

CUMCD COURT

Docket No. 2018-SW-116

SEALED

Action: Search Warrant

STATE OF MAINE

VS

John D. Williams

Date of Entry:

5/22/2018:

Search Warrant, Affidavit of Detective Jason Andrews in Support of Search Warrant, Inventory Sheet, and Motion to Impound, granted by Judge Mullen until further order of Court.

STATE OF MAINE

UNIFIED CRIMINAL COURT
Location Cumberland
Docket No.

SEARCH WARRANT
{M.R. Crim. P. 41}

TO: Any officer authorized by law to execute this search warrant. On the basis of the

Affidavit(s) by:
Det. Jason Andrews dated,5-03-18;
dated, ;
dated, ;

which affidavit(s) is/ are attached to the original hereof and made a part thereof to be filed in the Unified Criminal Court;

Evidence given under oath/ affirmation by:

dated, ;
dated, ;

which evidence was recorded on tape no(s) to be filed in the Unified Criminal Court;

I am satisfied that there is probable cause to believe that there are grounds for the issuance of a search warrant. You are therefore commanded to search the place(s) items, and/ or person(s) described below for the property, items, and/ or person(s) described below and, if the property, items, and/ or person(s) is/ are found, to seize such property, items, and/ or person(s) and prepare a written inventory of the property seized.

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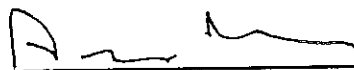
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**Issued at Somerset Unified Criminal Court in the County of Somerset on
May 3rd, 2018.**



Judge, Maine District Court

STATE OF MAINE

UNIFIED CRIMINAL COURT

Division of Cumberland

Location Portland

Docket No. 18-2275

AFFIDAVIT AND REQUEST FOR SEARCH WARRANT
[M.R.Crim.P. 41]

TO: Any Judge of the Unified Criminal Court or Justice of the Peace:

I, Jason Andrews, a Detective with the Maine State Police, Somerset County, State of Maine, apply for a search warrant to search the premises, person(s), vehicle(s), place(s) or other property described below and to seize the property or person(s) also described below.

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Location: 807 Cushing Rd, Warren, Knox County, ME and MCU- Central 36 Hospital St, Augusta, Kennebec County, ME

Owner/occupant (if known): JOHN WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88)

Description: Building Vehicle Person Other

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The facts and circumstances of my probable cause are as follows:

1. On Tuesday April 24th, 2018 at 4:00 PM Somerset County Deputy Corporal Eugene COLE (DOB 10-07-56) was assigned to the nightshift for the Somerset County Sheriff's Office. Cpl. COLE was operating a white marked Chevrolet Silverado pickup truck, bearing County Police plate 1320. Dep. Cpl. COLE was wearing his issued uniform and gun/ utility belt.
2. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at approximately 1:00 AM Cpl. COLE was talking with another Somerset County Deputy on his cellular telephone. This cellular phone call was abruptly ended and appeared to have lost service or connection.
3. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at approximately 1:42 AM, LILLIAN BERNIER (DOB 10-01-77), the clerk at the Cumberland Farms convenience store located on Main Street in Norridgewock, Somerset County, Maine, called 9-1-1. She reported to Somerset County Communications Center that a male subject had "robbed the store." She observed a male subject walk into the store. This male subject grabbed a pack of cigarettes, a bottle of water, and left the store without paying. LILLIAN observed the butt end of a handgun in the male subject's waistband.
4. LILLIAN followed the male subject out of the store and observed the male subject get into a marked Somerset County Sheriff's Office pickup truck. She watched the male subject drive away in the Somerset County Sheriff's Office pickup truck.
5. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 1:45 AM, Somerset County Communications Center issued an attempt to locate Cpl. COLE and his marked Somerset County Sheriff's pickup truck.
6. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 5:08 AM, search teams located Cpl. COLE'S marked Somerset County Sheriff pickup truck at 508 Martin Stream Rd in Norridgewock, which is the RICHARD "RICKY" AUSTIN residence (DOB 04-07-85).
7. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at approximately 7:30 AM, Cpl. COLE'S body was located behind a home at 16 Mercer Rd in Norridgewock. There was an obvious gunshot wound to Cpl. COLE'S head. There was one 9mm Luger casing discovered beside his body. There was one 9mm Luger cartridge discovered beside his body.
8. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018, an autopsy was conducted at the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner. Dr. Mark Flomenbaum determined that the cause of death was a perforating gunshot wound of neck with perforation of cervical spinal cord.
9. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 8:48 AM, MCU Det. Hugh LANDRY spoke with KIMBERLY SIROIS (DOB 07-31-63) and her daughter ELYZA SIROIS (DOB 07-01-03). They reside at 16 Mercer Road in Norridgewock. KIMBERLY advised that JOHN WILLIAMS had

lived with her growing up, until after this past Christmas, 2017. She reported that on this date, April 25th, 2018, she looked out her back door and observed a Deputy lying in her yard. She went out to check and was going to call 911 but she observed police officers across the street at the Fire Department so she yelled for them. KIMBLERY also reported her dogs were barking sometime during the night but she didn't get up to check on them.

10. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 8:27 AM, MCU Det. Ryan BROCKWAY and your affiant met with and interviewed BRITTANY ROSEBERRY (DOB 12-11-91) at the Skowhegan Police Department. During this interview, ROSEBERRY stated that she and her boyfriend, CHRISTOPHER SHULENSKI, had received a cellular phone call from JOHN WILLIAMS at approximately 1:00 AM on this date. She described JOHN as a friend and former co-worker of SHULENSKI'S. JOHN asked to be picked up at the Indian Hill apartments in Skowhegan.
11. ROSEBERRY explained that she and SHULENSKI traveled to the apartments in their blue Honda Civic (ME PC 2669VZ). When they arrived, JOHN eventually showed up at their vehicle with two males. ROSEBERRY knew one of the males to be named CHRIS; she didn't know his last name and she didn't know who the other male was. JOHN had several bags with him and items were placed in the trunk of the vehicle. She noted that JOHN had a bullet proof vest with him at this time.
12. ROSEBERRY stated that they drove JOHN to a residence in Norridgewock. She described JOHN as being "tweaked" during their drive. When they got to the residence in Norridgewock, JOHN exited their vehicle and she observed him take the bags from the trunk of their vehicle and place them in a silver SUV that was parked in the driveway at the home. She and SHULENSKI left JOHN at the home in Norridgewock and returned to Skowhegan.
13. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 8:55 AM, Det. BROCKWAY and your affiant met with and interviewed CHRISTOPHER SHULENSKI (DOB 10-13-86) at the Skowhegan Police Department. During this interview, SHULENSKI estimated that he had received the cellular telephone call from JOHN WILLIAMS at 1:06 AM. He noted that JOHN had requested that he be picked up from the Indian Ridge Apartments in Skowhegan. He and his girlfriend, BRITTANY ROSEBERRY went to pick up JOHN.
14. SHULENSKI explained that once he and BRITTANY showed up at the Indian Ridge Apartments in Skowhegan it took a long time for JOHN WILLIAMS to appear at their vehicle. SHULENSKI noted that JOHN put items in the trunk of his vehicle and he also had some bags with him inside the vehicle. SHULENSKI observed JOHN to have a bullet proof vest with him in the passenger compartment of the vehicle.
15. SHULENSKI informed us that on their drive to Norridgewock they observed a Somerset County Sheriff's pickup truck parked at the gas pumps at the Cumberland Farms in Norridgewock. After seeing the Somerset County Sheriff's pickup truck SHULENSKI stated that they took JOHN to his former address in Norridgewock. There he helped JOHN take the bags and other items out of the vehicle. SHULENSKI detailed that JOHN asked him to hold on to the bullet proof vest as he was getting out of the vehicle.
16. SHULENSKI went on to say that while they were in the driveway of the home, the Somerset County Sheriff pickup truck drove by the home. He noted that the Somerset County Sheriff pickup truck was driving slowly and after it passed their location, he observed the brake lights of the Somerset County Sheriff's pickup truck come on. SHULENSKI stated that JOHN told him that he should not leave, but SHULENSKI said that he was "legal" and had no concerns. JOHN

remained in Norridgewock and SHULENSKI and ROSEBERRY left Norridgewock and returned to Skowhegan.

17. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at 7:05 AM, Maine State Police Major Crimes Unit (MCU) Det. Joshua BIRMINGHAM met with and interviewed CHRISTOPHER "CHRIS" WILLIAMS (DOB 12-23-78). During this interview, CHRIS told Det. BIRMINGHAM that he is not related to JOHN WILLIAMS, but is a friend of JOHN WILLIAMS. CHRIS said at approximately 1:15 a.m. on April 25th he gave JOHN a ride to Indian Ridge apartments in Skowhegan where JOHN got into a vehicle with CHRISTOPHER SHULENSKI. CHRIS said he saw SHULENSKI put a shotgun into the trunk of his small blue car.
18. CHRIS told Det. BIRMINGHAM that he received a cellular call from JOHN WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88) during the early morning hours of Wednesday April 25th, 2018. CHRIS estimated that he received this call around 1:15 AM. During this phone call, JOHN told CHRIS that he had shot Dep. COLE in the head. JOHN requested to meet with CHRIS on the Martin Stream Rd in Norridgewock.
19. CHRIS said that at approximately 1:30 a.m. he received another phone call from JOHN where JOHN stated that he had killed Corporal Gene COLE and stole his police cruiser. CHRIS explained that JOHN told him Cpl. COLE snuck up on him, or JOHN snuck up on Cpl. COLE (he couldn't remember which) and JOHN shot Cpl. COLE.
20. CHRIS also told Det. BIRMINGHAM he could hear a police radio and a ring tone he knew to be Cpl. COLE'S in the background. CHRIS went on to say that JOHN asked him to come get him on the Martin Stream Road in Norridgewock. CHRIS explained to Det. BIRMINGHAM that he eventually found John standing in the road in front of RICKY AUSTIN'S house on the Martin Stream Road and JOHN got into his car. CHRIS said JOHN immediately took out a "crack pipe" and began smoking drugs. CHRIS said JOHN demanded CHRIS' cell phone and car. CHRIS gave JOHN his cell phone, denied him his car, and told JOHN to get out of his car. CHRIS told Det. BIRMINGHAM he continued to drive on the Martin Stream Road where he encountered a Fairfield Police Officer and told him what happened.
21. CHRIS WILLIAMS told law enforcement that JOHN WILLIAMS had a 9-mm handgun that he carried with him all the time. CHRIS WILLIAMS told officers that JOHN WILLIAMS purchased the 9mm from an individual in Norridgewock.
22. An intensive manhunt began on Wednesday April 25th, 2018. Numerous local, county, State, and Federal agencies participated in search for JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88). On this date, your affiant was assigned to draft an arrest warrant for JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88). Assistant Attorney General (AAG) Leane ZAINEA reviewed and authorized the above-mentioned arrest warrant for JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88). AAG ZAINEA provided your affiant with the corresponding complaint for the arrest warrant.
23. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at approximately 4:18, your affiant went to the Somerset District Court to apply for the above-mentioned arrest warrant for JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88). Your affiant also filed the complaint from AAG ZAINEA with the Court.
24. On Wednesday April 25th, 2018 at approximately 4:29 PM, District Court Judge Bruce MALLONEE signed and authorized the above-mentioned arrest warrant. An arrest warrant was issued for JOHN D. WILLIAMS DOB 07-11-88 charging him with Murder.
25. On Saturday April 28th, 2018 at approximately 12:43 PM, JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88) was taken into custody as he exited a remote cabin in the woods off of Rte. 139 (the Norridgewock Rd) in Norridgewock, Somerset County, Maine.

26. On Saturday April 28th, 2018 at approximately 1:40 PM, Maine State Police MCU Det. QUINTERO and your affiant met with and interviewed JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88) at the Waterville Police Department. JOHN D. WILLIAMS was advised of his *Miranda* rights. He waived those rights and was willing to speak with investigators about this incident.
27. During this interview, JOHN D. WILLIAMS, told your affiant that he had shot Somerset County Dep. Cpl. EUGENE COLE during the early morning hours of Wednesday April 25th, 2018. JOHN WILLIAMS indicated that Cpl. COLE had interrupted him while he was trying to enter KIM SIROIS' home; he referred to KIM SIROIS as his step-mother. JOHN WILLIAMS stated that Cpl. COLE asked him who he was and he (JOHN) answered him by providing the name JOHN WILLIAMS. JOHN WILLIAMS said that Cpl. COLE responded by saying something like "I thought so."
28. JOHN WILLIAMS explained that Cpl. COLE told him he was under arrest and that Cpl. COLE went to reach for his arm. JOHN WILLIAMS indicated that he didn't know why Cpl. COLE was arresting him. JOHN WILLIAMS informed us that he was carrying his "pistol" on his person, which he later clarified was a 9mm.
29. JOHN WILLIAMS described pulling away from Cpl. COLE and pulling his pistol from his waistband. JOHN WILLIAMS stated that he "got the drop on him." JOHN WILLIAMS said that as he pulled the pistol he advanced toward Cpl. COLE. JOHN WILLIAMS indicated that as he did this Cpl. COLE retreated backward, tripped, and fell to ground. JOHN WILLIAMS detailed how he continued to advance toward Cpl. COLE while he was on the ground.
30. JOHN WILLIAMS stated that as he advanced toward Cpl. COLE, Cpl. COLE held his hand up in front of his face. JOHN WILLIAMS described how he took his pistol off safe and shot Cpl. COLE in the head. JOHN WILLIAMS commented that he "eliminated" Cpl. COLE.
31. JOHN WILLIAMS told your affiant that he was mad at Cpl. COLE for arresting his girlfriend, but pointed out that he didn't have a "vendetta" against him. JOHN WILLIAMS stated that he just didn't want or wasn't ready to go to jail.
32. JOHN WILLIAMS went on to say that he then loaded items into Cpl. COLE'S cruiser and drove away. JOHN WILLIAMS detailed that he drove to the Cumberland Farms in Norridgewock. He went inside and took cigarettes and water.
33. JOHN WILLIAMS detailed how he had called friends of his after the incident. JOHN WILLIAMS said that he called CHRIS WILLIAMS and asked him to meet on the Martin Stream Rd. During their meeting, JOHN WILLIAMS asked CHRIS WILLIAMS for his cell phone. He told CHRIS what he had done, that he had shot Cpl. COLE. JOHN WILLIAMS indicated that he also called TOM SCOTT and RANDY WILLARD. He told these friends that he had shot Cpl. COLE.
34. JOHN WILLIAMS also described "ditching" the cruiser behind his buddy's house on the Martin Stream Rd in Norridgewock and eventually fleeing into the woods on the Martin Stream Rd.
35. On Saturday April 28th, 2018 at approximately 3:21 PM, Maine State Police Evidence Response Team (ERT) member and MCU Det. Lawrence ROSE collected one Swiss Army Jacket size small, one Zoo York white T-shirt size small, and one pair of Dickie pants with a pink belt outside the cabin in the woods off of Norridgewock Rd in Norridgewock.

36. On Saturday April 28th, 2018 at approximately 3:25 PM, during a search of the cabin, Maine State Police Evidence Response Team (ERT) member and MCU Det. Lawrence ROSE located a Ruger 9mm handgun with the serial number 31765479.
37. On Monday April 30th 2018 at approximately 11:47 AM, Maine State Police Evidence Response Team Commander Sgt. Scott BRYANT made contact with JEFFREY BESSE (DOB 11-19-70) in Middleboro, Massachusetts. BESSE informed Sgt. BRYANT that he is the owner of the camp where JOHN WILLIAMS was arrested. BESSE said that he does not know WILLIAMS and that WILLIAMS had no right to be there. BESSE indicated that he was fine with the police searching the camp. Sgt. BRYANT explained to BESSE that his door had been shot through and the bullet had perforated the rear wall of the camp. Sgt. BRYANT also notified BESSE that some of his furniture had been broken and burned, and that there was a missing plastic drawer from his plastic storage unit.
38. BESSE advised Sgt. BRAYNT there is no official address of the camp but it would be accurate if I described it as being located behind box 807 in Fairfield, ME. BESSE noted that he owns 20 acres of land there and has two camps near each other.
39. Your affiant has probable cause to believe that if a search warrant is issued to seize this above-mentioned person and property there would be evidence of Chapter 9 crime(s) contained therein.
40. Assistant Attorney General Leane ZAINEA has reviewed and approved this search warrant.

Your affiant prays that search warrant may issue to seize and search any property located at 36 Hospital St in Augusta and the person of JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88) at the Maine State Prison in Warren as result of a homicide that occurred on April 25th, 2018 in the town of Norridgewock.

Reason for Seizure:

- Property that constitutes evidence of the commission of a criminal offense.
- contraband under 17-A M.R.S.A. §1111, to wit, _____.
- The fruits of crime, or things otherwise criminally possessed, to wit, Murder. (17-A M.R.S.A. § 201).
- property designed or intended for use or which is or has been used as the means of committing a criminal offense.
- person for whose arrest there is probable cause or who is unlawfully restrained.

Under oath/affirmation, I state that the information in my statement dated 4-30-18 is true and that I have probable cause to conduct the requested search and seizure on the basis of the information contained in all of the preceding pages and on the basis of the evidence given under oath/affirmation by:

_____ on _____, 20_____;

_____ on _____, 20____;

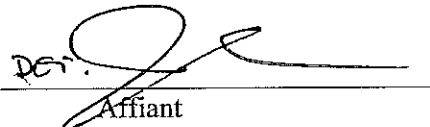
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Affiant

Detective
Title

Subscribed and sworn to by Jason Andrews before me this 3rd day of May, 2018.



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~~Justice of the Peace~~

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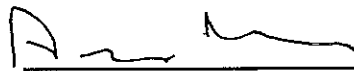
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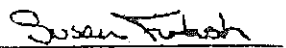
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Judge, Maine District Court
A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: 

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STATE OF MAINE
DISTRICT COURT

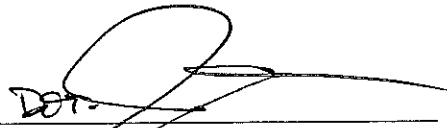
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LOCATION Portland
DOCKET NO. 18-2275

INVENTORY
[M.R.Crim.P. 41(d)]

On May 4th, 2018, I seized the following material(s) pursuant to the search warrant issued by District Court Judge Andrew Benson and dated May 3rd, 2018:

1. A known DNA sample from JOHN D. WILLIAMS (07-11-88).
2. Major Case Prints of JOHN D. WILLIAMS (DOB 07-11-88).
3. Firearms and clothing analysis- pending.

- Attached hereto is/are two additional sheet(s) of paper listing material(s) seized. They are incorporated herein as part of the inventory.
- This inventory made in the presence of the person from whose possession or premises the property was taken to wit: Sgt. Scott Bryant and Det. Hugh Landry
- This inventory made in the presence of the following credible person(s):

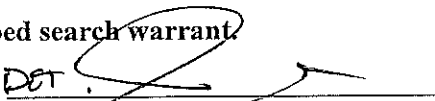


Officer Taking Property

VERIFICATION

On the above date Sgt. Scott Bryant, Det. Hugh Landry, and I seized the property set forth in the within Inventory pursuant to the above-described search warrant.

Dated: 05-14-18




Officer Taking Property

STATE OF MAINE
Rockland, ss.

Personally appeared the above-named Det. Jason Andrews and made oath to the truth of the foregoing inventory.

Dated: 05-14-18,

before me, 

(Deputy) Clerk, District Court/Notary Public.
ASOC

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JANET T. MILLS
ATTORNEY GENERAL



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FAX: (207) 822-0259

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May 14, 2018

Julie Howard, Clerk
Cumberland County Superior Court
205 Newbury Street, 2nd Floor
Portland, ME 04101

**HAND-DELIVERED
ON MAY 14, 2018**

*Re: State of Maine v. John Williams
Docket Number: CR-18-2275*

Dear Julie:

I have enclosed the State's Motion to Impound. Please present this motion to Justice Mullen at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'LZ' with a large flourish.

Leane Zainea
Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

LZ/tlc
Enclosure

cc: Verne Paradie, Esq.
Patrick Nickerson, Esq.

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JOHN WILLIAMS)

MOTION TO IMPOUND

NOW COMES the State of Maine, by and through its attorney, Leane Zainea, Assistant Attorney General and respectfully requests this Honorable Court to order the impoundment of this motion and proposed Order, the affidavit and search warrant dated May 3, 2018 for the following reasons:

1. The defendant in this matter is, charged with the intentional or knowing murder of Deputy Eugene Cole on or about April 25, 2018 in Somerset County.
2. The investigation and apprehension of the defendant involved statewide media coverage. Because of the extensive media coverage and potential conflicts in Somerset County, the case was moved to Cumberland County.
3. Previous arrest and search warrants and affidavits have been released to the public. The affidavits that have been previously released to the public did not contain any statements made to law enforcement officers following the defendant's arrest. The search warrant and affidavit dated May 3, 2018 contains statements made by the defendant to detectives of the Maine State Police following his arrest regarding his involvement in the homicide of Deputy Cole.


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4. Disclosure of this motion and the affidavit and search warrant dated May 3, 2018 would interfere with the defendant's trial rights and the parties' ability to select a jury.
5. Defendant, through his attorney, Verne Paradis, has no objection to the State of Maine's Motion to Impound.

WHEREFORE, the State of Maine respectfully requests that this Honorable Court impound the State's Motion to Impound, proposed Order, and affidavit in the above captioned case.

Dated: May 14, 2018

Respectfully submitted,



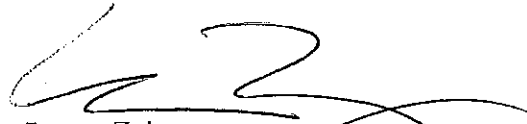
Leane Zainea
Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division
Bar No. 3707

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Leane Zainea, Assistant Attorney General for the State of Maine Office of the Attorney General, Criminal Division, do hereby certify that I have served a copy of the State's Motion to Impound by mailing to:

Verne Paradie, Esq.
Patrick Nickerson, Esq.
Paradie, Sherman, Walker & Worden
217 Main Street, Suite 400
Lewiston, ME 04240

Dated: May 14, 2018



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ORDER

The State of Maine's Motion to Impound is hereby granted. The Clerk shall impound the State's Motion to Impound and the affidavit and search warrant dated May 3, 2018 until further order of the Court.

Dated: 5-14-18



JUSTICE, SUPERIOR COURT