, at the house, with his girlfriend, "Taylor Coronado". S.C.H. stated he and T.L.P. did not see "Coronado" leave the house but did hear a vehicle start and a door slam. Following the vehicle leaving, they went down into the basement and found what they believed to be a severed head.
- 7. Your affiant reviewed the details of Ofc. M. O'Donnell, an officer with the Green Bay Police Department. Ofc. O'Donnell responded to 829 Stony Brook Ln. as well. Ofc. O'Donnell, along with Sgt. K. Brester and Ofc. A. Wanish conducted a protective sweep of the basement area of the home. In doing so, Ofc. O'Donnell observed a five-gallon bucket that contained what appeared to be a human head. The head, he stated, appeared to be that of a male, with dark colored hair. Ofc. O'Donnell also observed damp blood stains on the bed, blood drops on the floor near the bed, a blood stains on a mattress propped up against the wall.
- Brown County Dispatch, in searching for any recent police contacts with "Taylor Coronado", found that her real name is Taylor D. Schabusiness 11-23-97. In addition, a recent prior address, found to be related to Schabusiness, was said to be 2353 Eastman Ave., apartment #1, Green Bay, Brown County, WI.
- 9. Your affiant reviewed the details of Ofc. L. Whitman, an officer with the Green Bay Police Department. Ofc. Whitman responded to 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. At the address, officers located a tan van, WI license plate of 580ZJZ. The van was said to have been driven by Schabusiness, which was observed at 829 Stony Brook Ln, Green Bay, Brown County, WI. In running the vehicle license plate, it was

found to be registered to Scott M. Thoms 03-24-68. On the vehicle registration, Thoms address was listed as 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI.

- 10. According to Ofc. Whitman, as she and other officers approached the parked vehicle, Schabusiness was observed standing outside of the apartment complex. Ofc. Whitman noticed that Schabusiness's hand(s) had a "red substance" on them.
- 11. Your affiant reviewed the details of Ofc. G. Russell, an officer with the Green Bay Police Department. Ofc. Russell responded to 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. According to Ofc. Russell, he approached the suspect van and looked inside. He then looked on the ground, in front of the van. Your affiant viewed this area following Schabusiness and Thoms being detained. I know this area to be a sidewalk located between the apartment complex and parking lot. Ofc. Russell noted what appeared to be "2 specks of red liquid that resembled blood".
- 12. Ofc. Russell stated he placed Schabusiness under arrest for the outstanding warrant she had out for her. While putting the handcuffs on her, Ofc. Russell noted what appeared to be "smeared blood" on her hands. In addition, Ofc. Russell stated he observed "dried blood on the back of her sweatshirt".
- 13. Your affiant reviewed the details of Lt. T. Buchmann, an officer with the Green Bay Police Department. Lt. Buchmann responded to 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. According to Lt. Buchmann, as he and other officers approached the suspect van, the doors unlocked and lights flashed, meaning someone had activated the system via a remote key fob. Lt. Buchmann looked toward the (north) entrance of 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI and observed Schabusiness exiting the building. According to officers on-scene, Lt. Buchmann was told that Schabusiness was associated to apartment #1.
- 14. Lt. Buchmann stated he ran inside the apartment complex by way of a common entrance located on the north side. Inside, Lt. Buchmann observed the door to apartment #1 to be ajar. Lt. Buchmann stated shortly after, the door to apartment #1 opened and a male

exited. The male, he stated, was identified as Thoms. Thoms was detained by officers and later transported to the Green Bay Police Department.

- 15. Lt. Buchmann stated he observed a "small wet paper towel like item" and a cigarette in the hallway, near the doorway to apartment #1. Your affiant, after Thoms was detained, viewed this item and noted that it had a red/brown color to it.
- 16. Lt. Buchmann ordered officers to maintain scene security at 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI, to include the entrance to apartment #1 and parking area where the suspect van was located.
- 17. At the Green Bay Police Department, Schabusiness was read her Miranda Rights by Det.D. Graf, a detective with the Green Bay Police Department. Schabusiness agreed to answer questions and understood her rights.
- 18. According to Schabusiness, she and S.R.T., while at 829 Stony Brook Ln., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. intended on engaging in sexual relations involving a chain. Schabusiness stated S.R.T. died as a result of she tightening the chain around his neck. Following his death, Schabusiness stated she dismembered his body, placing his head in the five-gallon bucket. According to Schabusiness, the van she was using was, in fact, the one located at 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI. In that van, Schabusiness stated she transported two sections of S.R.T.'s body parts. Schabusiness stated she used a "bread knife" to dismember S.R.T.
- 19. In her statement, Schabusiness stated she and S.R.T. smoked "meth" on the day prior. In addition, she stated she crushed a "Trazodone" pill, then injected both she and S.R.T. with it. The drug use, according to Schabusiness, occurred at her apartment, 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI.
- 20. According to Schabusiness, she resides at 2353 Eastman Ave, apartment #1, Green Bay, Brown County, WI. Schabusiness stated she stays in the bedroom and Thoms sleeps on the couch.

- 21. Your affiant knows, based on officer's details and statements made by Schabusiness, that evidence/items requested in this search warrant may support the charge of 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Intentional Homicide and a charge(s) under the Uniformed Controlled Substances Act may be located at 2353 Eastman Ave., apartment #1, Green Bay, Brown County, WI.
- 22. The evidence would include but is not limited to; clothing that Schabusiness was wearing, fabric/material that Schabusiness may have used to clean herself, and (blood) stains in areas where Schabusiness may have had contact.
- 23. Schabusiness stated she resides at 2353 Eastman Ave., Green Bay, Brown County, WI, returned there after leaving 829 Stony Brook Ln, Green Bay, Brown County, WI., and admitted to transporting S.R.T.'s dismembered body parts in the van belonging to Thoms. In removing body parts from 829 Stony Brook Ln. and placing them in the van, Schabusiness would have direct contact with the S.R.T.'s body parts.
- 24. As of 02-23-22, an autopsy of S.R.T. has not been conducted, therefore the cause of death is not known. For that reason, I have listed other weapons to be searched for in this affidavit.
- 25. In addition, your affiant knows, based on prior investigations, that cellphones commonly contain data showing GPS coordinates and locations. Your affiant has investigated several cases in which suspects searched topics related to crimes they are involved in and at times, record information related to the crimes by way of photography and/or video. In addition, your affiant, again based on prior investigations, knows that a cellphone is a common use of communication, be it by text or voice calls.

26. Wherefore said Detective Craig Pakkala, a law enforcement officer, prays that a warrant be issued to search such property for the said items, and if found, to seize the same and take the property into custody according to law.

Dated at Green Bay, Wisconsin this 23rd day of February, 2022.

Affiant – Craig Pakkala Detective

Subscribed and sworn to before me on February 23rd, 2022

Honorable \_\_\_\_\_

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Judge of the Circuit Court, Branch

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