



## **South Carolina Department of Corrections**

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For immediate release

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**COLUMBIA, S.C.** – The SCDC Office of Investigations and Intelligence released the arrest warrants today for a Cheraw woman on charges involving contraband at Camille Graham Correctional Institution.

Suzanne Leigh McCauley, 38, is charged with providing contraband to a prisoner and criminal conspiracy. Her charges involve mailing a letter to an inmate that contained Suboxone. McCauley is a former SCDC inmate who has been imprisoned three times since 2012 for drug and property crimes. She most recently was released in 2020.

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

2022A1310200063

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Chesterfield

THE STATE

against

Suzanne Leigh Mccauley

Address:

Phone:

Sex: F Race: Height: 5 7 Weight: 142

DL State: SC DL #: Agency ORI #: SC040095C

DOB: Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: William C Pruitt - S00439

Offense: Prisoners / Contraband, possession by prisoner, furnishing or attempt to furnish prisoner with

Offense Code: 0074

Code/Ordinance Sec: 24-03-0950

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 Suzanne Leigh Mccauley

on 5-9-2022

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

## RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions  
200 West Main  
P O Box 529  
Chesterfield, SC 29709

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Chesterfield

Personally appeared before me the affiant William C Pruitt who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Suzanne Leigh Mccauley

did within this county and state on or about 4/ 5/2022 violate the criminal laws of the

State of South Carolina (or ordinance of ☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of Chesterfield )

in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Prisoners / Contraband, possession by prisoner, furnishing or attempt to furnish prisoner with

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:

That on April 5, 2022, the Defendant one Suzanne Leigh Mccauley did violate Section 24-03-0950 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, Introduction of Contraband, to wit: On April 5 2022, the SC Department of Corrections received a letter intended for an inmate Camille Graham Correctional facility containing a Suboxone strip. Suboxone strips are listed as contraband per SC Department of Corrections and are not an approved item for an inmate to possess. The mail was sent by the Defendant, Suzanna Leigh Mccauley, with intention for it to be obtained by the inmate. Probable cause is based on the Defendant's admission to sending the mail on a recorded SCDC phone line.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Chesterfield

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 4/ 5/2022 defendant Suzanne Leigh Mccauley

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

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of Chesterfield ) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Prisoners / Contraband, possession by prisoner, furnishing or attempt to furnish prisoner with

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 5/ 9/2022

Signature of Issuing Judge (L.S.)

John Kennedy Melton

Judge Code: 7370

Judge's Address 3357 Highway 9

Cheraw, SC 29520-

Judge's Telephone (843)921-2030

Issuing Court: ☒ Magistrate ☐ Municipal ☐ Circuit

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S C Attorney General  
April 21, 2003  
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Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: William C Pruitt - S00439

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law  
conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

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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:That on April 5, 2022 the Defendant Suzanne Leigh Mccauley did violate Section 16-17-0410 of the South Carolina Code of Laws,  
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containing a Suboxone strip. Suboxone strips are listed as contraband per SC Department of Corrections and are not an approved  
item for an inmate to possess. The mail was sent by the Defendant, with the intention for it to be obtained by the Co-Defendant, who  
is an inmate in SCDC. Probable cause is based on the Defendant and Co-Defendant discussing plans to send, received and sell the  
contraband inside of Camille Graham Correctional Facility on a recored SCDC phone line.

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