

South Carolina Department of Corrections

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COLUMBIA, S.C. – The SCDC Inspector General released the arrest warrants today for a former inmate on charges involving contraband at Lieber Correctional Institution.

Quinzell Robinson, 46, of Sumter, is charged with operating a drone near a prison, attempting to furnish contraband to prisoners, criminal conspiracy and resisting arrest. The charges against Robinson involve flying a drone carrying contraband toward Lieber, but the package dropped in the woods before reaching the prison yard.

The S.C. Department of Corrections reminds members of the public that after an arrest, the burden of proof is on the state to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt within a court of law.

Copies of the arrest warrants are attached.

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Form Approved by ARREST WARRANT STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA ORIGINAL April 21, 2003 X County/ Municipality of AFFIDAVIT **SCCA 518** 2025A1810200223 Dorchester STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA Richard M Darling Personally appeared before me the affiant X County/ Municipality of being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Ouinzell Robinson did within this county and state on or about Dorchester 3/14/2025 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Dorchester THE STATE in the following particulars: against DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Resisting / Resisting Arrest; Oppose or resist law enforcement officer serving process or making arrest Quinzell Robinson Address: is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did there Phone: SSN the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts: Race B Sex: M Height: Weight: 6 175 On March 14, 2025, while at Lieber Correctional Institution (LCI) located at 136 Wilborn Ave, Ridgeville, SC, 29472, Defendant DL State: DL #: SC Quinzell Robinson did violate Section 16-09- 0320(a) of the South Carolina Code of Laws, Resisting/Resisting Arrest, Probable DOB: Agency ORI #: SC040095C Cause is based on the following facts: SCDC-OIG attempted to effect a lawful arrest after conducting a surveillance operation due to S C D C Office Of The Inspector Genera Prosecuting Agency: recent attempts to introduce contraband to the facility, Agents observed the defendant walking in a field next to LCI carrying a Prosecuting Officer Richard M Darling - S00988 unmanned aerial vehicle (Drone) in his hands along with a orange bag. While trying to effect a lawful arrest the defendant actively Offense: Resisting / Resisting Arrest; Oppose or resist law resisted. Agents were fully dressed in vest labeled police in large letters and the defendant refused lawful commands to place his hands behind his back. Probable cause is based on confiscation of the drone, body worn camera recordings, and defendants' enforcement officer serving process or making self-admissions post Miranda Offense Code: 0326 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-09-0320(A) Signature of Affiant This warrant CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA County/ Municipality of P.O. Box 21787 Affiant's Address County/ Municipality of X The accused Columbia, SC 29221-1787 and brought before me Dorchester Affiant's Telephone with according to the law (L.S.) ARREST WARRANT Signature of Judge Date: TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY: appearing from the above affidavit that reasonable believe RETURN on or about 3/14/2025 Ouinzell Robinson arrest warrant was delivered to defendant did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of defendant Robinson VINT els X County/ Municipality of Dorchester) as set forth below DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Resisting / Resisting Arrest; Oppose or resist law enforcement officer serving process or making 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 RETURN WARRANT TO: on 3/14/2025 General Sessions Judge's Address 212 Deming Way, Box 10 5200 E. Jim Bilton Blvd. (L.S.) Summerville, SC 29483-St. George, SC 29477

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(843)832-0370

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