



South Carolina

STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

Henry D. McMaster, Governor

Mark A. Keel, Chief

P.O. Box 21398
Columbia, South Carolina
29221-1398

WWW.SLED.SC.GOV
(803) 737-9000

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

January 22, 2026

Renée Wunderlich
Director of Public Information

SLED CHARGES TWO CHESTER COUNTY MEN WITH CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY, ANIMAL FIGHTING OR BAITING, AND ILL TREATMENT OF ANIMALS

The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Deveko Lavar Kennedy, 35, with 17 counts of Criminal Conspiracy and four counts of Animal Fighting or Baiting on Tuesday, January 13, 2026.

SLED also charged Moaderell Allen Woods, 45, with three counts of Criminal Conspiracy, eight counts of Animal Fighting or Baiting, and nine counts of Ill Treatment of Animals on Tuesday, January 13, 2026.

The Chester County Sheriff's Office assisted in the investigation.

Details can be found in the attached warrants.

Kennedy and Woods were booked into the Chester County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 6th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

###

SLED news releases are published on SLED's website: www.sled.sc.gov

For media inquiries, please email SLED's Public Information Office: pio@sled.sc.gov



An Accredited Law Enforcement Agency



ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100034

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant: Deveko Kennedy
on 11/3/20

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 2/8/2025 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about February 8, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which
was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Animal
Fighting/Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text conspiring with another party (M. Woods) to carry out a preplanned fight
match between "the males." Context of the conversation indicated at least one of these males was owned by Kennedy. All of the
above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section
16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 2/8/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100035

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1/1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Kennedy
on 4/3/2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

who
violates the criminal laws of the

Tammara R Frost

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

2/8/2025

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

County/ Municipality of
Chester

In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about February 8, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment of Animals, torture. The Defendant was recorded in text conspiring with another party (M. Woods) to carry out a preplanned fight match between "the males." Subjecting the "males" to the torturous fight would cause all involved animals unnecessary pain and suffering. This recorded occurrence is in addition to physical and digital evidence seized by SLED. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

Tammara R Frost

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 2/8/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100036

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-04347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Woods
on 1/13/24

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

ORIGINAL

S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 516

AFFIDAVIT

Tammara R Frost

who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about

2/18/2024

violate the criminal laws of the

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:On, or about February 18, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which
was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of
Animal Fighting or Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text as having discussed his attendance of a fight match involving at
least 2 matched "hounds." The Defendant relayed, to a co-conspirator, his disappointment with the result, having stated, "We lost."
Physical and digital evidence seized by SLED indicated that the Defendant was known to own dogs for fighting and had conspired
with, at least, one other party to accomplish this fight. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED &
violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

Tammara R Frost

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 2/18/2024

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100037

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tamara R. Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Kennedy
on 11/3/2026

Signature of Constable/ Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 318

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tamara R Frost
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 2/18/2024
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about February 18, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which
was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of
III Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text as having discussed his attendance of a fight match involving at least 2
matched "hounds." The Defendant relayed, to a co-conspirator, his disappointment with the result, having stated, "We lost." The
fight match would have subjected the animals involved to unnecessary pain & suffering. All of the above is believed to be true based
on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

Tamara R. Frost

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 2/18/2024 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable
Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 11/2/2026James Gill Knox IV (L.S.)Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100038

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1/13/26

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 51B

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did within this county and state on or about 4/2/2024

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)

In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about April 2, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting or Baiting at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have claimed ownership of a dog he offered up to fight a co-conspirator's dog, telling the other party to, "bring that hound." The invitation followed the other party's advisement that he had, "just beat my first victim." This documented occurrence, in addition to, physical and digital evidence seized by SLED, including a large and bloody dogfighting pit across from the Defendant's house, indicated that the Defendant did own said dog for no other purpose than fighting or baiting. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

Tammara R Frost

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 4/2/2024

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester)

as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
(L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100040

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant: Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on: 1-13-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 618

AFFIDAVIT

Tammara R Frost

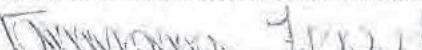
Personally appeared before me the affiant
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 4/2/2024
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:On, or about April 2, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which
was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of
III Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text inviting a co-conspirator to "bring that hound," to fight his own dog.
The invitation followed the other party's advisement, "just beat my first victim." This documented occurrence, in addition to,
physical and digital evidence seized by SLED indicated that the Defendant did own said dog for fighting and had conspired with at
least one other party to accomplish a fight, which would subject the dogs to unnecessary pain & suffering. All of the above is
believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone

ARREST WARRANT

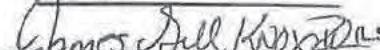
TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 4/2/2024 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal

Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100041

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R. Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 5/1/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about April 2, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of Ill Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text inviting a co-conspirator to "bring that hound," to fight his own dog. The invitation followed the other party's advisement, "just beat my first victim." This documented occurrence, in addition to, physical and digital evidence seized by SLED indicated that the Defendant did own said dog for fighting and had conspired with at least one other party to accomplish a fight, which would subject the dogs to unnecessary pain & suffering. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 5/1/2025defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 5/12/2026James Gill Knox IV (L.S.)

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555Judge's Address 2740 Dawson DriveChester, SC 29706-Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100042

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] /1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-12-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 318

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 5/1/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) violate the criminal laws of the
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about May 1, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which
was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Animal Fighting or
Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator, "bout to do [REDACTED] for some money," going on to invite the
text recipient to the fight. Kennedy also stated, "Walking to the box now," which is consistent with the 16ft x 16ft bloody, wooden
fighting pit, "box," discovered by law enforcement across from Kennedy's home. This recorded occurrence is in addition to physical
and digital evidence seized by SLED. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is
in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 5/1/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable
Sworn to and subscribed before me
on 1/12/2026

James Gill KNOX IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

(I.S.)
Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100043

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] /1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 318

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedydid within this county and state on or about 5/1/2025 State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about May 1, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator, "bout to do [REDACTED] for some money," going on to invite the text recipient to the fight. Kennedy also stated, "Walking to the box now," which is consistent with the 16ft x 16ft bloody, wooden fighting pit, "box," discovered by law enforcement across from Kennedy's home, concealed in the woods. This planned fight would have reasonably subjected [REDACTED] and his opponent to unnecessary pain & suffering. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that on or about 5/1/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable. Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox (L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100044

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

J. Gill
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 5/25/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On or about May 25, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting or Baiting at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have owned a dog he planned to "roll" with another dog. That term is known to be consistent with dogfighting verbiage. The Defendant also advised in text, "[REDACTED] won," regarding the fight. This recorded occurrence is in addition to physical and digital evidence seized by SLED, all indicating the Defendant owned the referenced dog for no reason other than fighting or baiting. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 5/25/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100045

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE 2025-07347
against

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
DOB: [REDACTED] Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Tamara R Frost - S00822
Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

J. Gill
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by:
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 51B

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tamara R Frost
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about July 19, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone,
which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Animal
Fighting or Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator to bring a male dog to match against Kennedy's
male dog in a fight. This fight would have subjected the involved dogs to unnecessary pain and suffering. All of the above is
believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable
Sworn to and subscribed before me
on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

)
) Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
) Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136
) Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100046

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
 DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
 DOB: 1/1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
 Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
 Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049
 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of
 The accused
 is to be arrested and brought before me to be
 dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
 on 1-13-2026



Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
 PO Drawer 580
 140 Main Street
 Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 318

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost
 being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
 did within this county and state on or about 5/25/2025
 State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
 in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
 the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about May 25, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Animal Fighting or Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator of a plan to "roll" his dog, which is consistent with dogfighting verbiage for a fight to build the dog's abilities. Kennedy also advised in text, "[REDACTED] won," regarding the fight. This recorded occurrence is in addition to physical and digital evidence seized by SLED. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of
ChesterAffiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone [REDACTED]

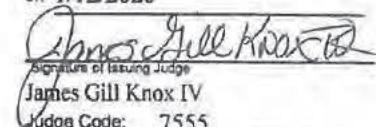
ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
 on or about 5/25/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
 did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me
 on 1/12/2026



 Signature of Issuing Judge
 James Gill Knox IV
 Judge Code: 7555

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
 Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136
 Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100047

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
 DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
 DOB: [REDACTED] /1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
 Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
 Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy on 1-13-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 519

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedydid within this county and state on or about 5/25/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) violate the criminal laws of the in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about May 25, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment of Animals, torture. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator of a plan to "roll" his dog, which is consistent with dogfighting verbiage for a fight to build the dog's abilities. Kennedy also advised in text, "[REDACTED] won," regarding the fight. This fight would have subjected the involved dogs to unnecessary pain and suffering. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that on or about 5/25/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV (L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100048

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be

dealt with according to the law.

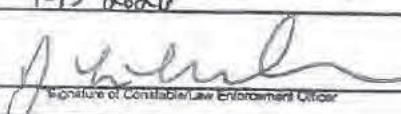
(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant: Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2024


Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2023
SCCA 316

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did within this county and state on or about 7/14/2024
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester
In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about July 14, 2024, the Defendant, Devko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of Animal Fighting or Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text as having discussed the injuries of a female dog he owned. Kennedy described the dog as, "broke," and detailed seeing a part of her leg bone. These injuries are consistent with dogfighting. This documented occurrence, in addition to, physical and digital evidence seized by SLED indicated that the Defendant did own said dog for fighting and had conspired with at least one other party to accomplish a fight. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 7/14/2024 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

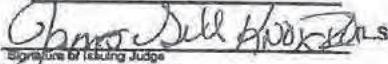
County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026


Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100049

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

John Gill
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 County/ Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
DCCA 515

AFFIDAVIT

Tammara R Frost

Personally appeared before me the affiant
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant
did within this county and state on or about
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
in the following particulars:

7/19/2025

County/ Municipality of
Chester

violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts.

On, or about July 19, 2025, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his
residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone,
which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment
of Animals, torture. The Defendant was recorded in text advising a co-conspirator to bring a male dog to match against Kennedy's
male dog in a fight. This fight would have subjected the involved dogs to unnecessary pain and suffering. All of the above is
believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED. All of the above is in violation of S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of
Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1-12-2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100050

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tamara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)
Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026J. Gill
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA-51B

Tammara R Frost

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 7/14/2024
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about July 14, 2024, the Defendant, Devoko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text discussing the injuries of a female dog he owned. Kennedy described the dog as, "broke," & detailed seeing a part of her leg bone, to which the other party (M Woods) replied by pointing out a suspected exposed ligament. Kennedy & Woods conspired to deprive the dog of proper medical care, instead causing her to, "heal wit it out of place." The dogfight & deprivation of care did cause the animal unnecessary pain & suffering at the hands of Kennedy & Woods. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/14/2024 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing JudgeJames Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100051

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE 2025-07347
against

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]
Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
DOB: 1/1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined
Offense Code: 0049
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of _____
The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On October 10th, 2022, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of Animal Fighting/Baiting. The Defendant was recorded in text as having offered up a "match," for an, "easy 500," to one co-conspirator (M. Woods). These statements are consistent with verbiage used in dogfighting operations, which both conspirators appeared to have been operating on the aforementioned date, and indicated the Defendant had reasonably agreed with a third party to offer the match to Woods. The memorialized agreement is in addition to physical and digital evidence seized by SLED. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

(L.S.)

James Gill 19/02/2022 (L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100052

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be

dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

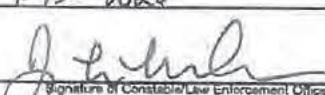
Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

on 1-13-2026


Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 518Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On October 10th, 2022, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish the unlawful act of ill treatment of animals. The Defendant was recorded in text as having offered up a "match," for an, "easy 500," to one co-conspirator (M. Woods). These statements are consistent with verbiage used in dogfighting operations, which both conspirators appeared to have been operating on the aforementioned date. Kennedy's part in setting a fight match would subject the animals involved to unnecessary pain & suffering. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant


STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)
Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

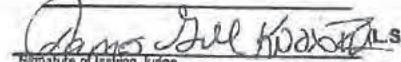
It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedydid violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026


Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555
Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100053

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address: Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL# [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be

dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedyon 1-13-2024

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)

In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about December 7, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting or Baiting at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his work-issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have claimed ownership of two dogs, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. The Defendant advised, in text, to another party that [REDACTED] got off on hit [REDACTED], as he moved dogs around his yard. The Defendant stated he allowed the dogs to fight for, "a few mins," before separating them. This documented occurrence, in addition to, physical and digital evidence seized by SLED, including a large and bloody dogfighting pit across from the Defendant's house, indicated that the Defendant did own the dogs for no other purpose than fighting or baiting. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

If appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 7/19/2025

defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester

as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
(I.S.)

Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100054

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07347

Deveko Lavar Kennedy

Address

Chester, SC 29706-3818

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 5'9 Weight: 230
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1990 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tamara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
on 1-13-2026

J. W. K.
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 81E

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On, or about December 7, 2024, the Defendant, Deveko Kennedy, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation of the data found in his issued cellphone, which was seized by SLED, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with other parties to accomplish Ill Treatment of Animals. The Defendant was recorded in text to a co-conspirator his recollection of 2 of his dogs fighting. Kennedy stated the dog, [REDACTED], "got off n hit [REDACTED]" as he moved dogs around his yard. Kennedy stated he allowed the dogs to fight for, "a few mins," before separating them. Investigation into Kennedy's "yard" suggests one of these dogs would have remained chained in place, unable to escape and forced to fight. All of the above is believed to have cause the animals unnecessary pain and suffering and violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Deveko Lavar Kennedy
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester
as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV (L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100030

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07546

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
on Jan 13 2026

Signature of Deputized/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

AFFIDAVIT

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 51BPersonally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid within this county and state on or about 7/15/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On July 15, 2024, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation into the data found in his co-conspirator's work issued cellphone, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with another party to accomplish the unlawful act of dogfighting. The Defendant received messages recording in electronic communications describing injuries consistent with dogfighting. The defendant pointed out a section of the injury he believed to be the female dogs ligament. The Defendant stated, "It's not as bad as I thought pack it with Vaseline". These facts in addition to a large amount of physical and digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the Defendant and his co-conspirator. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of
ChesterAffiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 7/15/2025 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100032

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07848

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____ SSN: _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/26

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 318

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did within this county and state on or about 7/19/2025 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
In the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On July 19, 2025, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at [REDACTED], Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation into the data found in his co-conspirator's work issued cellphone, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with another party to accomplish the unlawful act of animal fighting or baiting that are plans consistent with intent to fight to the death. The Defendant was recorded in electronic communications as having conspired, on that date, having stated "it's lil drops of rain here but don't matter I ain't trying to bring him back" "I'm asking u this mf can catch a heat stroke all I care". These facts in addition to a large amount of physical and digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the Defendant and his co-conspirator. All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221- _____

Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 7/19/2025

defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555 (I.S.)

Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706- _____

Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100031

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07642

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____ SSN: _____

Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180

DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofis to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Woods
on 7/13/26

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA #18

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R. Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did within this county and state on or about

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

in the following particulars:

5/1/2025

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On May 1, 2025, the Defendant, Moaderell WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Criminal Conspiracy at [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation into the data found in his co-conspirator's work issued cellphone, the Defendant was found to have entered into agreement with another party to accomplish the unlawful act of animal fighting or baiting. The Defendant was recorded in electronic communications as having conspired, on that date, to fight a dog named [REDACTED]. The co-conspirator having stated to The Defendant "Pull up bout to do [REDACTED] for some money" "walking to the box now". The Defendant responded "Bet". These facts in addition to a large amount of physical and digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the Defendant and his co-conspirator All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

I appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that on or about 5/1/2025 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester

) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100033

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] /1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(I.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 314Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid within this county and state on or about 5/1/2025State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of

in the following particulars:

violates the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On May 1, 2025, the Defendant, Moaderell WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting or Baiting at [REDACTED], Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation into the data found in his co-conspirator's work issued cellphone. The Defendant was recorded in electronic communications attending a dogfight on that date, to fight a dog named [REDACTED]. The co-conspirator having stated to The Defendant "Pull up bout to do [REDACTED] for some money" "walking to the box now". The Defendant responded "Bet". These facts in addition to a large amount of physical and digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the Defendant and his co-conspirator All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 5/1/2025 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester

as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/12/2026James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555(I.S.) Judge's Address 2740 Dawson DriveChester, SC 29706-Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100029

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07846

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1980 Agency DRI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540
Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County Municipality of _____

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
on Jan 13 2026

Signature of Applicable Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 518

Tammara R Frost

who

defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

7/19/2025

County/ Municipality of
Chester

violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On July 19, 2025, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of animal fighting or baiting at [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. Through investigation into the data found in his co-conspirator's work issued cellphone, the Defendant was found to have owned an animal for the purpose of fighting or baiting. The Defendant made plans that are consistent with intent to fight to the death. The Defendant was recorded in electronic communications, on that date, having stated "U still want to do something or in the morning or this evening" its lil drops of rain here but don't matter I ain't trying to bring him back" "I'm asking u this mf can catch a heat stroke all I care" "otw". All of the above is believed to be true based on the investigation of SLED & violates S.C. Code of Laws section 16-17-410

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
 County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 7/19/2025 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable
Sworn to and subscribed before me _____

on 1/12/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100057

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07846

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____ SSN _____
Sex M Race B Height 6 Weight 180
DL State SC DL# DOB 1980 Agency ORI # SCLED0000Prosecuting Agency State Law Enforcement DivisionProsecuting Officer Tammara R Frost - S00822Offense Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, tortureOffense Code 2804Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Moaderell Woods on 1/13/21

Signature of Constable Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) in the following particulars

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a black, female pit bull-type dog (Dog 1). Dog 1 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect her from the elements and freezing temperatures, deprivation of clean water, lack of enrichment, untreated medical conditions, and feces left in her living area. Dog 1 showed scarring consistent with dogfighting and was visibly underweight. WOODS was determined to own Dog 1 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
 Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026James Gill Knox IV
(L.S.)
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

) Judge's Address 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100058

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____

Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]DOB: [REDACTED] /1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement DivisionProsecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, tortureOffense Code: 2804Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/26

Signature of Constable/ Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 51B

AFFIDAVIT

Tammara R Frost

who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did within this county and state on or about

1/13/2026

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of

in the following particulars:

Chester

violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a tan, male pit bull-type dog (Dog 2). Dog 2 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect him from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, and feces left in his living area. Dog 2 showed scarring consistent with dogfighting injuries. WOODS was determined to own Dog 2 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester

as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson DriveChester, SC 29706-Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100059

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____ SSN: _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180DL State: SC DL #: _____
DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement DivisionProsecuting Officer: Tamara R Frost - S00822Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general,
tortureOffense Code: 2804Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant: Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constituted Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518Personally appeared before me the affiant Tamara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/in the following particulars: Municipality of

Chester

) who
violate the criminal laws of theDESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, tortureI further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a tan and white, female pit bull-type dog (Dog 3). Dog 3 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect her from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, and feces left in her living area. WOODS was determined to own Dog 3 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of

Chester

) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100060

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____ SSN: _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: _____
DOB: 1/1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general,
torture

Offense Code: 2804
Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County Municipality of _____

is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant: Moaderell Woods
on: 1/13/2016

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer: _____

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Tammara R Frost

who

Personally appeared before me the affiant
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did within this county and state on or about

1/13/2026

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
in the following particulars:

violate the criminal laws of the

County: _____
Municipality of: _____
Chester

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, _____ Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a black, female pit bull-type dog (Dog 4). Dog 4 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect her from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, and feces left in her living area. Dog 4 had scarring consistent with dogfighting injuries. WOODS was determined to own Dog 4 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

If appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of
 County Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100061

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____ SSN: [REDACTED]
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
 DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
 DOB: [REDACTED] 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general,
torture

Offense Code: 2804

Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant: Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable, Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a tan, female pit bull-type dog (Dog 5). Dog 5 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect her from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, untreated skin condition, and feces left in her living area. Dog 5 had scarring consistent with dogfighting injuries. WOODS was determined to own Dog 5 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026

defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive

Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100062

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____ SSN _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1/18/1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammarra R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Offense Code: 2804

Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality ofThe accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant: Moaderell Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable or Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 51B

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammarra R Frost
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, _____ Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a brown, female pit bull-type dog (Dog 6). Dog 6 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect her from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, and feces left in her living area. Dog 6 had scarring consistent with dogfighting injuries. WOODS was determined to own Dog 6 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing JudgeJudge Code: 7555(L.S.))
Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100064

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

205-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____ SSN: _____
Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1/1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement DivisionProsecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, tortureOffense Code: 2804Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
 Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, _____ Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized brown and white, male pit bull-type puppy (Dog 8). Dog 8 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect him from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant confinement in a small cage, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, visible apparent flea dirt, and feces covering his living and eating area. WOODS was determined to own Dog 8 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
 Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV
Judge Code: 7555

(L.S.)

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100065

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: M Race: B SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: M Height: 6 Weight: 180
DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement DivisionProsecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822Offense: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, tortureOffense Code: 2804Code/Ordinance Sec: 47-01-0040(B)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

The accused
is to be arrested and brought before me to be
dealt with according to the law

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
on 1/13/2026

Signature of Available Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) violate the criminal laws of the
in the following particulars:DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13th, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen Woods, knowingly committed the offense of Ill Treatment of Animals, torture at his residence, [REDACTED] Chester in Chester County, SC. On that date, SLED executed a search warrant at the location and seized a tan and white, male pit bull-type dog (Dog 9). Dog 9 was found to have been subjected to unnecessary pain and suffering through inadequate shelter that failed to protect him from the elements and freezing temperatures, constant tethering on a heavy logging chain to a fixed point, lack of enrichment, deprivation of clean water, untreated medical condition, and feces left in his living area. Dog 9 had scarring consistent with dogfighting injuries. WOODS was determined to own Dog 9 and by acts of commission or omission, failed to provide the dog with adequate care, violating S.C. Code of Laws, 47-1-0040(B).

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Ill treatment of animals in general, torture

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge

Judge Code: 7555

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

(L.S.)) Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136
Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit
ORIGINAL ORIGINAL ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100066

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address:

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
 DL State: SC DL #: ██████████
 DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
 Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
 Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540
 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of _____

The accused
 is to be arrested and brought before me to be
 dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
 defendant Moaderell Woods
 on 1/13/21

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
 PO Drawer 580
 140 Main Street
 Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
 S.C. Attorney General
 April 21, 2003
 SCCA 518

Tammara R Frost

who

Personally appeared before me the affiant
 being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
 did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026
 State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of
in the following particulars:

violate the criminal laws of the

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
 the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting/Baiting while
 at the property of ██████████ Chester County, SC. WOODS was determined to own a female black colored pit bull-type dog
 (Dog I) for the purpose of fighting or baiting. On this date, SLED executed a search warrant on the property, during which dog was
 found underweight, untreated medical conditions and had visible scars consistent with scarring from dogfighting injuries. These
 facts are in addition to the large amount of physical & digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving
 the Defendant & his co-conspirator. Such acts violate S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
 Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
 on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
 did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of
Chester) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
 her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
 soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
 Signature of Issuing Judge
 James Gill Knox IV
 Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100067

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2026-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____ SSN _____

Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180

DL State: SC DL #: _____

DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

 County/ Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be

dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date: _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant: Moaderell Woodson: 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of)
Chester)

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frost who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:On January 13, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting/Baiting while
at the property of _____ Chester County, SC. WOODS was determined to own a male tan colored pit bull-type dog
(Dog 2) for the purpose of fighting or baiting. On this date, SLED executed a search warrant on the property, during which dog was
found tethered by a heavy logging chain, and had visible scars consistent with scarring from dogfighting injuries. These facts are in
addition to the large amount of physical & digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the
Defendant & his co-conspirator. Such acts violate S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of)

Chester)

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

If appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026defendant: Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

 County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me)

on 1/13/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge

James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-
Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100068

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

 County/ Municipality of

Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07846

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address: [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone: _____ SSN: [REDACTED]
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180
 DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]
 DOB: [REDACTED] 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
 Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
 Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540
 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of _____
 The accused
 is to be arrested and brought before me to be
 dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date _____

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
 defendant Moaderell Woods
 on 1/13/26

Signature of Constable/ Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
 PO Drawer 580
 140 Main Street
 Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
 Chester)

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
 S.C. Attorney General
 April 21, 2003
 GCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
 did within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester)
 in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
 the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting/Baiting while
 at the property of [REDACTED] Chester County, SC. WOODS was determined to own a female black colored pit bull-type dog
 (Dog 3) for the purpose of fighting or baiting. On this date, SLED executed a search warrant on the property, during which dog was
 found tethered by a heavy logging chain, and had visible scars consistent with scarring from dogfighting injuries. These facts are in
 addition to the large amount of physical & digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the
 Defendant & his co-conspirator. Such acts violate S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County/ Municipality of)
 Chester)

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

If appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that
 on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods
 did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or
 her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as
 soon thereafter as is practicable
 Sworn to and subscribed before me)
 on 1/13/2026)

James Gill Knox IV (L.S.)
 Signature of Issuing Judge
 James Gill Knox IV
 Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address 2740 Dawson DriveChester, SC 29706-Judge's Telephone (803)581-5136Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100069

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE
against

2025-07646

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone _____
 Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 SSN: _____
 DL State: SC DL #: _____
 DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000
 Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division
 Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822
 Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540
 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the
 County/ Municipality of _____
 The accused
 is to be arrested and brought before me to be
 dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to
 defendant Moaderell Woods
 on 1/13/2026

Signature of Constable Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
 PO Drawer 580
 140 Main Street
 Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
 S.C. Attorney General
 April 21, 2003
 20CA-518

Personally appeared before me the affiant Tammara R Frostbeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Moaderell Allen Woodsdid within this county and state on or about 1/13/2026State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell Allen WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting/Baiting while at the property of _____ Chester County, SC. WOODS was determined to own a female tan colored pit bull-type dog (Dog S) for the purpose of fighting or baiting. On this date, SLED executed a search warrant on the property, during which dog was found tethered by a heavy logging chain, and had visible scars consistent with scarring from dogfighting injuries. These facts are in addition to the large amount of physical & digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the Defendant & his co-conspirator. Such acts violate S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
 Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone: _____

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

County/ Municipality of
Chester) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
 Signature of Issuing Judge
 James Gill Knox IV
 Judge Code: 7555

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
 Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

ARREST WARRANT

2026A1210100071

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

THE STATE 2025-07646

against

Moaderell Allen Woods

Address [REDACTED]

Chester, SC 29706-7412

Phone [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 180

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: 1980 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Tammara R Frost - S00822

Offense: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Offense Code: 0540

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-27-0030

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

County/ Municipality of

is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date [REDACTED]

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant
on [REDACTED]

Moaderell Woods

1/13/26

Signature of Issuing Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
PO Drawer 580
140 Main Street
Chester, SC 29706

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

AFFIDAVIT

ORIGINAL

Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
BCCA 516

who

Personally appeared before me the affiant
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant
did within this county and state on or about

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [REDACTED])
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit
the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

On January 13, 2026, the Defendant, Moaderell WOODS, knowingly committed the offense of Animal Fighting/Baiting while
at the property of [REDACTED] Chester County, SC. WOODS was determined to own a male brown colored pit bull-type dog
(Dog 8) for the purpose of fighting or baiting. On this date, SLED executed a search warrant on the property, during which dog was
found tethered by a heavy logging chain, and had visible scars consistent with scarring from dogfighting injuries. These facts are in
addition to the large amount of physical & digital evidence seized by SLED in a large dogfighting conspiracy involving the
Defendant & his co-conspirator. Such acts violate S.C. Code of Laws section 16-27-0030.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of
Chester

Affiant's Address: P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-
Affiant's Telephone: [REDACTED]

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 1/13/2026 defendant Moaderell Allen Woods

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

County/ Municipality of Chester) as set forth below;

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Animals / Animal Fighting or Baiting Act, penalty

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sworn to and subscribed before me

on 1/13/2026

James Gill Knox IV
Signature of Issuing Judge
James Gill Knox IV

Judge Code: 7555

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL

Judge's Address: 2740 Dawson Drive
Chester, SC 29706-

Judge's Telephone: (803)581-5136

Issuing Court: Magistrate Municipal Circuit

ORIGINAL

ORIGINAL