



South Carolina Department of Corrections

Feb. 7, 2024
For immediate release
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COLUMBIA, S.C. – The SCDC Inspector General released the arrest warrants today for a Myrtle Beach man on charges involving contraband at Wateree River Correctional Institution.

Nasidd Zavion Vereen, 22, is charged with trafficking methamphetamines more than 400 grams, providing prisoners with contraband, possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, possession of narcotics and criminal conspiracy.

Vereen is accused of entering the property at Wateree River and throwing two duffel bags filled with contraband over a fence. The duffel bags were filled with contraband, including meth, marijuana, Oxycodone, vape pens, cellphones, vodka, lighters, knives, tobacco and other contraband items.

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.

2024A4310100109

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

THE STATE

02-2024-008

against

Nasidd Zavion Vereen

Address:

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 9 Weight: 185

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] Agency ORI #: SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: James E Graham - S00033

Offense: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

Offense Code: 0049

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-17-0410

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 Nasidd Vereenon 2/5/2024J. M. Hale
Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
215 N. Harvin St.
Sumter, SC 29150

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AFFIDAVIT

Form 11, 2003
SCCA 518Personally appeared before me the affiant James E Graham whobeing duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereendid within this county and state on or about 2/ 5/2024 violate the criminal laws of theState of South Carolina (or ordinance of ☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of Sumter)

in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

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:

Special Agent Graham states the defendant did in the county of Sumter, South Carolina on February 5, 2024, commit the offense of Criminal Conspiracy to wit: the defendant, (Nasidd Vereen) did conspire with unknown male via cellphone to introduce contraband into Wateree Correctional Institution. Vereen was found to be in possession of 2 duffel bags of contraband by throwing it over the perimeter fence. The duffel bags contained approximately 8 grams of marijuana, approximately 402 grams of Methamphetamine, 3 green Oxycodone pills along with other contraband items. Nasidd was seen by the SCDC the roving patrol officer responding to a fence activation at Wateree Correctional Institution. This offense occurred at Wateree Correctional Institution 8200 State Farm Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Probable cause is based on the investigation, and recovery of evidence. SCDC Office of Inspector General (OIG) case 02-2024-008.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

Affiant's Address P.O. Box 21787Columbia, 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 2/ 5/2024defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen

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

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

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Conspiracy / Criminal Conspiracy, Common Law conspiracy defined

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 2/ 5/2024Bryan Keith Griffin
Signature of Issuing Judge
Bryan Keith Griffin (Magistrate)Judge Code 5043

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 190 E. Canal StreetSumter, SC 29151-1428Judge's Telephone (803)436-2280Issuing Court: ☒ Magistrate☐ Municipal☐ Circuit

2024A4310100110

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

THE STATE

02-2024-008

against

Nasidd Zavion Vereen

Address:

Phone: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 9 Weight: 185

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED] Agency ORI #: SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: James E Graham - S00033

Offense: Drugs / Poss. of other controlled sub. in Sched. I to V - 1st offense

Offense Code: 0179

Code/Ordinance Sec: 44-53-0370(d)(2)

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 Nasidd Vereenon 2/5/2024

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
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in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Poss. of other controlled sub. in Sched. I to V - 1st offense

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:

Special Agent Graham states the defendant did in the county of Sumter, South Carolina on February 5, 2024, commit the offense of Drugs/Possession of Controlled Substance Sched. I to V to wit: the defendant, (Nasidd Vereen) Vereen was found to be in possession of 2 duffel bags of contraband by throwing it over the perimeter fence. The duffel bags contained 3 green pills identified as Oxycodone along with other contraband items. Nasidd was seen by the SCDC the roving patrol officer responding to a fence activation at Wateree Correctional Institution. This offense occurred at Wateree Correctional Institution 8200 State Farm Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Probable cause is based on the investigation, and recovery of evidence. SCDC Office of Inspector General (OIG) case 02-2024-008.

Signature of Affiant



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

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 2/5/2024 defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen

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

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

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Poss. of other controlled sub. in Sched. I to V - 1st offense

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 2/5/2024

Signature of Issuing Judge

Bryan Keith Griffin (Magistrate)

Judge Code: 5043

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 190 E. Canal StreetSumter, SC 29151-1428Judge's Telephone (803)436-2280Issuing Court: ☒ Magistrate ☐ Municipal ☐ Circuit

2024A4310100111

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

THE STATE

02-2024-008

against

Nasidd Zavion Vereen

Address:

Phone:

SSN

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 9 Weight: 185

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: Agency ORI #: SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: James E Graham - S00033

Offense: Drugs / Manuf., poss. of other sub. in Sch. I, II, III or flunitrazepam or analogue, w.i.t.d. - 1st offense

Offense Code: 0186

Code/Ordinance Sec: 44-53-0370(b)(2)

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 Nasidd Vereen

on 2/5/2024 2:00 PM

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
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Sumter, SC 29150

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AFFIDAVIT

April 21, 2023
SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant James E Graham who
being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen
did within this county and state on or about 2/ 5/2024 violate the criminal laws of the
State of South Carolina (or ordinance of ☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of Sumter)
in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Manuf., poss. of other sub. in Sch. I, II, III or flunitrazepam or analogue, w.i.t.d. - 1st offense

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:

Special Agent Graham states the defendant did in the county of Sumter, South Carolina on February 5, 2024, commit the offense of Possession with Intent to Distribute Marijuana to wit: the defendant, (Nasidd Vereen) was found to be in possession of 2 duffel bags of contraband by throwing it over the perimeter fence. The duffel bags contained approximately 8 grams of marijuana, vape pen's containing THC, along with other contraband items. Nasidd was seen by the SCDC the roving patrol officer responding to a fence activation at Wateree Correctional Institution. This offense occurred at Wateree Correctional Institution 8200 State Farm Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Probable cause is based on the investigation, and recovery of evidence. SCDC Office of Inspector General (OIG) case 02-2024-008.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

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 2/ 5/2024 defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen

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

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

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Manuf., poss. of other sub. in Sch. I, II, III or flunitrazepam or analogue, w.i.t.d. - 1st offense

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 2/ 5/2024

Signature of Issuing Judge

Bryan Keith Griffin (Magistrate)

Judge Code 5043

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 190 E. Canal Street

Sumter, SC 29151-1428

Judge's Telephone (803)436-2280

Issuing Court:

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Magistrate

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Municipal

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Circuit

2024A4310100112

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

THE STATE

02-2024-008

against

Nasidd Zavion Vereen

Address

Phone

SSN

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 9 Weight: 185

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: Agency ORI #: SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: James E Graham - S00033

Offense: Drugs / Trafficking in meth. or cocaine base - 400 g or more (Felony, 25Y to 30Y)

Offense Code: 0370

Code/Ordinance Sec: 44-53-0375(C)(5)

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

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

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Sumter

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did within this county and state on or about 2/ 5/2024 violate the criminal laws of the

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

in the following particulars

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Trafficking in meth. or cocaine base - 400 g or more (Felony, 25Y to 30Y)

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:

Special Agent Graham states the defendant did in the county of Sumter, South Carolina on February 5, 2024, commit the offense of Trafficking Methamphetamine to wit: the defendant, (Nasidd Vereen) Vereen was found to be in possession of 2 duffel bags of contraband by throwing it over the perimeter fence. The duffel bags contained approximately 402 grams of Methamphetamine along with other contraband items. Nasidd was seen by the SCDC the roving patrol officer responding to a fence activation at Wateree Correctional Institution. This offense occurred at Wateree Correctional Institution 8200 State Farm Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Probable cause is based on the investigation, and recovery of evidence. SCDC Office of Inspector General (OIG) case 02-2024-008.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

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 2/ 5/2024

defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen

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

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of Sumter) as set forth below.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Drugs / Trafficking in meth. or cocaine base - 400 g or more (Felony, 25Y to 30Y)

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 2/ 5/2024

Signature of Issuing Judge

Bryan Keith Griffin (Magistrate)

Judge Code: 5043

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 190 E. Canal Street

Sumter, SC 29151-1428

Judge's Telephone (803)436-2280

Issuing Court ☒ Magistrate ☐ Municipal ☐ Circuit

2024A4310100113

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

THE STATE

02-2024-008

against

Nasidd Zavion Vereen

Address:

Phone: SSN:

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 9 Weight: 185

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: Agency ORI # SC040095C

Prosecuting Agency: S C Department Of Corrections Division

Prosecuting Officer: James E Graham - S00033

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 nasidd vereen

on 2/1/2024 2:28

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

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Sumter

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did within this county and state on or about 2/ 5/2024 violate the criminal laws of the

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

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:

Special Agent Graham states the defendant did in the county of Sumter, South Carolina on February 5, 2024, commit the offense of Violation of State Contraband to wit: the defendant, (Nasidd Vereen) was found to be in possession of 2 duffel bags of contraband by throwing it over the perimeter fence. The duffel bags contained approximately 8 grams of marijuana, approximately 402 grams of Methamphetamine, 3 green Oxycodone pills along with other contraband items. Nasidd was seen by the SCDC the roving patrol officer responding to a fence activation at Wateree Correctional Institution. This offense occurred at Wateree Correctional Institution 8200 State Farm Road, Rembert, SC 29128. Probable cause is based on the investigation, and recovery of evidence. SCDC Office of Inspector General (OIG) case 02-2024-008.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Sumter

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 2/ 5/2024 defendant Nasidd Zavion Vereen

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

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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 2/ 5/2024

Signature of Issuing Judge

Bryan Keith Griffin (Magistrate)

Judge Code 5043

Judge's Address 190 E. Canal Street

Sumter, SC 29151-1428

Judge's Telephone (803)436-2280

Issuing Court ☒ Magistrate ☐ Municipal ☐ Circuit