

Film No.

File No.

SEARCH WARRANT

In the Matter of

2007 Honda Accord, CP

VIN: [REDACTED]

Date Issued 5-12-09 Time Issued 10:51 AM PM

Name of Applicant
Det. J. G. Hobby-Raleigh Police Department

Name of Additional Affiant

RETURN OF SERVICE

I Certify that this Search WARRANT was received and executed as follows:

Date Received 5-12-09 Time Received 10:57 AM PM

Date Executed 5-12-09 Date and Time of Return 6-10-09

I made a search of _____

_____ as commanded.

I seized the items listed on the attached inventory
 I did not seize any items.
 This warrant was not executed within 48 hours of the date of issuance and I hereby return it not executed

Signature of Officer Making Return
Department of Agency of Officer
Raleigh Police Department

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
Wake County

In the General Court of Justice
District Court Division

To any officer with authority and jurisdiction to conduct the search authorized by this Search Warrant:

I, the undersigned, find that there is probable cause to believe that the property and person described in the application on the reverse side and related to the commission of a crime is located as described in the application.

You are commanded to search the premises, vehicle, person, and other place or item described in the application for the property and person in question. If the property and/or person are found, make the seizure and keep the property subject to Court Order and process the person according to law.

You are directed to execute this Search Warrant within forty-eight (48) hours from the time indicated on this Warrant and make due return to the Clerk of the Issuing Court.

This Search Warrant is issued upon information furnished under oath by the person or persons shown.

This Search Warrant was returned to me on the date and time shown below

Date 6/10/09 Time 1:19 AM PM

Signature [Signature]
 Deputy CSC Asst. CSC Clerk of Superior Court

Date 5-12-09

Signature [Signature]
 Deputy CSC Asst. CSC Clerk of Superior Court
 Magistrate District Ct. Judge Superior Ct. Judge

**APPLICATION FOR SEARCH WARRANT
CONTINUATION SHEET**

LOCATION: 2007 Honda Accord, CP

VIN: [REDACTED] TTS-3108-NC

DATE: 05-12-2009

VIOLATION: Murder G.S. 14-17

DETECTIVE: J.G. Hobby

PROPERTY TO BE SEIZED: Fingerprints, bloodstains, fired or unfired bullets and casings, firearms, other weapons, footwear impressions, clothing, trace hair and clothing fibers, physical layout of the premises, moving photographs, video, still photographs to preserve the nature of the crime scene, documentary evidence indicating ownership, possession and control of the premises, and any and all evidence that may relate to the offense of murder.

PREMISES TO BE SEARCHED: A 2007 Black Honda Accord 2-Door Coupe, VIN: [REDACTED] and NC registration plate TTS-3108. The vehicle is registered to Theresa Whitley Ellis (W/F/11-27-68) of 116 Government Rd. Clayton, NC 27520. The vehicle is located in the 3300 block of Cotydon Ct. Raleigh, NC.

PROBABLE CAUSE: I, Detective J.G. Hobby, have been a Law Enforcement Officer with the Raleigh Police Department for over 15 years. I have worked in the Field Operations Division, Special Operations Traffic Enforcement, and Detective Division. I have been a Detective for the Raleigh Police Department for almost 8 years and currently assigned to the Aggravated Assault Unit of the Detective Division. I have earned a college degree in Criminal Justice from Appalachian State University. I have received training in the investigation of criminal offenses through the NC Justice Academy, Raleigh Police Department Academy, and regularly scheduled in-service training sessions throughout my career. I have attended specialized training from the Johnston Community College in Search Warrant and Raid Preparations. I have also attended training from other police departments and educational facilities. I have investigated numerous crimes and previously drawn and executed search warrants in which evidence was seized and arrests were made.

SIGNATURE OF MAGISTRATE: _____

DATE: 5-12-09

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____

DATE: 5-12-09

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PROBABLE CAUSE CONT: On Tuesday May 12th, 2009 at approximately 6:36 AM, Christopher Ryan Davis (W/M/05-22-1989) was found deceased in the 3300 block of Cotydon Ct., near 6500 Guard-Hill Dr. The deceased had an obvious injury about the head and was found lying in the road in front of the unoccupied 2007 Honda Accord 2-Door Coupe, VIN: [REDACTED], TTS-3108-NC.

Based on my training and experience it is my opinion that the cause of death resulted from the criminal act of Murder. A search of the premises is needed to ensure the proper and true identification of the deceased person, as well, as to search for evidence related as indicated in the "Property to be Seized" section in this probable cause affidavit. A search of the premises will hopefully produce evidence that may identify the suspect(s) in this investigation.

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