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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON

CASE NO. 3:22-cr-**67-TJC-LLL**
26 U.S.C. § 5861(d)
18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(3)
18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(4)

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNT ONE

On or about August 4, 2019, in the Middle District of Florida, the
defendant,

MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON,

did knowingly possess firearms, as defined under 26 U.S.C. § 5845(a), that is:

1. a Black Rain Ordnance multi-caliber machinegun, as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 5845(b),
2. a firearm silencer as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 921(a)(3)(C), and
3. a Glock .40 caliber firearm equipped with a machinegun conversion device, which is a part designed and intended solely and exclusively, and combination of parts designed and intended, for use in converting a weapon into a machinegun, as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 5845(b),

all of which were not then registered to the defendant in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record.

In violation of 26 U.S.C. §§ 5861(d) and 5871.

COUNT TWO

On or about August 4, 2019, in the Middle District of Florida, the defendant,

MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON,

knowing that he was an unlawful user of a controlled substance as defined in 21 U.S.C. § 802, that is, marijuana, a Schedule I controlled substance, and trenbolone acetate, a Schedule III controlled substance, did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, firearms, that is:

1. a Black Rain Ordnance multi-caliber machinegun,
2. a Glock .40 caliber firearm equipped with a machinegun conversion device,
3. a Hawk Industries 12 gauge shotgun,
4. a Remington .308 caliber rifle,
5. a Savage .243 caliber rifle,
6. a Ruger .22 caliber rifle,
7. a DPMS multi-caliber rifle,
8. a Savage 7mm-08 caliber rifle,
9. a Mossberg 12 gauge shotgun,

10. a Kimber .45 caliber pistol, and

11. a Glock 9mm pistol.

In violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(3) and 924(a)(2).

COUNT THREE

On or about August 4, 2019, in the Middle District of Florida, the defendant,

MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON,

knowing that, on or about September 10, 2009, in Alachua County, Florida, he had been adjudicated as a mental defective and knowing that he had been committed to a mental institution, did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, firearms, that is:

1. a Black Rain Ordnance multi-caliber machinegun,
2. a Glock .40 caliber firearm equipped with a machinegun conversion device,
3. a Hawk Industries 12 gauge shotgun,
4. a Remington .308 caliber rifle,
5. a Savage .243 caliber rifle,
6. a Ruger .22 caliber rifle,
7. a DPMS multi-caliber rifle,
8. a Savage 7mm-08 caliber rifle,
9. a Mossberg 12 gauge shotgun,

10. a Kimber .45 caliber pistol, and

11. a Glock 9mm pistol.

In violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(4) and 924(a)(2).

FORFEITURE

1. The allegations contained in Count One are incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of 26 U.S.C. § 5872, 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), and 49 U.S.C. § 80303.

2. Upon conviction of a violation 26 U.S.C. § 5861, the defendant, MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 5872 and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), any firearms involved in the violation, and, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 80303 and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), any aircraft, vehicle, or vessel used to facilitate the transportation, concealment, receipt, possession, purchase, sale, exchange, or giving away of such firearm.

3. The allegations contained in Counts Two and Three are incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 924(d), and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

4. Upon conviction of a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g), the defendant, MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER LANGSTON, shall forfeit to the

United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), all firearms and ammunition involved in or used in the violation.

5. The property to be forfeited includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- a. a Black Rain Ordnance multi-caliber machinegun;
- b. a firearm silencer;
- c. a Glock .40 caliber firearm equipped with a machinegun conversion device;
- d. a Hawk Industries 12 gauge shotgun;
- e. a Remington .308 caliber rifle;
- f. a Savage .243 caliber rifle;
- g. a Ruger .22 caliber rifle;
- h. a DPMS multi-caliber rifle;
- i. a Savage 7mm-08 caliber rifle;
- j. a Mossberg 12 gauge shotgun;
- k. a Kimber .45 caliber pistol; and
- l. a Glock 9mm pistol.

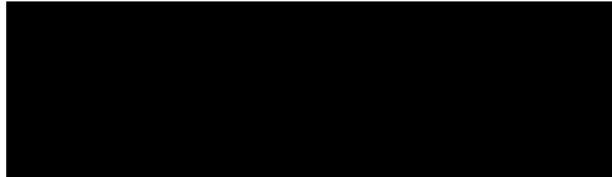
6. If any of the property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- 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;

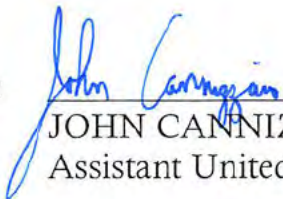
the United States shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

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Ct. 2: 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(3)
Ct. 3: 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(4)



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