

South Carolina Department of Corrections

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COLUMBIA, S.C. – The S.C. Department of Corrections Police Services released the arrest warrants today for Cameasa Cunningham, 37, of Kingstree.

Cunningham, who was working as a sergeant at Turbeville Correctional Institution, was charged with furnishing or attempting to furnish a prisoner with contraband and misconduct in office. She was fired after her arrest.

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.

ARREST WARRANT	STATE OF SOUTH	I CAROLINA)			ORIGINAL	Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003
2019A1410100460	County/	Municipality of)	A	FFIDAVIT		SCCA 518
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA	Clarendon Personally appeal	red before me the af	, fiant S	hannon B Mixon			wh
X County/ Municipality of	•	n deposes and says	_	**	Patrice Cunningham		
Clarendon	did within this co	ounty and state on ora	about 8	/23/2019	r acrice Cammingnam	violate the	e criminal laws of th
THE STATE		arolina (or ordinance of	Χc	ounty/ Mi	unicipality of Clarend	lon	<u> </u>
against	in the following						
Cameasa Patrice Cunningham	DESCRIPTION OF	OFFENSE: Prisoners	/ Contrab	and, possession by	prisoner, furnishing or att	empt to furnish prise	oner with
Address:							
Phone: SSN		that there is proba orth and that probable	ible caus cause is		at the defendant name	d above did com	mit
Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 2 Weight: 196		•			n (TCI) located at 1578 Cl	larence Coker Hwy.	Turbeville SC.
DL State: SC DL #:	. 29162 Clarendor	n County, Cameasa Cu	nninghan	n did violate Sectio	n 24-3-950 of the South C	arolina Code of Lav	vs, Prisoners /
Agency ORI #: SC040095C Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division					prove the same are as foll		
Prosecuting Agency. Shannon B Mixon - S00301					is. Upon a lawful Search o wrapped in clear plastic wr		
Offense: Prisoners / Contraband, possession by prisoner,	plastic bag conta	ining 280 Grams of lo	ose tobac	co. Four Cellphone	es wrapped in plastic wrap	were located in a So	outh Carolina
furnishing or attempt to furnish prisoner with					stitution. Tobacco and celectional Institution. SCDC		ered Contraband b
Offense Code: 0074	the Director of S	CDC and is a crime to	introduc	e them into a Corre	chonal hishludon. SCDC	#31-2019-111	
Code/Ordinance Sec: 24-03-0950		Signature of	Affiant				
This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the	STATE OF SOUTH	CAROLINA	,				
County/ Municipality of	X County/	Municipality of	í	Affiant's Address	P.O. Box 21787		<u> </u>
. The accused s to be arrested and brought before me to be			j		Columbia, SC 29221-17	87	<u> </u>
dealt with according to the law.	Clarendon			Amants relephone	(803)896-5214	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
(L.S.)				ARREST W	ARRANT		
Signature of Judge	TO ANY LAW EN	FORCEMENT AFFICER	OF THIS S	TATE OF MUNICIPA	ALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE	OF THIS COUNTY:	
Date:	. IU ANT LAW EN	It appearing		the above affidat		easonable grounds	to believe that
RETURN						, -	
A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to		3/2019			easa Patrice Cunninghar	<u>n</u>	<u> </u>
defendant Cameasa Countingham	did violate the c	riminal laws of the St Municipality of	claren			s set forth below:	
on 8/231(9							la la
	DESCRIPTION OF	OFFENSE: Prisoners	/ Contral	band, possession by	prisoner, furnishing or at	tempt to turnish pris	oner with
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Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement-Officer	soon thereafter as i	s practicable	ang to law.	A copy of this Affest v	Yenen Shall be delivered to an	o dololidani at dio dilia	
RETURN WARRANT TO:	Sworn to and substant 8/23/2019	cribed before me	,	,			
General Sessions	012312019			Judge's Address	102 South Mill Street	_	
Post Office Box 136	V V V		(L.S.)		Manning, SC 29102-		
3 West Keitt Street	Signature of Issuing Jud Marcia N. Frye	<u> </u>)	Judge's Telephone	(803)435-2670		
Manning, SC 29102	Judge Code: 7	244)	Issuing Court:	X Magistrate	Municipal	Circuit
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2019A1410100459	Closender Municipality of) AFFIDAVIT	April 21, 2003 SCCA 518
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA	Clarendon Personally appeared before me the affiant Shannon B Mixon	who
X County/ Municipality of	being duly swom deposes and says that defendant Cameasa Patrice Cunningham	
Clarendon		criminal laws of the
	State of South Carolina (or ordinance of X County/ Municipality of Clarendon)
THE STATE against	in the following particulars:	
Cameasa Patrice Cunningham	DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance	
Address:		
Phone: SSN:	I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did comm the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:	it
Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 2 Weight: 196		F 1 . 71 . 60
DL State: SC DL#:	On August 23, 2019, while at the Turbeville Correctional Institution (TCI) located at 1578 Clarence Coker HWY 1 29162 Clarendon County, Defendant Cameasa Patrice Cunningham did violate the South Carolina Common Law,	
DOB: Agency ORI #: <u>SC040095C</u>	Misconduct in Office, with Malfeasance, by introducing Tobacco, along with Four Cell phones, 7 lighters into TCI	
Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division	the same are as follows: The Defendant is a sworn Correctional Officer with South Carolina Department of Correct	tions. Upon a
Prosecuting Officer: Shannon B Mixon - S00301	lawful Search of the Defendants Book Bag, Agent with SCDC Police Service's did locate 10 boxes of Newport Cig	
Offense: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance	in clear plastic wrap and 280 Grams of loose Tobacco. Four Cellphones wrapped in plastic wrap were located in a Department of Corrections van the defendant had driven into the institution. Tobacco and cell phones are consider	
Offense Code: 0819	the Director of SCDC and is a crime to introduce them into a Correctional Institution. SCDC#31-2019-111	
Code/Ordinance Sec: 17-25-0030		
	Signature of Affiant	
This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the County/ Municipality of	STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)	•
. The accused	County/ Municipality of) Affiant's Address P.O. Box 21787	
is to be arrested and brought before me to be	Clarendon Columbia, SC 29221-1787 Clarendon (803)896-5214	
dealt with according to the law.	Anants relephone (803)650-3214	
(L.S.)		
Signature of Judge	ARREST WARRANT	
Date:	TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:	
Date.	It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds	to believe that
RETURN	0.000000	
A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to	on or about 8/23/2019 defendant Cameasa Patrice Cunningham	
defendant Caneasa (UMAing ham	did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of X County/ Municipality of Clarendon) as set forth below:	
on 8/23/19		
	DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Misconduct / Misconduct in office, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance	
(In)	Having found probable cause and the above affiant having swom before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defenda	ant and bring him or
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer	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 soon thereafter as is practicable	its execution, or as
RETURN WARRANT TO:	Sworn to and subscribed before me)	
General Sessions	on 8/23/2019) Judge's Address 102 South Mill Street	
Post Office Box 136	(L.S.)) Manning, SC 29102-	
3 West Keitt Street	Signature of Issuing Judge Judge Judge Judge's Telephone (803)435-2670	
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