



## South Carolina Department of Corrections

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**COLUMBIA, S.C.** – The SCDC Inspector General released the arrest warrants today for a correctional officer at Lee Correctional Institution.

Brittney Larhonda Hickmon, 34, of Camden, was charged with misconduct in office. The charge involves engaging in a romantic relationship with an inmate and communicating with him on an illegal cellphone, which she failed to report. She was fired.

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.

A copy of the arrest warrant is attached.



ARREST WARRANT

2026A3110100102

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Lee

THE STATE

06-2025-026

against

Brittney Larhonda Hickmon

Address:

Phone:

Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 3 Weight: 260

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: Agency ORI #: SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C D C Office Of The Inspector General

Prosecuting Officer: Cory N Fogleboch - S00440

Offense: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance

Offense Code: 0819

Code/Ordinance Sec: 17-25-0030

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

on

Brittney Larhonda Hickmon April 7, 2026

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions 123 South Main Street P O Box 387 Bishopville, SC 290100387

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Lee

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

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me the affiant Cory N Fogleboch who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Brittney Larhonda Hickmon did within this county and state on or about 1/22/2024 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of County/ Municipality of Lee) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance

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:

Between January 22, 2024, and August 21, 2025, the Defendant, employed as a sworn Correctional Officer at Lee Correctional Institution (LeeCI), located at 990 Wisacky Hwy, Bishopville, South Carolina, in the county of Lee, SC Code 17-25-0030. Misconduct in Office to wit: The Defendant did engage in a romantic relationship with while employed at Lee CI. The defendant communicated with the SCDC inmate on the recorded wall phones as well as an illegal contraband cellphone to include sending the inmate money. The defendant had knowledge of the SCDC inmate possessing an illegal telecommunication device and failed to report the illegal action of SC Code of Laws Possession of telecommunication devices prohibited which violated a sworn oath taken by defendant to uphold the constitutional laws of the state of South Carolina.

Signature of Affiant

Cory Fogleboch

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Lee

Affiant's Address P.O. Box 21787 Columbia, SC 29221-1787

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 1/22/2024 defendant Brittney Larhonda Hickmon

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

County/ Municipality of Lee) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance

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 4/6/2026

Signature of Issuing Judge Shirley C. Davidson (L.S.)

Shirley Cockman Davidson

Judge Code: 7269

Judge's Address Post Office Box 2 Bishopville, SC 29010-

Judge's Telephone (803) 484-6463

Issuing Court: X Magistrate Municipal Circuit

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