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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

INDICTMENT FOR
VIOLATIONS OF THE MIGRATORY BIRD TREATY ACT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

* CRIMINAL NO.

15-128

v.

* SECTION:

SECT. C MAG 3

ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.

* VIOLATIONS: 16 U.S.C. § 703 and 707(b)(1)
16 U.S.C. § 703 and 707(b)(2)
16 U.S.C. § 703 and 707(a)
50 C.F.R. § 21.11

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The Grand Jury Charges charges that:

COUNT 1

On or about June 26, 2010, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly take, with the intent to barter, without being permitted to do so, migratory birds, to wit: four (4) yellow-crowned night herons (*Nyctanassa violacea*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(b)(1).

COUNT 2

On or about October 25, 2011, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly sell, without being permitted to do so, migratory birds, to wit: fourteen (14) white ibis (*Eudocimus albus*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(b)(2).

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COUNT 3

On or about November 8, 2011, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly sell, without being permitted to do so, a migratory birds, to wit: five (5) white ibis (*Eudocimus albus*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C §§ 703 & 707(b)(2).

COUNT 4

On or about November 20, 2011, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly sell, without being permitted to do so, migratory birds, to wit; twelve (12) white ibis (*Eudocimus albus*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(b)(2).

COUNT 5

On or about November 25, 2011, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly sell, without being permitted to do so, migratory birds, to wit; twenty-one (21) white ibis (*Eudocimus albus*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(b)(2).

COUNT 6

On or about December 14, 2011, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.** did knowingly sell, without being permitted to do so, migratory birds, to wit; ten (10) white ibis (*Eudocimus albus*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(b)(2).

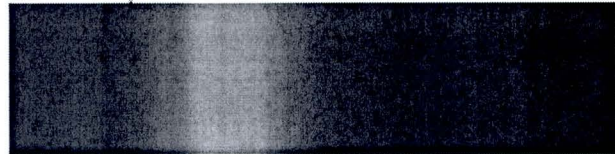
COUNT 7

On or about April 2, 2012, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.**, did possess without being permitted to do so, a migratory bird, to wit; one (1) Barn Owl (*Tyto alba*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(a), and Title 50, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 21.11.

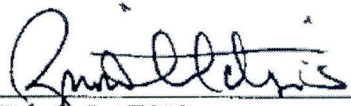
COUNT 8

On or about April 2, 2012, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, **ROYLEY A. FOLSE, JR.**, did possess without being permitted to do so, a migratory bird, to wit; (1) Red-Tailed Hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*), a federally protected bird species under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, all in violation of 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 & 707(a), and Title 50, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 21.11.

A TRUE BILL:



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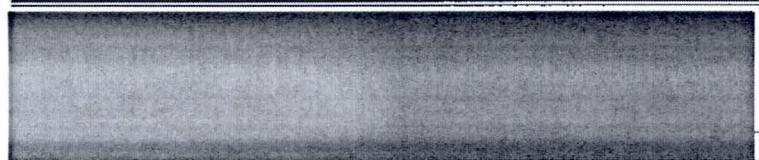
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