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SLED CHARGES FORMER MIDLANDS REGIONAL CENTER EMPLOYEE WITH ABUSE OF A VULNERABLE ADULT

The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) charged Kaitlyn McKenzie Davis, 22, with Abuse of a Vulnerable Adult on Thursday, December 4, 2025. The Midlands Regional Center requested the SLED investigation.

Details can be found in the attached warrant.

Davis was booked into the Alvin S. Glenn Detention Center in Richland County.

The case will be prosecuted by the 5th Circuit Solicitor's Office.

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ARREST WARRANT

2025A4010700146

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Richland / Upper Township Magistrate

THE STATE

2025-04304 R3

against

Kaitlyn McKenzie Davis

Address:

Columbia, SC 29203-5021

Phone: SSN:

Sex: F Race: B Height: 5 5 Weight:

DL State: SC DL #:

DOB: /2003 Agency ORI #: SCLED0000

Prosecuting Agency: State Law Enforcement Division

Prosecuting Officer: Russell S Causey - S04128

Offense: Abuse / Abuse of vulnerable adult

Offense Code: 2655

Code/Ordinance Sec: 43-35-0085(B)

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:

Upper Township Magistrate
7615 A Wilson Boulevard
Columbia, SC 29203

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Personally appeared before me the affiant Russell S Causey

who

being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Kaitlyn McKenzie Davis

did within this county and state on or about 7/2/2025

violate the criminal laws of the

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

Richland / Upper Township Magistrate)

in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Abuse / Abuse of vulnerable adult

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:

On July 2, 2025, the defendant, Kaitlyn McKenzie Davis, was working as a Direct Support Professional for the Midlands Regional Center, located at 8301 Farrow Rd., Columbia, SC, within the Upper Township Magisterial District of Richland County, South Carolina. The defendant did hit the victim, in the head/face multiple times with a closed fist and elbow. These actions caused an injury to the victim's left ear that required medical treatment. The victim is a resident of the Midlands Regional Center and is a vulnerable adult. These allegations were corroborated through interviews, surveillance videos, and information provided to the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division. All against the law, peace, and dignity of the State of South Carolina. Affiant and others are witness to prove same.

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Richland / Upper Township

Magistrate

Affiant's Address P. O. Box 21398

Columbia, SC 29221-

Affiant's Telephone (803)896-7654

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 7/2/2025

defendant Kaitlyn McKenzie Davis

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

☒ County/ ☐ Municipality of

Richland / Upper Township Magistrate

) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Abuse / Abuse of vulnerable adult

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 12/2/2025

Signature of Issuing Judge

Tomothy Clinton Edmond

Judge Code: 7154

(L.S.)

Judge's Address 7615 A Wilson Boulevard

Columbia, SC 29203-

Judge's Telephone (803)576-2570

Issuing Court:

☒ Magistrate☐ Municipal☐ Circuit