

AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

Commonwealth of Virginia

VA. CODE § 19.2-54

The undersigned Applicant states under oath:

1. A search is requested in relations to an offense substantially described as follows:

Murder, a violation of the Code of Virginia, Section 18.2-32

[] CONTINUED ON ATTACHED SHEET

2. The place, person or thing to be searched is described as follows:

The person of Richard Samuel Alden McCroskey, III, a white male, whose date of birth 12/26/1988, and having a social security number of [REDACTED], currently being held at Piedmont Regional Jail.

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3. The things or persons to be searched for are described as follows:

Major Case inked and rolled fingerprints and palm prints of Richard Samuel Alden McCroskey, III.

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200900084

CASE NO.

AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

APPLICANT:

W. H. Hogan

NAME

Sergeant

TITLE (IF ANY)

Farmville Police Dept.

ADDRESS

116 N. Main St. Farmville, VA 23901

Certified to Clerk of

Circuit Court

CITY OR COUNTY

on

DATE

TITLE

SIGNATURE

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[] by electronically transmitted facsimile

to Clerk of

Circuit Court

CITY OR COUNTY WHERE EXECUTED

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4. The material facts constituting probable cause that the search should be made are:

On September 18, 2009, officers of the Farmville Police Dept. discovered the bodies of four deceased persons at 505 First Ave. Farmville, VA. The four victims had signs of obvious trauma and violence. Richard Samuel Alden McCroskey, III was seen inside the home at that address by multiple police officers, at two different times, between midnight and 1:03 a.m. on September 18th. McCroskey was also seen at the residence on September 16th by Thomas Wells, Jr. At approximately 4:20 a.m. on September 18th, deputies from the Prince Edward County Sheriff's Office encountered McCroskey with a vehicle registered to Mark Niederbrock, one of the deceased. McCroskey admitted to driving the vehicle at that time. Several latent fingerprints were recovered from Niederbrock's vehicle. Additionally, multiple items, which could have been used as weapons, were recovered from the residence and may contain the fingerprints of the assailant.

5. The object, thing or person searched for constitutes evidence of the commission of such offense.

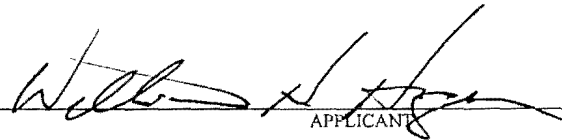
6. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this affidavit OR

7. I was advised of the facts set forth in this affidavit in whole or in part, by an informer. This informer's credibility or the reliability of the information may be determined from the following facts:

The statements above are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sergeant

TITLE OF APPLICANT



APPLICANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day.

DATE AND TIME

CLERK MAGISTRATE JUDGE

SEARCH WARRANT

Commonwealth of Virginia VA. CODE §§ 19.2-56, 19.2-57

TO ANY AUTHORIZED OFFICER:

You are hereby commanded in the name of the Commonwealth to forthwith search the following place, person or thing either in day or night

The person of Richard Samuel Alden McCroskey, III, a white male, whose date of birth 12/26/1988, and having a social security number of [REDACTED], currently being held at Piedmont Regional Jail

for the following property, objects and/or persons:
Major Case inked and rolled fingerprints and palm prints of Richard Samuel Alden McCroskey, III.

You are further commanded to seize said property, persons, and/or objects if they be found and to produce before the Prince Edward Circuit Court an inventory of all property, persons, and/or objects seized.

This SEARCH WARRANT is issued in relation to an offense substantially described as follows:
Murder, a violation of the Code of Virginia, Section 18.2-32

I, the undersigned, have found probable cause and believe that the property or person constitutes evidence of the crime identified herein or tends to show that the person(s) named or described herein has committed or is committing a crime and further that the search should be made, based on the statements in the attached affidavit sworn to by

Sergeant W.H. Hogan

NAME OF AFFIANT

Barbara Gamage

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DATE AND TIME

Barbara Gamage

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FILE NO.

SEARCH WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

v./In re

McCroskey, Richard Samuel III

Piedmont Regional Jail

Farmville, VA 23901

SEARCH INVENTORY AND RETURN

The following items, and no others, were seized under authority of this WARRANT:

1. Inked & Rolled Fingerprints AND Palm Prints
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____

The statement above is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

10/19/2009
DATE

Walter S. Hagen
EXECUTING OFFICER

Subscribed and sworn before me this day

10-19-09
DATE

Jacqui Glauk DC
[] CLERK [] MAGISTRATE [] JUDGE

FOR NOTARY PUBLIC'S USE ONLY:

State of _____ [] City [] County of _____

Acknowledged, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20 _____

NOTARY REGISTRATION NUMBER _____

NOTARY PUBLIC
(My commission expires: _____)

EXECUTION

Executed by searching the within described place, person or thing.

10/19/2009 1434
DATE AND TIME EXECUTED

Walter S. Hagen
EXECUTING OFFICER

Certified to PRINCE EDWARD

Circuit Court on 10/19/2009
DATE

Walter S. Hagen
EXECUTING OFFICER

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by: Jacqui Glauk
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