UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Hon.

:

v. : Crim. No. 22-

18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)

DESMOND HERRING : 49 U.S.C. § 46505

INFORMATION

The defendant having waived in open court prosecution by indictment, the United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey charges:

COUNT ONE

(Possession of a Firearm and Ammunition by a Convicted Felon)

On or about November 29, 2021, in Essex County, in the District of New Jersey and elsewhere, the defendant,

DESMOND HERRING,

knowing that he had previously been convicted in a court of at least one crime punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding one year, did knowingly possess in and affecting commerce a firearm and ammunition—namely, one 9-millimeter Glock 17 pistol, bearing serial number YYZ280, and one hundred and sixty (160) rounds of 9-millimeter ammunition.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

COUNT TWO

(Carrying a Weapon on an Aircraft)

On or about November 29, 2021, in Essex County, in the District of New Jersey and elsewhere, the defendant,

DESMOND HERRING,

did knowingly attempt to get on an aircraft in, or intended for operation in, air transportation or intrastate air transportation, while in the possession of a concealed dangerous weapon that would be accessible to him in flight.

In violation of Title 49, United States Code, Section 46505.

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION AS TO COUNT ONE

As a result of committing the firearm offense alleged in Count One of this Information, the defendant, DESMOND HERRING, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), any firearm and ammunition involved in or used in the commission of such offense, including but not limited to:

- (1) One (1) 9-millimeter Glock 17 pistol, bearing serial number YYZ280; and
- (2) One hundred and sixty (160) rounds of 9-millimeter ammunition.

SUBSTITUTE ASSETS PROVISION

If any of the above described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
- (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty,

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it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the above described forfeitable property.

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