

STATE OF INDIANA

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VS

COREY JOSEPH HAMERSLEY

PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT

I, DETECTIVE CHRISTOPHER J. RYAN, OF THE BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, BEING DULY SWORN UPON MY OATH, STATE THAT ON OR ABOUT THE 11TH DAY OF MAY, 2012, COREY JOSEPH HAMERSLEY COMMITTED A CRIMINAL OFFENSE. SUCH BELIEF IS BASED UPON THE FOLLOWING:

**COREY JOSEPH HAMERSLEY
321 E. 14TH STREET, APT C-1
BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA 47408
DOB: 7/10/1990 SSN: XXX-XX-0873
WHITE, MALE, 5'9", 160 LBS, BROWN HAIR, HAZEL EYES**

CHARGES:

- ATTEMPTED MURDER/CLASS A FELONY**
- CRIMINAL RECKLESSNESS/CLASS C FELONY**
- POINTING A FIREARM/CLASS D FELONY**
- POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE/ CLASS D FELONY**
- POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA, HASHISH/ CLASS D FELONY**

SUMMARY:

AT 6:53 A.M., THE BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT RECEIVED REPORTS OF A MAN SCREAMING AND SETTING OFF FIREWORKS IN THE VICINITY OF TERRA TRACE APARTMENTS. SUBSEQUENT CALLS WERE RECEIVED INDICATING THE SAME SUBJECT, COREY JOSEPH HAMERSLEY, WAS OUTSIDE WITHOUT CLOTHING AND FIRING A SEMI-AUTOMATIC GUN INDISCRIMINATELY IN THE AREA. HE FIRED A MINIMUM OF 31 9MM ROUNDS.

FROM THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF [REDACTED] RESIDENT DAVID GREISCHAR OBSERVED MR. HAMERSLEY ON THE SIDEWALK IN FRONT OF HIS HOME POINTING A HANDGUN IN THE AIR AND FIRING ROUNDS. MR. HAMERSLEY NOTICED HIM AND ASKED "WHAT WINDOW WOULD YOU LIKE?"

MR. GREISCHAR WENT BACK INSIDE AND WAS QUICKLY FOLLOWED TO THE REAR DOOR BY MR. HAMERSLEY. MARGARET GREISCHAR OBSERVED MR. HAMERSLEY THROUGH THE OPEN DOOR AND IMMEDIATELY CLOSED AND LOCKED THE DOOR. SHE CALLED 911 TO REPORT A MAN WITH A GUN ATTEMPTING TO GAIN ENTRY. SHE COULD SEE HIM

FROM THE WINDOW ADJACENT TO THE DOOR AND ADVISED MR. HAMERSLEY THAT HE DIDN'T LIVE THERE AND MUST HAVE THE WRONG ADDRESS. AT ONE POINT HE ASKED "WHERE ARE MY DEMONS?"

THE GREISCHARS MOVED AWAY FROM THE REAR DOOR AREA. AFTER TAKING COVER, THE GREISCHARS REPORTED THAT THEY HEARD GUNSHOTS, SOME OF WHICH STRUCK THEIR RESIDENCE. SEVEN ROUNDS STRUCK THE REAR DOOR AND ONE ROUND STRUCK THE DOOR JAMB. OF THE EIGHT ROUNDS, SIX ROUNDS ENTERED INTO THE INHABITED DWELLING. THREE VEHICLES PARKED NEARBY WERE STRUCK BY AN ADDITIONAL FOUR BULLETS.

BPD OFFICER DANA RUNNEBOHM HEARD GUNSHOTS AS SHE ARRIVED ON SCENE. AFTER EXITING HER VEHICLE, SHE OBSERVED MR. HAMERSLEY FROM N. LINCOLN STREET. SHE MOVED TO A POSITION OF COVER BEHIND THE RESIDENCE TO THE WEST, 301 E. 15TH STREET. SHE OBSERVED HIM FIRE A ROUND AS HE CONTINUED TO YELL. AMONG OTHER THINGS, SHE REPORTED HIM SAYING "OPEN THE FUCKING DOOR."

OFFICER RUNNEBOHM MOVED FURTHER TO THE EAST AND TOOK COVER BEHIND A TREE. IDENTIFYING HERSELF AS A POLICE OFFICER, SHE CHALLENGED MR. HAMERSLEY AND GAVE HIM VERBAL COMMANDS TO DROP THE WEAPON. INSTEAD OF COMPLYING WITH HER LAWFUL ORDERS, MR. HAMERSLEY TURNED TOWARD HER LOCATION, LEVELED THE WEAPON DIRECTLY AT HER, AND FIRED ONE ROUND. FEARING FOR HER SAFETY, OFFICER RUNNEBOHM RETREATED TO HER ORIGINAL POSITION.

MR. HAMERSLEY THEN RETURNED HIS FOCUS BACK TO THE RESIDENCE AND VEHICLES PARKED NEARBY AND CONTINUED TO FIRE ROUNDS. OFFICER RUNNEBOHM ADVANCED FORWARD TO THE SAME TREE AND AGAIN CHALLENGED MR. HAMERSLEY BY ORDERING HIM TO DROP HIS WEAPON. HE REPEATED HIS EARLIER ACTION BY POINTING HIS WEAPON DIRECTLY AT OFFICER RUNNEBOHM AND FIRING A SECOND ROUND.

OFFICER RUNNEBOHM LOST SIGHT OF MR. HAMERSLEY AND ADVISED OTHER OFFICERS HE WAS HEADED SOUTHBOUND IN THE ALLEY ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE GREISCHAR RESIDENCE. UPON REACHING E. 15TH STREET, MR. HAMERSLEY WAS GIVEN VERBAL COMMANDS FROM OTHER OFFICERS TO DROP HIS WEAPON. AGAIN, HE FAILED TO COMPLY BY NOT LOWERING HIS WEAPON AND CONTINUOUSLY POINTING IT IN NUMEROUS DIRECTIONS, INCLUDING AT UNIFORMED POLICE OFFICERS.

DUE TO THE THREAT POSED TO THEMSELVES AND OTHER OFFICERS, MR. HAMERSLEY WAS FIRED UPON BY OFFICER LUCK AND SERGEANT CRIDER OF BPD. MR. HAMERSLEY SUSTAINED GUNSHOT WOUNDS TO BOTH LEGS AND UNDERWENT SURGERY AT IU HEALTH BLOOMINGTON HOSPITAL. OFFICERS AND MEDICAL PERSONNEL ON SCENE REPORTED MR. HAMERSLEY UTTERING INCOHERENT STATEMENTS, YELLING PROFANITIES AND MAKING COMMENTS ABOUT WAR AND MILITARY RELATED TOPICS.

AFTER BEING ADVISED OF HIS MIRANDA RIGHTS, MR. HAMERSLEY RECALLED HIS ENCOUNTER WITH OFFICER RUNNEBOHM. HE ACKNOWLEDGED KNOWING SHE WAS A POLICE OFFICER IN UNIFORM. HE OBSERVED HER POINTING HER WEAPON TOWARD HIM AND IN TURN POINTED HIS WEAPON AT HER. HE TOLD BPD DETECTIVE CARNES THAT IF HE WAS GOING TO GET SHOT, THEN HE THOUGHT SOMEONE ELSE SHOULD GET SHOT ALSO. HE AIMED CENTER MASS AT OFFICER RUNNEBOHM. PRIOR TO PULLING THE TRIGGER, HE STATED THAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT HOW COOL IT WOULD BE TO SAY THAT HE SHOT A COP. AFTER FIRING AT OFFICER RUNNEBOHM, HE REMEMBERED SEEING HER BACK UP AND TAKE COVER.

MR. HAMERSLEY GREW UP AROUND GUNS, RECEIVED MILITARY TYPE TRAINING FROM HIS STEP-FATHER, AND DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A GOOD SHOT. HE STATED HE WAS COMPLETELY AWARE THAT HE INTENTIONALLY POINTED A LOADED GUN AT A POLICE OFFICER AND PULLED THE TRIGGER, FIRING A BULLET WITH THE INTENT TO SHOOT THE OFFICER IN THE CHEST.

PURSUANT TO A SEARCH WARRANT, DRUGS INCLUDING LSD, HASHISH, AND MARIJUANA, ALONG WITH DRUG PARAPHERNALIA WERE LOCATED IN MR. HAMERSLEY'S ROOM.

COREY JOSEPH HAMERSLEY WILL BE REMANDED TO THE CUSTODY OF MONROE COUNTY JAIL PERSONNEL ON THE AFOREMENTIONED CHARGES.

ALL THESE EVENTS OCCURRED IN BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA.

5/12/2012

DATE



DETECTIVE CHRISTOPHER J. RYAN