PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT Complaint Affidavit Arrest Affidavit Juvenile OBTS# N Notice to Appear Request for Capias Teen Court Referral ORI# FL0037275C Florida Department of Corrections -Report # 23-00465 Office of Inspector General Location of Offense Date of Offense Date of Arrest Liberty Correctional Institution (11064 NW Dempsey Barron Rd, Bristol, FL) 08-12-2022 Name: Perry Oneil Lockhart IV Alias DOB or Age Weight Eye Color Hair Color Build Race Height Complexion Sex I - Indian American W W - White M 5'09 N/A GRN BROWN MEDIUM **MEDIUM** O - Oriental Asian B-Black Address (Street, Apt, Number) (City) (State) Phone ☐ 1. Parent ☐ 2. Legal Custodian Name of Parent or Custodian (Last, First, Middle) Residence Phone ()-Address (Street, Apt, Number) (City) (State) **Business Phone** Juvenile Disposition Notified By: (Name) Date Time 2. Turned over to DOH/C&F 1. Handled / Processed 3. Incarcerated (County Jail within Dept and Released Released to: (Name) Relationship Date Time K. Dispense / Z. Other B. Barbiturate U. Unknown S. Sell M. Manufacture / Type: N. N/A H. Hallucinogen P. Paraphernalia / Activity: R. Smuggle D. Deliver Equipment S. Synthetic B. Buy Distribute Produce / C. Cocaine M. Marijuana Z. Other T. Traffic A. Ampheta O. Opium / Deriv P. Posses Charge Description State Violation Number: Counts Violation of Section (ORD) Unlawful Compensation 838,016 Activity Drug Type Amount / Unit State Attorney Number Court Number N N ⊠ PC Capias DAC □ BW ☐ Juv. PU ☐ Citation Domestic Viol Inj. Order of Arrest Date Issued Writt. Att. # The Undersigned Certifies and swears that he/she has just and reasonable grounds to believe, and does believe that the above named Defendant committed the following Violation of the law: Between the 12th day of August 2022 and the 18th day of November 2022 at 10:40 (Specially include facts constituting cause for arrest) Your Affiant is Inspector John Tadlock (Inspector Tadlock) with the Office of Inspector General for the Florida Department of Corrections (FDOC). The Defendant is Correctional Officer Sergeant Perry Oneil Lockhart IV (Sergeant Lockhart), who is currently employed by the FDC at Liberty Correctional Institution (LCI). Your Affiant has investigated an Unlawful Compensation case alleging Sergeant Lockhart conspired to receive financial gain from Inmate Dwayne Osborne (Inmate Osborne) DC# J27893, for the Introduction of Contraband into the secure perimeter of LCI. testified that Sergeant Lockhart conspired with Inmate Osborne to introduce contraband into the secure perimeter of LCI, and in return, Sergeant Lockhart was being compensated via money transfers through Cash App, a mobile payment service. indicated the Cash App that Inmate Osborne used to pay the sergeant was \$NoHelp1984 and \$BennieLee1933. went on to say the Cash App used by the Sergeant to receive payment was \$Skeeter007 advised he obtained these Cash App names from Inmate Osborne while he Inmate Osborne.

Subpoenaed Cash App records confirmed Cash App username (\$007Skeeter / Perry Lockhart) is registered to Perry Lockhart IV, telephone number , email perrylovkhartiv@yahoo.com, street address , and last four SSN . All identifying information was verified through departmental records as belonging to Sergeant Lockhart.

Subpoenaed Cash App records revealed Sergeant Lockhart received ten (10) successful payments for a total of \$4,405 from Cash App username (\$NoHelp1984 / James Syx) which was registered to Dwayne Osborne, D.O.B. October 15, 1985, and the last four of SSN . The DOB and last four of SSN were verified through departmental records as belonging to Inmate Osborne.

Additional subpoenaed Cash App records revealed Sergeant Lockhart received sixteen (16) successful payments for a total of \$6,395 from Cash App username (\$BennieLee1933 / Paris Osborne) which was registered to Benita Scott, D.O.B. November 9, 1960, and the last four of SSN . The DOB was verified through departmental records as belonging to Benita Scott who is Inmate Osborne's mother. All transactions (total \$10,800) were made between August 12, 2022, and November 18, 2022, during which time Sergeant Lockhart was employed at LCI. A check of the Corrections Data Center (CDC) was completed and revealed Inmate Osborne was housed at LCI during the same time frame.

The Cash App sender identified as Benita Scott, who was contacted, and provided sworn statements that she sent money via Cash App, which was bound for the Cash App that belonged to a male officer working at LCI. Ms. Scott stated the money was sent from two (2) separate accounts which she operated, and it was being sent to the officer for unknown items that he was providing her son, Inmate Dubose, and a third inmate housed at LCI.

These facts were verbally presented to Assistant State Attorney Cole Batson (ASA Batson) for a prosecution decision. ASA Batson agreed to prosecute the case for the charge of Unlawful Compensation.

Your Affiant respectfully submits probable cause has been established indicating Correctional Officer Sergeant Perry O'Neil Lockhart IV did commit twenty-six (26) counts of Unlawful Compensation in violation of Florida State Statute 838.016 in Liberty County, Liberty Correctional Institution, from August 12, 2022, and November 18, 2022. Your Affiant respectfully requests a warrant be issued for Perry O. Lockhart for twenty-six (26) counts of Unlawful Compensation in violation of Florida State Statute 838.016, Unlawful Compensation.

All supporting documents will be available for judicial review and will be further explained in your Affiant's report of investigation.

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I sweat/Affirm the above and attached statements are true and correct			Returnable Court Date				Returnable Court Time AM		
Name/Title of Person Authorized to Administer Onth John Tadlock /R2W			Release Date						□ AM □ PM
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