

South Carolina Department of Corrections

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COLUMBIA, S.C. – The SCDC Office of Investigations and Intelligence released the arrest warrants today for Louis Quattlebaum Jr., a lieutenant at Turbeville Correctional Institution.

Quattlebaum, 28, of Sumter, is charged with assault and battery third degree and misconduct in office. His charges involve using chemical spray on an inmate and throwing an unknown substance on him after the inmate threw an unknown substance on Quattlebaum. He no longer works for the department.

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.

THE STATE against Louis Quattlebaum, Jr Address:	DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Assault & Battery 3rd degree
Phone: Sex: M Race: B Height: 6 Weight: 275 DL State: SC DL #: DOB: Agency ORI #: SC040095C Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division Prosecuting Officer: Antonio M Barini - S00453 Offense: Assault / Assault & Battery 3rd degree Offense Code: 3414 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0600(E)(1) 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.	I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above dic commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts: On September 23, 2019, at Turbeville Correctional Institution, 1578 Clarence Coker Hwy., Turbeville, Clarendon County, SC, Defendant Louis Quattlebaum, Jr. violated Section 16-3-600 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, Assault and Battery 3rd Degree, to wit: Defendant was an employee with SCDC entrusted with the safety and security of inmates. Victim, an incarcerated inmate with SCDC, threw an unknown liquid substance onto the defendant through the food flap of a locked cell door. Victim was secure behind this locked cell door and not an immediate threat to the Defendant. Defendant got angry and sprayed Victim with Chemical Spray through the open food flap. Defendant returned a short time later and threw an unknown brown liquid onto Victim. These actions injured or attempted to injure Victim, who suffered temporary injury to his face but not rising to the level of moderate bodil injury. Witness provided written statements to prove same Signature of Affiant Affiant's Address P.O. Box 21787 Columbia, SC 29221-1787 Affiant's Telephone
(L.S.)	ARREST WARRANT
RETURN A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant LOUIT QUATILE DAWN IN. On JANGARY IT, TO21 RETURN WARRANT TO: Clarendon County Magistrate 102 South Mill Street P O Box 371 Manning, SC 29102 ORIGINAL ORIGINAL	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 rounds to believe the on or about 9/23/2019 defendant Louis Quattlebaum, Jr did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of X County/ Municipality of Clarendon) as set forth below: DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Assault & Battery 3rd degree Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworm before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the set of defendant and bring him on her before me forth with to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the etime of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable. Sworm to and subscribed before me on 1/26/2021 Judge's Address Post Office Box 371 Manning, SC 29102- Judge's Telephone (803)435-2670 Judge's Telephone (803)435-2670 Issuing Court: X Magistrate Municipal Circuit Circuit ORIGINAL ORIG

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