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Sent: Thursday, April 21, 2022 2:11 PM

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Attachments: LeDoux Charging Doc..pdf; ST - Indictment (Signed) - (06-02-21)_Redacted.pdf; ST - Info

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Summons(07-07-2021)_Redacted.pdf

Good afternoon,

Please see below re: HB 66.

I will print copies for members and bring to the committee.

From: Mylar, Sharla Marie (LAW)
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Subject: In response to inquiries re HB 66 on 4/19/2022

Chair Kreiss-Tomkins,

On Tuesday, the House State Affairs committee considered HB 66 and asked a number of questions about false statements on voting forms and prosecutions for election crimes. In an effort to get back to the Committee as soon as possible, here are some initial responses. If the Committee has additional questions, please let us know.

The Committee asked if there were instances where people have been prosecuted for making false statements on voter forms. There are. In two recent cases, *State v. LeDoux* and *State v. Bell*, the defendants were charged under AS 15.56.040(a)(3), which provides, "A person commits the crime of voter misconduct in the first degree if the person . . . intentionally makes a false affidavit, swears falsely, or falsely affirms under an oath required by this title." The charging and other documents in both cases are attached. In the LeDoux case, the investigation started in 2018 after the Division of Elections identified some irregularities in some of the absentee ballot applications and absentee ballots returned for the primary election for House District 15. Because both the LeDoux and the Bell cases are ongoing, neither the Civil nor the Criminal Division can comment on them further.

The Committee also asked if there were instances where non-citizens intentionally claimed to be citizens on voter forms. The Division is not aware of this happening.

Due to outlook limiting the size of emails and delaying the send of this email, I will send the four documents separately in four additional emails – thank you!

Sharla Mylar

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GABRIELLE R LEDOUX

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Defendants.

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CR (Lisa M Simpson) No. 3AN-20- 2173

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1 I certify this document and its attachments do not contain the (1) name of a victim of a sexual offense listed in AS 12.61.140 or (2) residence or business address or telephone number of a victim of or witness to any offense unless it is an address identifying the place of a crime or an address or telephone number in a transcript of a court proceeding and disclosure of the information was ordered by the court. The following counts charge a crime involving DOMESTIC VIOLENCE as defined in AS 18.66.990: NONE 2 3 Count I - AS 15.56.040 4 Voter Misconduct 1 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 001, Lisa M Simpson - 001 5 6 Count II - AS 15.56.040 Voter Misconduct 1 7 Lisa M Simpson – 002, Caden C Vaught - 001 8 Count III - AS 15.56.040 9 Voter Misconduct 1 Lisa M Simpson - 003, Caden C Vaught - 002 10 11 Count IV - AS 15.56.040 Voter Misconduct 1 12 Caden C Vaught - 003 13 Count V - AS 15.56.040 14 Voter Misconduct 1 Caden C Vaught - 004 15 Count VI - AS 15.56.050 16 Voter Misconduct 2 17 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 002, Lisa M Simpson - 004 18 Count VII - AS 15.56.050 19 Voter Misconduct 2 Caden C Vaught - 005 20 Count VIII - AS 15.56.050 21 Voter Misconduct 2 22 Caden C Vaught - 006 23 Count IX - AS 15.56.050 24 Voter Misconduct 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 003, Lisa M Simpson - 005 25 Count X - AS 15.56.050

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Count XI - AS 15.56.050 Voter Misconduct 2 Caden C Vaught - 008

Count XII - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 004

Count XIII - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 005, Lisa M Simpson - 006

Count XIV - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 006, Lisa M Simpson - 007

> Count XV - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 007

> Count XVI - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 008

> Count XVII - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 009

> Count XVIII - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle R LeDoux - 010

THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL PROSECUTIONS CHARGES:

COUNT I

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while

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acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out Simpson's voter registration application.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT II

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out Vaught's voter registration application.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT III

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out Vaught's voter registration application.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT IV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about August 21, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: signing under oath when voting a questioned ballot in the 2018 primary election.

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All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT V

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about November 6, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: signing under oath when voting a questioned ballot in the 2018 general election.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, registered Simpson to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT registered to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT registered to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

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All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT IX

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT X

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or

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encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: LISA SIMPSON.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about August 19, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON. while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit CADEN C. VAUGHT in the 2018 primary election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XIV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 25. 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit CADEN C. VAUGHT in the 2018 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R, LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote

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under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit Patrick Simpson in the 2018 primary election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 25, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit Patrick Simpson in the 2018 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about November 3, 2014, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: Dot Helgason in the 2014 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 21, 2014, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: Bonnie Bailey in the 2014 general election.

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All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

The undersigned swears under oath this Information is based upon a review of reports drafted in Alaska State Trooper case number AK18059736 submitted to date, a review of evidence collected and conversations with involved investigators.

On August 16, 2018, the Division of Elections ("DOE") notified the Alaska State Troopers ("AST") that there appeared to be irregularities with a number of applications for absentee ballots for the upcoming Primary Election, which was to be held on August 21, 2018. Those irregularities focused attention on the House District 15 Republican primary. AST investigators worked with the Alaska Division of Elections to determine if there was a common cause for, or link, between the significant number of irregularities. Voter records from the last several election cycles were examined, voters were contacted in person and over the phone, and over 25 search warrants were obtained between August 16, 2018 and November 30, 2018. The FBI joined the investigation at the end of November, 2018.

As part of the ongoing investigation, investigators attempted to contact Gabrielle LeDoux, one of the candidates in the Republican primary for House District 15. Investigators also attempted to contact several people known to have worked or helped on LeDoux's campaign, including Lisa (Vaught) Simpson, a friend of LeDoux's who previously worked for LeDoux as her chief of staff and was listed as a LeDoux campaign official with APOC in some capacity in several election cycles. Text messages to and from LeDoux and others, including Simpson, were also collected pursuant to search warrants. These texts raised concerns that LeDoux had solicited and/or encouraged people who did not live in her district to vote in the House District 15 primary and general elections in 2018 and 2014.

Investigators determined that Simpson registered to vote in House District 15 on July 18, 2018, by filling out and mailing a voter registration application to DOE. Simpson voted in person at a House District 15 precinct polling place in both the 2018

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primary and general elections (held on August 21 and November 6, respectively). Simpson's adult son, Caden Vaught, also registered to vote in the House District 15 primary and general elections (Vaught submitted three separate voter registration applications between June and September 2018, two of the registrations listed an address within House District 15).

In order to register to vote, a voter must fill out a voter registration form; this form requires the person to provide, amongst other information, their name and residence address. Those details are required to be provided by law. The Alaska Constitution, Article V, Sec. 1 requires that: "A voter shall have been, immediately preceding the election, a thirty day resident of the election district in which he seeks to vote ..."

Alaska Statute 15.05.020 defines residence by setting forth the parameters, including, in pertinent part:

> The residence of a person is that place in which the person's habitation is fixed, and to which, whenever absent, the person has the intention to return. If a person resides in one place, but does business in another, the former is the person's place of residence. Temporary work sites do not constitute a dwelling place.

> A person does not gain residence in any place to which the person comes without the present intention to establish a permanent dwelling at that place.

> The term of residence is computed by including the day on which the person's residence begins and excluding the day of election.

Everyone who registers to vote must sign the following certification as part of their voter registration application:

Voter Certificate: Read and Sign: I certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information I provided on this document is true and correct. I am not registered to vote in another state, or I have provided information to cancel that registration. I further certify that I am a resident of Alaska and I have not been convicted of a felony, or having been so convicted, have been unconditionally discharged from incarceration, probation and/or parole.

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WARNING: If you provide false information on this application you can be convicted of a misdemeanor AS 15.56.050.

Caden Vaught voted in House District 15 in both the 2018 primary and general elections by what is called a "questioned ballot." A questioned ballot is used when the status of an in-person voter cannot be immediately verified through records on Election Day. A person using such a ballot must sign an additional, but similar, oath prior to voting:

I swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that: The information on this form is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that I am a resident of Alaska and I have not been convicted of a felony, or having been so convicted, have been unconditionally discharged from incarceration, probation, and/or parole. I am not registered to vote in another state, or I have taken the necessary steps to cancel that registration. I am or have been a registered voter in Alaska at some time in the last 4 years or am newly registering. I have not and will not vote in any other manner in this election.

Simpson submitted a voter registration application she signed on July 18, 2018. In her application, she listed her address of residence as a particular unit of a triplex located on Boston Street, which is in House District 15. Simpson signed the form below the oath acknowledging that she was swearing to its contents under penalty of perjury. LeDoux signed the registration form as the registrar. Simpson voted in person at a House District 15 precinct in both the primary and general election cycles. Simpson could only lawfully vote in House District 15 using the Boston Street address if she had legally established that location as her residence within at least thirty days of the election.

Investigators pulled records to verify where Simpson lived between July and November of 2018. Three different relevant addresses were found when reviewing records: residences on Shoshoni Avenue, Dorbrandt Street, and Boston Street.

¹ Registrars are qualified voters authorized by the Division of Elections to assist with the completion and verification of an applicant's identity and the submission of voter registration forms to the Division of Elections. Registrars are able to act as "witnesses" for voters signing their application; those applications that are witnessed by a registrar become effective on the day the voter registration application is signed, instead of the day the division receives it.

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Shoshoni Avenue:

Public records showed that Simpson's husband, Patrick Simpson, had owned a residential property on Shoshoni Avenue in Anchorage since at least 2017. This address is not within House District 15.

Dorbrandt Street:

Lisa Simpson owned a triplex on Dorbrandt St. prior to June 2018. In June 2018, ownership of that triplex was converted to an LLC (with the name of the property's address as its title). The LLC, jointly owned by Lisa and Patrick Simpson, was described as being a lessor of residential buildings and dwellings and listed the Simpson's Shoshoni Avenue address as the LLC's physical address. The Dorbrandt triplex is not in House District 15.

Boston Street:

Public records also indicated that on August 14, 2018, the Simpsons purchased a triplex on Boston Street. That triplex is located in House District 15.

On her July voter registration application, Lisa Simpson listed Unit C in the Boston Street residence as her residence address. The Simpsons did not own the Boston residence at that time. According to Chugach Electric Service records, someone other than Patrick or Lisa Simpson took over payment responsibility for the services at Unit C of the Boston residence (the unit Lisa Simpson claimed as her residence) on October 30, 2018. Based on available records, it appears that this person was a tenant renting the unit from the Simpsons.

PFD records indicate that Simpson used the Dorbrandt Street address on the PFD application she filed on March 18, 2018 for both her mailing and physical address. Simpson used the Shoshani address for her physical address (with a PO Box as her mailing address) on her PFD application filed on March 5, 2019.

In early 2019, investigators obtained a search warrant to seize and search LeDoux's phone and certain email messages. Once the documents were available for review, they were screened by the U.S. Department of Justice in a process called a "taint review" to ensure the contents did not include privileged information, such as

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communications with attorneys. This review was conducted by individuals not connected to the prosecution team in order to ensure that members of the prosecution team did not review or come into possession of privileged material. The contents of the phone and email search were shared with members of the state prosecution team towards the end of February in 2020.

On July 18, 2018 (the same day Lisa Simpson registered to vote using the Boston address as her residence address) LeDoux sent the following text to Simpson: "Did you fill out the voter registration form? Will Pat do one also." Simpson replied "Yes, I filled out the voter registration. Pat doesn't want to do it until we close on the property." In the two days immediately before the primary election, LeDoux sent several texts to Simpson inquiring about the status of Caden Vaught's application, noting that he "is NOT on list of people who requested absentees." On the day of the primary, August 21, LeDoux texted Simpson and informed her that Vaught had submitted a new voter form moving his residence to the Dorbrandt address, which (as LeDoux noted in the text) was in House District 23.

On September 25 and 27 of 2018, after the primary but before the general election, LeDoux sent three texts to Simpson about getting Vaught and Patrick Simpson registered in her district: "We have got to get Caden and hopefully Pat reregistered by October 7"; "Can you get Caden and hopefully Patrick reregistered by end of next week?"; "And can you get Caden registered in the district." Simpson responded on September 27 by stating: "Yes, I can reregister Caden but not Pat. He won't unless he actually lives there and we don't yet." On the 28th, LeDoux asked for Simpson's address and stated "Maybe I can reregister Caden when I see him." Simpson responded "You can register Caden at [the specific address on] Lori Drive."

² As is discussed in more detail below, Vaught's initial voter application, on June 17, would have ensured he received a House District 15 ballot. However, his second application, signed on July 12 (more than 30 days prior to the primary election), in which he listed the Dorbrandt address switched his registration to House District 23. Thus, based on the subsequent application, he was not on the list of eligible House District 15 voters in August of 2018.

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On December 4, 2018, after both elections were over, LeDoux texted Simpson and asked "Have you moved in at Boston Street." Simpson responded, "We are still trying to get [a tenant out]. I think she is physically gone but all her stuff is still there and it stinks. We went to court, have given her numerous chances and I'm having the locks changed today. She hasn't paid any rent for 3 months!" Moreover, as described above, an apparent tenant had taken over financial responsibilities in October for the unit Simpson claimed as her residence when voting. In summary, the Simpsons did not own the Boston triplex at the time Lisa Simpson filled out her voter registration application in July 2018—and at the time of the general election, a tenant had, eight days prior, signed a contract for utilities for the unit Simpson claimed to live in. A review of other text messages on Simpson's phone provided additional indication that the Simpsons were living at the Shoshoni residence during the latter part of 2018 and into 2019, not the Boston triplex.

Caden Vaught submitted three voter registration applications during the 2018 election cycle; each form includes language that it is signed under penalty of perjury. Vaught's first application was signed on June 17, 2018 with a listed residence address on Lori Drive (which is in House District 15). Simpson is the listed registrar on this form.

Vaught's second application was signed on July 12, 2018 with a residence address on Dorbrandt Street (the same address as the residence that Lisa Simpson owns; this residence is not in House District 15). On this form, Vaught listed the Lori address as his mailing address.

Vaught's third voter registration application was signed on September 28, 2018, (after the primary but before the general election—and the day after Simpson texted LeDoux to say she would re-register Vaught) and listed a residence on Lori Drive as his address. It appears that LeDoux signed this third application as the registrar.

Vaught voted in both the primary and general election by questioned ballot in person at a House District 15 polling place. Each time, he signed the certification verifying under penalty of perjury that the information he provided was accurate. In both

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the primary election on August 21, 2018 and the general election on November 6, 2018, Vaught listed and certified under oath that his residence address was on Lori Drive.

On March 28, 2019, Caden Vaught was interviewed by the FBI. Vaught said that in November of 2015 he moved to the Lori address (which is in House District 15) and lived with his brother and sister-in-law, Charles and Bethany Vaught. Vaught reported that he lived at Lori until approximately August 2016.

Vaught reported that he moved back in with his mom at the Dorbrandt residence in August of 2016 and lived there until he went to the Alaska Military Youth Academy. Vaught reported that he spent five and a half months at the Youth Academy during 2018. The Dorbrandt residence is not in House District 15.

Vaught said that when he returned from the Youth Academy, he moved into a residence on Brandon Street with his fiancée on Aug. 27, 2018. This address is not in House District 15.

Vaught said his mom filled out his first voter application (on June 17) while he was at the Youth Academy, but that he signed it. Vaught said that he filled out and signed the other two voter applications. He reported that he was attending the Alaska Military Youth Academy at the time he filled out his second application; the Dorbrandt address he provided was where he lived with his mom prior to leaving for the Youth Academy. By the time he filled out the third application, Vaught was living at the Brandon Street residence.

Vaught acknowledged that he did not live at the Lori Drive residence at the time that he signed or submitted any of the three applications. A review of Vaught's PFD applications corroborates the timeline he provided to the FBI, as his PFD records show that Vaught listed the Dorbrandt Street address as his mailing and physical address on his March 19, 2018 application and the Brandon Street address on his March 5, 2019 application.

Charles and Bethany Vaught were interviewed on March 28, 2019 and reported that Caden Vaught lived with them in 2015, but that he had not lived with them for about two years—and that he was not living with them during any of the time period

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surrounding the 2018 elections. Charles and Bethany confirmed the general timeline that Caden Vaught provided to the FBI as to where he was living.

Additional information was discovered during a review of LeDoux's phones. Multiple text messages were found that showed that LeDoux requested at least two people to vote in her district—despite their having told LeDoux that they no longer lived in the district.

On November 3, 2014—the day before the election—LeDoux sent two relevant messages to Helgason, one at 0642 hours:

Dot. I have not seen your name I the list of people who have requested absentee ballots. TODAY at 5 pm Alaska standard time is the last day to request a ballot. You can only request now through fax or online. This is going to b a VERY CLOSE election and I am going to really NEED your vote. Can u please request a ballot TODAY.

And a second at 1234 hours:

Dot, don't worry about the legality of this. Remember when I wanted to challenge people 4 years ago the division of elections was simply not interested. You own the place so you clearly have the right to claim it as your residence. At this point you would not even b able to vote in the district where u r living because u r not registered there. So PLEASE go on line and request a ballot.

Helgason did not vote in the 2014 election in House District 15.

Helgason was contacted on March 6, 2020. She reported that she did not recall LeDoux asking her by text to vote in House District 15. According to Helgason, she moved from her residence in House District 15 a year or two prior to the 2014 election but had not changed her voter registration. Public records indicated that Helgason did continue to own a residence in House District 15 through January of 2015, but according to Helgason she did not reside in that residence in November of 2014 (or at any point in 2014). Despite indicating that she did not recall the text message exchange, Helgason reported that when LeDoux texted her about being registered to vote in House District 15, she believed that LeDoux was just telling her so she could vote.

On October 21, 2014, LeDoux sent a text to Bonnie Bailey, stating:

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2117hrs - LeDoux to Bailey "Hi Bonnie. Where r you and josh living these days. U r still registered in my district and would really appreciate it if you would vote here. I am in a real tight race. I can send you absentee ballot applications if you give me your new address."

By asking for Bailey's new address, LeDoux indicated she knew Bailey had moved. Bailey confirmed this by sending texts at 2206 hours that stated "I'm living in midtown"³ and "But I think I can still vote east side." LeDoux responded at 2208 hours by stating: "You should still vote here. You and josh are still registered here, u can change your registration after the election." On October 27, 2014, LeDoux encouraged Bailey to vote early, apparently to avoid going "back to the eastside."4

Bailey was interviewed by investigators on March 5, 2020. She acknowledged that she knew LeDoux from Kodiak and that LeDoux was one of her mother's friends growing up. When shown the text messages, Bailey reported that she did not believe the text messages were correct. Bailey stated that at the time she was going through a separation and her husband was living in the district, but that she was not in a permanent residence. Bailey reported that LeDoux had come to Bailey's temporary residence, which was not in the district, around the time of the texts. Bailey also reported that she had suggested something to LeDoux and LeDoux stated that she could not do it because Bailey did not live in her district. Bailey stated that she did not believe that LeDoux would ask Bailey to vote in her district unless she was living in the district. Bailey reported that she does not believe that the text messages accurately reflect what LeDoux said and claimed she had conversations with LeDoux where LeDoux told Bailey not to vote in her district.

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The area commonly known as "midtown" falls outside of the boundaries of House District 15.

⁴ The message is somewhat unclear, but states: "Since things are so hectic for you guys you should consider voting early at the muni or the division of elections so u would have to ce back to the eastside, this election is going to b close so every vote will count,"

All of the text messages reviewed were downloaded from LeDoux's cell phone in a manner that protected the integrity of the data on the phone. In other words, when the phones were imaged and downloaded, the information was pulled from the phones in an identical version as was stored on the device. No material was altered or manipulated in any way when the phone was downloaded, and a full and accurate replication of the data stored on the device is made and saved.

BAIL INFORMATION

Per the Alaska Public Safety Information Network, none of the defendants have criminal convictions in Alaska.

Dated at Anchorage, Alaska, this 13th day of March, 2020.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

STATE OF ALASKA, Plaintiff, VS. GABRIELLE RUTH LEDOUX LISA MYLINDA SIMPSON CADEN CODY VAUGHT

Court No. 3AN-20-02172CR (Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux)
No. 3AN-20-02173CR (Lisa Mylinda Simpson)

No. 3AN-20-02174CR (Caden Cody Vaught)

Defendants.

INDICTMENT

I certify this document and its attachments do not contain the (1) name of a victim of a sexual offense listed in AS 12.61.140 or (2) residence or business address or telephone number of a victim of or witness to any offense unless it is an address identifying the place of a crime or an address or telephone number in a transcript of a court proceeding and disclosure of the information was ordered by the court. The following counts charge a crime involving DOMESTIC VIOLENCE as defined in AS 18.66.990:

Count I - AS 15.56.040

Voter Misconduct 1

Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux - 001, Lisa Mylinda Simpson - 001

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1	Count II - AS 15.56.040
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4	Count III - AS 15.56.040 Voter Misconduct 1
5	Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux - 012, Lisa Mylinda Simpson - 003, Caden Cody Vaught - 002
6	Count IV - AS 15.56.040
7	Voter Misconduct 1
8	Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux - 013, Lisa Mylinda Simpson - 008, Caden Cody Vaught - 003
9	Count V - AS 15.56.040
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12	THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:
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14	COUNT I:
15	That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at
16	or near Anchorage, Alaska GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while
17	acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or
18	falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out Simpson's
19	voter registration application.
20	All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of

AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT II:

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to

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wit: falsely filled out Vaught's voter registration application.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT III:

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out Vaught's voter registration application.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT IV:

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about August 21, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: signing under oath when voting a questioned ballot in the 2018 primary election.

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT V:

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about August 21 at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX, LISA M. SIMPSON and CADEN C. VAUGHT, while acting as principals or accomplices, intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: signing under cath when voting a questioned ballot in the 2018 general election.

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All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

day of June, 2021 at Anchorage, Alaska.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

STATE OF ALASKA,

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Plaintiff.

VS.

GABRIELLE RUTH LEDOUX

LISA M SIMPSON



CADEN C VAUGHT



Defendants.

No. 3AN-20-02172CR (Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux)

No. (Lisa M Simpson)
No. (Caden C Vaught)

INFORMATION ADDING MISDEMEANOR COUNTS TO INDICTMENT

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Count VI - AS 15.56.050 Voter Misconduct 2 Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux - 002, Lisa Mylinda Simpson - 004

Count VII - AS 15.56.050

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Count XVIII - AS 15.56.035 Unlawful Interference W/ Voting 2 Gabrielle Ruth LeDoux - 010

THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL PROSECUTION CHARGES:

COUNT VI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchcrage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, registered to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT registered to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT registered to vote without being entitled to register under AS 15.07.030.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

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COUNT IX

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT X

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about June 17, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 28, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, CADEN C. VAUGHT knowingly made a material false statement while applying for voter registration or reregistration.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.050(a)(2) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: LISA SIMPSON.

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All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about August 19, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit CADEN C. VAUGHT in the 2018 primary election.

All cf which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XIV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 25, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX and LISA M. SIMPSON, while acting as principals or accomplices, knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit CADEN C. VAUGHT in the 2018 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 18, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit Patrick Simpson in the 2018 primary election.

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All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 25, 2018, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit Patrick Simpson in the 2018 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about November 3, 2014, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: Dot Helgason in the 2014 general election.

All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XVIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 21, 2014, at or near Anchorage, Alaska, GABRIELLE R. LEDOUX knowingly solicited or encouraged, directly or indirectly, a registered voter who is no longer qualified to vote under AS 15.05.010, to vote in an election, to wit: Bonnie Bailey in the 2014 general election.

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All of which is a Class A Misdemeanor offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.035 and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

Dated at Anchorage, Alaska, this 2nd day of June, 2021.

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DOB: ATN:

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT GLENNALLEN

Plaintiff,

vs.

TERRY ANTHONY BELL

DOB:
APSIN ID:
DMV NO.:
ATN:
Defendant.

No. (Terry Anthony Bell)

<u>INFORMATION</u>

I certify this document and its attachments do not contain the (1) name of a victim of a sexual offense listed in AS 12.61.140 or (2) residence or business address or telephone number of a victim of or witness to any offense unless it is an address identifying the place of a crime or an address or telephone number in a transcript of a court proceeding and disclosure of the information was ordered by the court. The following counts charge a crime involving DOMESTIC VIOLENCE as defined in AS 18.66.990: NONE

Count I - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
Voter Misconduct 1
Terry Anthony Bell - 001

Count II - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
Voter Misconduct 1
Terry Anthony Bell - 002

Count III - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
Voter Misconduct 1
Terry Anthony Bell - 003

Count IV - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
Voter Misconduct 1
Terry Anthony Bell - 004

Count V - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) Voter Misconduct 1

1	Terry Anthony Bell - 005
2	Count VI - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
3	Voter Misconduct 1
	Terry Anthony Bell - 007
4	Count VII - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
5	Voter Misconduct 1
6	Terry Anthony Bell - 008
7	Count VIII - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
0	Voter Misconduct 1
8	Terry Anthony Bell - 009
9	Count IX - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
10	Voter Misconduct 1
44	Terry Anthony Bell - 010
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12	Count X - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
13	Voter Misconduct 1
	Terry Anthony Bell - 011
14	Count XI - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
15	Voter Misconduct 1
46	Terry Anthony Bell - 012
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17	Count XII - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
18	Voter Misconduct 1
	Terry Anthony Bell - 014
19	Count XIII - AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3)
20	Voter Misconduct 1
21	Terry Anthony Bell - 015
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23	THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY CHARGES:
24	COUNT I
25	That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 21,

2016, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a

false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to

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wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Teresa A. Bell," witnessed by "Teralyn M. Rose."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT II

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 15, 2016, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Teresa A. Bell," and witnessed by "Sissy Fagget Terry."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT III

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 15, 2017, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Miss Teresa A. Bell" and witnessed by "Fagget Terry."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT IV

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 15, 2017, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a voter registration application in the name of "Fagget Terry."

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COUNT V

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about May 10, 2018, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a voter registration application in the name of "Fagget Terry."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 30, 2018, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget A. Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT VII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 8, 2018, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

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COUNT VIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 13, 2018, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT IX

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 12, 2019, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Terry A. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT X

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about May 28, 2020, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out an absentee ballot application in the name of "Fagget Terry."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XI

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about July 23, 2020, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false

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affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa A. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about September 12, 2020, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa A. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

COUNT XIII

That in the Third Judicial District, State of Alaska, on or about October 14, 2020, at or near Copper Center, Alaska, TERRY ANTHONY BELL intentionally made a false affidavit, swore falsely, or falsely affirmed under an oath required by Title 15, to wit: falsely filled out a ballot envelope in the name of "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell."

All of which is a Class C Felony offense being contrary to and in violation of AS 15.56.040(a)(1) and/or (3) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Alaska.

The undersigned swears under oath this Information is based upon a review of police report AK20073091 submitted to date.

On October 5, 2020, the State of Alaska Division of Elections ("DOE") reported a possible voter fraud incident to the Alaska State Troopers ("AST"). DOE reported that over a several year time period, it appeared that TERRY A. BELL had signed and

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submitted voter applications and ballot envelopes under multiple names, as well as signed as a witness for his own ballots on several occasions using various aliases. AST Sgt. Nathan Bucknall investigated the matter and obtained multiple voter records from DOE linked to BELL. These records showed that BELL had first registered to vote under his legal name, "Terry A. Bell," and using his correct personal identifying information ("PII"), in 1980. Following his initial registration, BELL re-registered with the correct name several times.

Sgt. Bucknall's review of the documents showed that in 2000, BELL first submitted a voter registration under a different name, "Misty R. Rose," with BELL's correct PII listed on the application. Between 2000 and 2014, 27 voter documents were filed that appeared to be associated with BELL, to include voter registration applications, absentee ballot applications and a questioned ballot. These documents were submitted under the names Misty R. Rose, Misty A. Rose, Tairalyn Misty Rose, Tairalyn M. Rose, Tairalyn A. Rose, Miss Terry A. Bell, Teri Anna Bell, Terry Anna Bell, Teresa A. Bell, and Teresa Anna Bell. On five voter documents submitted during this time—once in 2003, three times in 2004, and once in 2014—BELL submitted election documents with his correct name listed on the documents. In Alaska, voter registration applications, absentee ballot applications, ballot envelopes, and questioned ballots each include a perjury warning above the signature block, as well as a warning that if a person provides false information on the documents s/he can be convicted of a crime.

DOE provided several documents they had received between 2016 and 2020 that appeared to be linked to BELL. These included ten ballot envelopes, wherein a voter fills out his or her name and identifying information and signs the envelope in which the voter's absentee ballot is placed. The ballot envelope indicates that the voter's signature must be witnessed, and provides a place for the witness to sign as well. Each of the ballot envelopes included language above the voter signature certifying that "I certify, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and accurate." Each ballot envelope also included language saying: "Warning: False statements made by the voter or by the attesting witness on the certificate are punishable by law."

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The ten ballot envelopes provided by DOE included the following information. First, a ballot envelope with a signature dated September 21, 2016, signed by "Teresa A. Bell" and witnessed by "Teralyn M. Rose." Second, a ballot envelope with a signature date of October 15, 2016, signed by "Teresa A. Bell" and witnessed by "Sissy Fagget Terry." Third, a ballot envelope with a signature date of September 15, 2017, signed by "Miss Teresa A. Bell" and witnessed by "Fagget Terry." Fourth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of July 30, 2018, signed by "Fagget A. Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell." Fifth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of September 8, 2018, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell." Sixth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of October 13, 2018, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell." Seventh, a ballot envelope with a signature date of September 12, 2019, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Terry A. Bell." Eighth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of July 23, 2020, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa A. Bell." Ninth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of September 12, 2020, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa A. Bell." Tenth, a ballot envelope with a signature date of October 14, 2020, signed by "Fagget Terry" and witnessed by "Teresa R. Bell." Each of the ten ballot envelopes required the voter to provide a voter identifier; on each of the envelopes, the voter number provided was BELL's voter number, which has been assigned to him since 1980, is

In addition to the ballot envelopes, Sgt. Bucknall found three instances where BELL submitted either a voter registration application or an absentee ballot application under a false name. DOE provided a voter registration application, signed by "Fagget A. Terry" and dated October 15, 2017. DOE also provided a voter registration application, again signed by "Fagget Terry" and dated May 10, 2018. DOE provided a signed absentee ballot application, signed by "Fagget Terry" and dated May 28, 2020. Both the absentee ballot and voter registration application forms include language notifying an applicant that they are signing under penalty of perjury and could be charged with a crime for providing false information.

The handwriting and signatures on all of the ballot envelopes, voter registration applications and absentee ballot applications appeared noticeably similar.

AST Sgt. Nathan Bucknall interviewed BELL on November 19, 2020. BELL stated that his legal name is TERRY BELL. He initially said that he did not fill out his 2020 ballot under the name "Fagget Terry" and that his cousin, Fred Grant, must have done it. BELL stated that Grant visits BELL and that he mailed BELL's 2020 ballot. Upon questioning, BELL stated that someone may have taken his ballot out of the mail and filled out a different ballot and submitted that ballot.

After additional questioning, BELL admitted writing the incorrect name on his election documents as a protest or a joke. BELL stated he used the name "Fagget" because it is something he does not like, along with the election system. When he was shown the Division of Elections documents Sgt. Bucknall collected, as described above, BELL admitted that he had signed the ballots and voter applications in question. BELL stated that he changed his name on his voter documents because the previous Governor took money from the Permanent Fund Dividend. However, BELL first used an incorrect name on an elections document in 2000. BELL acknowledged that he knew what he was doing was wrong. During the time period that he wrote the incorrect names on his elections documents, BELL used his correct name for multiple DMV and PFD forms—and never used an incorrect name.

BELL was also asked about the witness signature on his 2020 general election ballot (dated October 14, 2020). He stated that it was signed by "Teresa Bell," who is his sister in law. When Sgt. Bucknall noted that the signature for "Teresa Bell" looked the same as previous signatures signed on BELL's voter documents, BELL acknowledged that he signed his 2020 general election ballot with the name "Fagget Terry" and also signed the witness portion himself with the name "Teresa Bell." BELL stated that he does not have a vehicle and lives far away from people and never sees his neighbors.

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BAIL INFORMATION

Per the Alaska Public Safety Information Network, the defendant has the following convictions in Alaska:

CONV		CONVICTING CHARGE	COURT DOCKET	POS ID	FEL
DAN	08/05/98	SHOPLIFTING	97-9798	¥	N
DAN	12/05/97	SHOPLIFTING	97-9657	Y	N
DAN	08/05/98	FAILURE TO APPEAR	97-9798	Y	n
DPE	04/11/97	INDECENT EXPOSURE	1PE-97-0044	¥	N
DPE	12/08/95	CRIM TRESPASS 1- IN A DWELLING	1PE-95-263	Y	N
DPE		CRIMINAL TRESPASS	92-23	¥	N
MPE	08/15/86	DAMAGE PROPERTY	86-166	H	N

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Dated at Anchorage, Alaska, this 7th day of July, 2021.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT GLENNALLEN

STATE OF ALASKA,	Plaintiff,	
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