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October 30, 2025

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Director of Public Information

SLED CHARGES ALLENDALE COUNTY MAN WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER, BURGLARY – 1ST DEGREE AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OF A HIGH AND AGGRAVED NATURE

The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton, 21, with Attempted Murder, Burglary - First Degree, and Domestic Violence of a High and Aggravated Nature on Tuesday, October 28, 2025. The Fairfax Police Department requested the SLED investigation.

Details can be found in the attached warrants.

Carlton was booked into the Allendale County Detention Center.

The case will be prosecuted by 14th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2025A0310100110

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Allendale

THE STATE

against

Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton

Address: [redacted]

Allendale, SC 29810-5459

Phone: SSN: [redacted]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 7 Weight: 160

DL State: SC DL #: [redacted]

DOB: [redacted]2004 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Blake R Johnson - S00196

Offense: Assault / Attempted Murder

Offense Code: 3410

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-03-0029

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 Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton on 10/28/25 9:07 pm

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions
292 Barnwell Hwy
PO Box 126
Allendale, SC 29810

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of)
Allendale)

AFFIDAVIT

AUDIT COPY

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

Personally appeared before me the affiant Blake R Johnson who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton did within this county and state on or about 10/25/2025 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Allendale) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Attempted Murder

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on October 25, 2025, in the county of Allendale, one Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton did commit the crime of Assault / Attempted Murder in that he did arrive at [redacted] residence in the early morning hours to retrieve a handgun which [redacted] placed on the rear porch of the residence. After retreiving the handgun, Carlton forced entry into the residence while armed. The defendant then forced entry into the bedroom of [redacted] was sharing [redacted] bedroom with [redacted] at that time. Carlton confronted [redacted] and a fight occurred at which time Carlton shot [redacted] inside of the residence. After shooting [redacted] and assaulting [redacted] Carlton fled the residence. [redacted] was shot in the upper torso and was flown to an area hospital for treatment of the gunshot wounds. The above facts are believeble based on witness statements and the experience, knowlwedge and investigation conducted by the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of)
Allendale)

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398
Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone (803)260-3466

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 10/25/2025 defendant Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [ ] Municipality of Allendale) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Assault / Attempted Murder

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 10/25/2025

(L.S.)

Signature of Issuing Judge

Willard Durham Branch Jr

Judge Code: 7106

Judge's Address P. O. Box 516
Fairfax, SC 29827-

Judge's Telephone (803)584-3755

Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [ ] Municipal [ ] Circuit

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ARREST WARRANT

2025A0310100111

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[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Allendale

THE STATE

against

Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton

Address: [redacted]

Allendale, SC 29810-5459

Phone: SSN: [redacted]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 7 Weight: 160

DL State: SC DL #: [redacted]

DOB: [redacted]2004 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Blake R Johnson - S00196

Offense: Burglary / Burglary (After June 20, 1985) - First degree

Offense Code: 0079

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-11-0311

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 Tavion Peermeer Carlton on 10/28/25 9:00 Am

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Burglary / Burglary (After June 20, 1985) - First degree

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on October 25, 2025, in the county of Allendale, one Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton did commit the crime of Burglary First Degree in that he did arrive at [redacted] residence in the early morning hours to retrieve a handgun which [redacted] placed on the rear porch of the residence. After retreiving the handgun, Carlton forced entry into the residence while armed. The defendant then forced entry into the bedroom of [redacted]. [redacted] was sharing [redacted] bedroom with [redacted] at that time. Carlton confronted [redacted] and a fight occurred at which time Carlton shot [redacted] inside of the residence. After shooting [redacted] and assaulting [redacted] Carlton fled the residence. [redacted] was shot in the upper torso and was flown to an area hospital for treatment of the gunshot wounds. Carlton stayed at the residence periodically but did not possess a key to the residence.

Signature of Affiant

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DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Burglary / Burglary (After June 20, 1985) - First degree

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 10/25/2025

Willard D. Branch (L.S.)

Signature of Issuing Judge

Willard Durham Branch Jr

Judge Code: 7106

Judge's Address P. O. Box 516
Fairfax, SC 29827-
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Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [ ] Municipal [ ] Circuit

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ARREST WARRANT

2025A0310100112

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [ ] Municipality of

Allendale

THE STATE

against

Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton

Address: [redacted]

Allendale, SC 29810-5459

Phone: SSN: [redacted]

Sex: M Race: B Height: 5 7 Weight: 160

DL State: SC DL #: [redacted]

DOB: [redacted]2004 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Blake R Johnson - S00196

Offense: Domestic / Domestic Violence of a high and aggravated nature

Offense Code: 3814

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-25-0065(A)

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 Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton on 10/25/25 9:04 Am

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

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I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on October 25, 2025, in the county of Allendale, one Tavion Emari Permeer Carlton did commit the crime of Domestic / Domestic violence of a high and aggravated nature in that he did arrive at [redacted] residence in the early morning hours to retrieve a handgun which [redacted] placed on the rear porch of the residence. After retreiving the handgun, Carlton forced entry into the residence while armed. The defendant then forced entry into the bedroom of [redacted] was sharing [redacted] bedroom with [redacted] at that time. Carlton confronted [redacted] and a fight occurred at which time Carlton shot [redacted] inside of the residence. After shooting [redacted] Carlton struck [redacted] upon the face. [redacted] Carlton stayed at the residence periodically but did not possess a key to the residence.

Signature of Affiant

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