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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

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INDICTMENT FOR VIOLATION OF THE FEDERAL GUN CONTROL ACT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA * CRIMINAL NO. **19-00073**
v. * SECTION: **SECT.M MAG.5**
MEKAILL HARRIS * VIOLATIONS: 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(8)
* * * 18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(2)

The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT 1

On or about April 12, 2019, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, the defendant, **MEKAILL HARRIS**, who was subject to a court order issued on May 8, 2018, by the New Orleans Municipal Court, Docket Number 1227687, Division "G," and issued after a hearing of which he received actual notice, and at which he had an opportunity to participate, restraining him from harassing, stalking or threatening an intimate partner, that by its terms explicitly prohibited the use, attempted use or threatened use of physical force against such an intimate partner that would reasonably be expected to cause bodily injury, did knowingly possess in and affecting interstate commerce, a firearm, to wit: a 9mm Taurus PT111 Millenium Pro, bearing serial number TDP15305, said firearm having been shipped and transported in interstate commerce; in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(8) and 924(a)(2).

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NOTICE OF GUN FORFEITURE

1. The allegation in Count 1 of this Indictment is re-alleged and incorporated by reference as though set forth fully herein for the purpose of alleging forfeiture to the United States of America pursuant to the provisions of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), made applicable through Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

2. As a result of the offense alleged in Count 1, defendant, **MEKAILL HARRIS**, shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), made applicable through Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any firearm or ammunition, which was involved in or used in a knowing violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(8), as alleged in Count 1 of this Indictment, but not limited to:

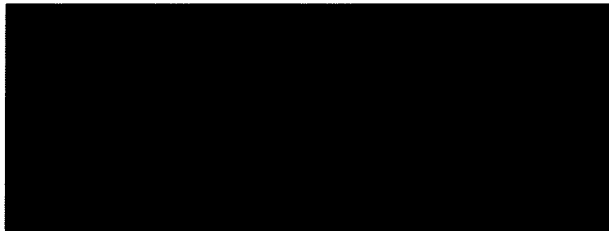
9mm Taurus PT111 Millenium Pro; bearing serial number
TDP15305.

3. If any of the property subject to forfeiture pursuant to Paragraph 1 of this Notice of Forfeiture, 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;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of said defendant up to the value of the above forfeitable property.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(8) and 924(d)(1), made applicable through Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).



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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Brittany L. Reed", written over a horizontal line.

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