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SLED CHARGES FORMER TOWN OF LEXINGTON EMPLOYEE WITH BREACH OF TRUST WITH FRAUDULENT INTENT

Today agents with the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Beatrice L Lyons-Daniels, 64, with Breach of Trust with Fraudulent Intent, value \$10,000 or more. The SLED investigation was requested by the Lexington Police Department.

Details can be found in the attached warrants.

Lyons-Daniels was booked at the Lexington County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by the 11th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2024A3210400009

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Lexington

THE STATE
against

Beatrice L Lyons-Daniels

Address:

Lexington, SC 29073-6864

Phone: SSN: [REDACTED]
Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 10 Weight: 175

DL State: SC DL #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]/1960 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Jacob Earl Mcdaniel - S02146

Offense: Breach / Breach of trust with fraudulent intent,
value \$10,000 or more

Offense Code: 3424

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-13-0230(A)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

☐ County/ ☐ Municipality ofThe 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 Beatrice - Lyons Daniels

on March 18, 2024

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
Mark H. Westbrook Judicial Center
205 East Main Street
Lexington, SC 29072

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Lexington

Personally appeared before me the affiant Jacob Earl Mcdaniel who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Beatrice L Lyons-Daniels

did within this county and state on or about 7/1/2021 violate the criminal laws of the

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

in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Breach / Breach of trust with fraudulent intent, value \$10,000 or more

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:From July 1, 2021, until December 7, 2023, Beatrice Lyons-Daniels did utilize a Town of Lexington issued Purchase Card (P-Card)
to make approximately \$57,201.13 of unauthorized purchases of items for her personal use. Lyons-Daniels was employed as the
Town of Lexington Information Technology (IT) Director and had been issued a P-Card to make purchases of required items for the
town's IT Department. Lyons-Daniels did utilize a Town of Lexington Amazon.com account to make the purchases. The affiant's
belief is based upon statements from Lyons-Daniels admitting to knowingly and willfully making these unauthorized purchases.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Lexington

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

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 7/1/2021 defendant Beatrice L Lyons-Daniels

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

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

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Breach / Breach of trust with fraudulent intent, value \$10,000 or more

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 3/14/2024

Signature of Issuing Judge

Arthur L Myers (Magistrate)

Judge Code: 7252

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 139 East Main St

Lexington, SC 29072-

Judge's Telephone

Issuing Court: ☒ Magistrate ☐ Municipal ☐ Circuit

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Form Approved by
S.C. Attorney General
April 21, 2003
SCCA 518