

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Hon. Claire C. Cecchi
: :
v. : Crim. No. 19-
: :
RICHARD LOWMAN : 18 U.S.C. § 371

INFORMATION

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

1. From on or about May 1, 2017, through on or about September
30, 2017, in Essex County, in the District of New Jersey, and elsewhere, the
defendant,

RICHARD LOWMAN,

did knowingly and willfully conspire and agree with another to commit an
offense against the United States, to wit: not being a licensed importer, licensed
manufacturer, and licensed dealer, engaged in the business of importing,
manufacturing, and dealing in firearms, and in the course of such business,
shipped, transported, and received firearms in interstate commerce, contrary to
Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(a)(1)(A).

The Object of the Conspiracy

2. It was the object of the conspiracy that defendant RICHARD
LOWMAN and Co-Conspirator-1 ("CC-1") who were not licensed to import,

manufacture, or deal in firearms, profited by selling firearms to another individual ("Individual-1").

Manner and Means

3. Seventeen firearms, including but not limited to multiple assault rifles, were sold to Individual-1 by RICHARD LOWMAN and CC-1 between May 2017 and September 2017.

Overt Acts

4. In furtherance of the conspiracy and to effect the illegal object thereof, the following acts, among others, were committed in the District of New Jersey and elsewhere:

a. On various dates between May 2017 and September 2017, CC-1 negotiated the sale of various firearms to Individual-1.

b. On May 9, 2017, RICHARD LOWMAN and CC-1 met with Individual-1 and sold two firearms in exchange for \$2,000 in United States currency at a location in or around Newark, New Jersey.

c. On August 4, 2017, RICHARD LOWMAN and CC-1 met with Individual-1 and sold six firearms in exchange for \$4,300 in United States currency at a location in or around Newark, New Jersey.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 371.


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