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COMPLAINT

MAC BLOOM, Deputy County Attorney, deposes and says that on or about the 26th day of November, 2015, in Missoula County, the Defendant committed the offenses of COUNT I: BURGLARY, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-6-204(1), punishable by 20 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine; COUNT II: TAMPERING WITH OR FABRICATING PHYSICAL EVIDENCE, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-7-207, punishable by 10 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine.

The facts constituting the offense are:

Plaintiff,

Defendant.

CASEY EUGENE HEAVYRUNNER

COUNT I: On or about the 26th day of November, 2015, the above-named

Defendant knowingly entered or remained unlawfully in an occupied structure and knowingly or purposely committed any offense within that structure, to wit: assault with a weapon.

COUNT II: On or about the 26th day of November, 2015, the above-named Defendant, believing that an official proceeding or investigation is pending or about to be instituted, altered, destroyed, concealed, or removed any record, document, or thing

with the purpose to impair its verity or availability in such proceeding or investigation, to wit: a knife. DATED this 27th day of November, 2015. MAC BLOOM **Deputy County Attorney** Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 of November, 2015. COMPLAINT 15-2718 SCOTT (BADGE 422) KING, Missoula County Sheriff's Office DAVID LAWRENCE WALROD, Missoula County Sheriff's Office ZACHARY SARGENT, Missoula County Sheriff's Office

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-VS-

CASEY EUGENE HEAVYRUNNER,

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

: ss

Cause No. CR-2015-11/2_

AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

MAC BLOOM, Deputy County Attorney, Montana, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

I have read the official law enforcement reports regarding the investigation of CASEY EUGENE HEAVYRUNNER for allegedly committing the offense(s) set forth in the complaint and based upon the information contained in the reports, if true, believe probable cause exists to justify charging the above-named defendant as specified in the accompanying complaint.

On or about the 26th day of November, 2015, at approximately 5:50 a.m., Deputy Leonard, Missoula County Sheriff's Office, responded with backup to a residence on Mars Lane in East Missoula to investigate a report of a male who had apparently sustained a gun-shot wound to the face. Upon arrival, Deputy Leonard made contact with the owner of the residence, Vito Misale, who directed him into the bathroom. There, Deputy Leonard observed a male, later identified as Casey Heavyrunner (Defendant), with a severe wound around his mouth. Defendant was unable to speak and remained where he was standing until medical personnel arrived on scene and transported him to the hospital.

 Deputy Leonard then spoke with Vito and his wife, Carol, and learned that they had been awoken by someone "banging" on their door. Vito answered the door and found Defendant standing on his porch. Carol told Vito to help Defendant, so Vito brought him into the bathroom and called 911. Vito did not recognize Defendant or observe anyone else in the area.

At approximately 6:03 a.m., 911 Dispatch received a call from William Hanson (J.R.), who reported that he shot Defendant with a .22 caliber rifle. Deputy Johnston responded to J.R.'s residence on Highway 200 and spoke with him about the incident.

J.R. stated that he was at a casino near the "Wye" when his wife, Jessica Cadieux, called him and told him he needed to come home. The phone then went dead. J.R. rushed home, concerned that Defendant might be up to something. J.R. explained that Defendant had been threatening him in recent days.

When J.R. arrived home, he observed a dark colored SUV in his driveway occupied by two females whom he did not know. They informed J.R. that Defendant called them asking for a ride. They also stated that "something bad was about to happen" and that Defendant was in J.R.'s house "freaking out." J.R. then ran inside, went downstairs, and retrieved his .22 from his bedroom. He located Defendant in the "bead room" yelling at Jessica. Another female was also present. J.R. ordered Defendant to leave, but he refused to do so. Defendant then said, "You mother [expletive]" and "c[ame] at" J.R. with an open folding-style knife. In response, J.R. retreated backwards and warned Defendant to stop. J.R. stated that he was afraid of being stabbed repeatedly. Defendant pursued J.R. through the living room and into his bedroom. There, J.R. retreated into the far corner. When Defendant continued towards him, J.R. fired his rifle but it did not go off.

 Defendant then said, "Shoot me mother [expletive]. You're going to get it." J.R. chambered a fresh round and fired again. This time, the gun went off, hitting Defendant in the face. After being shot, Defendant fled outside and ran down Highway 200.

Jessica relayed a similar story to Deputy Sargent. She stated that she was awoken around 4:00 a.m. by Brian Parini knocking on her backdoor. When she went to see what was going on, Brian opened the door and walked inside. Brian told Jessica that Defendant was outside and wanted to come in. Jessica told Brian that she did not want Defendant to come in because she knew that he and J.R. had been having problems. Brian then went outside and began arguing with Defendant. A few minutes later, Defendant and a female, later identified as Kirsten Hernandez, walked into Jessica's home. Jessica told Defendant that she would rather he not be there. Defendant, however, did not leave. Jessica stated that he was acting strangely and kept asking to speak to J.R. Jessica decided to "play nice" with Defendant and Kirsten in order to avoid problems, so she brought them downstairs and showed them her bead collection.

Defendant began pressuring Jessica to tell him where J.R. was. Jessica continually replied that she did not know. She tried to leave Defendant to call J.R., but Defendant kept following her around and would not allow her to speak freely with J.R. Sometime later, J.R. arrived home and grabbed his gun. J.R. then walked toward the "bead room" and told Defendant to leave. Jessica said that at this point, Defendant pulled out his knife and charged out of the "bead room" toward J.R. J.R. backed away and Defendant kept advancing. Defendant eventually backed J.R. into the bedroom and threatened to kill him. After J.R. fired his gun Defendant fled the residence. Jessica also

reported that at some point during the altercation, two other females arrived at the residence. They were gone when police arrived.

Deputies investigated the scene and observed a blood trail leading out of J.R.'s home and down his driveway. They also discovered a "live" .22 round lying on the floor on the far side of J.R.'s bedroom and a spent casing lying on the far side of his bed. This evidence corroborated J.R.'s statement regarding his location when the shots were fired.

Later that morning, Vito contacted Deputy Terrill and stated that he found a knife in his residence. Deputy Dicken responded to Vito's location and learned that Vito had removed a shaving kit from his bathroom after Defendant was taken to the hospital.

Inside, he discovered a large folding knife and a micro-cassette tape. These items were collected and logged into evidence.

MAC BLOOM

Deputy County Attorney

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 27 day of November, 2015.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

ORDER

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Upon reading the foregoing Affidavit, the Court finds that there is probable cause to believe the above-named Defendant committed the crimes charged.

DATED this 27 day of Nauh, 2015 at 1.30 a.m./p.m.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE