

Affidavit For Search Warrant For: Paperwork or documentation showing ownership of firearms, firearm ammunition, firearms and cell telephones found inside 4530 Whisper Woods Drive, Collierville, Tn. a single family, white brick, residential dwelling with a three car garage, gray roof and balcony located on a corner lot situated inside Collierville, Shelby County, Tennessee.

STATE OF TENNESSEE,
SHELBY COUNTY

Comes Now Sgt. W.D. Merritt and makes oath and swears that he has good ground and belief, and does believe that Sherra Wright is in possession of the following described property, to wit: paperwork or documentation showing ownership of firearms, firearm ammunition, firearms and cell telephones inside the following described premises, to wit: 4530 Whisper Woods Drive, Collierville, Tn. a single family, white brick, residential dwelling with a three car garage, gray roof and balcony located on a corner lot situated inside the City of Collierville, Shelby County, Tennessee and his reasons for such belief are: On July 22, 2010, a missing persons report was filed with the Collierville Police Department regarding the disappearance of Lorenzen Wright. On July 27, 2010, Det. N. Young of the Collierville Police Department received a telephone call from Lorenzen Wright's ex wife Sherra Wright. Det. Young was involved in the investigation regarding Lorenzen Wright's disappearance. During the conversation, Sherra Wright told Det. Young that on July 18, 2010, Lorenzen Wright left 4530 Whisper Woods Drive around 10:30 pm carrying a box of drugs. Sherra Wright stated Mr. Wright returned a short time later before leaving 4530 Whisper Woods Drive a second time with a sum of money. Sherra Wright told Det. Young that Lorenzen Wright had a telephone conversation on a "trafone" or similar cellular telephone with the unidentified individual before he left 4530 Whisper Woods Drive with the drugs and money. Mrs. Wright stated Lorenzen Wright also owned an Apple I phone he used the evening of July 18, 2010. Calls were made from each phone while Mr. Wright was at 4530 Whisper Woods Drive.

During the conversation with the unidentified individual, Sherra Wright told Det. Young she heard Lorenzen Wright say he was going to "flip something for \$110,000." Sherra Wright did not know the telephone number of the cell telephone Lorenzen Wright was using when he had the conversation with the unidentified individual. Sherra Wright stated a short time after he had the telephone conversation on the tracone, Mr. Wright left 4530 Whisper Woods Drive in a vehicle that was driven by an unidentified individual. Sherra Wright told Det. Young that Mr. Wright owned a shotgun and a handgun. Mrs. Wright stated the shotgun was kept at 4530 Whisper Woods Drive and the handgun was kept inside the family van. The residence and van were searched by the Collierville police investigators and the weapons were not located. On July 28, 2010, the remains of Lorenzen Wright were discovered in a field off Callis Cutoff and Tournament Drive in Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. Wright had been shot to death. His death was ruled a criminal homicide by the Shelby County Medical Examiner's office. Bullet shell casings of different calibers were recovered at the scene where Mr. Wright was shot to death. An extensive search of the area where Mr. Wright's body was recovered failed to turn up the cell telephones used by Mr. Wright the evening of his death. It was discovered a 911 telephone call was placed to the Germantown Police Department from a cell telephone used by Lorenzen Wright. This 911 telephone call recorded Mr. Wright's shooting. Paperwork and documentation found at 4530 Whisper Woods Drive showing ownership of the missing firearms will be used to determine if the weapons owned by Lorenzen Wright match the calibers of the bullet shell casings recovered at the location where Mr. Wright was shot to death. This paperwork and documentation will aid in the recovery of the missing weapons owned by Mr. Wright. Firearm ammunition and firearms recovered at 4530 Whisper Woods Drive will be compared to the spent shell casings recovered at the location where Mr. Wright was shot to death. The missing cell telephones used by Mr. Wright the evening of his death will be examined in an attempt to identify the individual he was speaking with before he left 4530 Whisper Woods Drive on July 18, 2010.

The affiant therefore asks that a warrant be issued to search the premises of 4530 Whisper Woods Drive in said County, where he believes said paperwork or documentation showing ownership of firearms, firearm ammunition, firearms and cell telephones are now possessed, which is needed in the investigation of the crime of criminal homicide.

Sgt. W.D. Merritt
Affiant

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1 day of Aug, 2010

Paul Dealan
Judge, Division 1 Criminal Court
Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee

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STATE OF TENNESSEE,
SHELBY COUNTY.

TO THE SHERIFF, ANY CONSTABLE OR ANY PEACE OFFICER OF SAID COUNTY:

Proof by affidavit having been made before me by Sgt. W.D. Merritt that there is probable cause for believing that Sherra Wright is in possession of paperwork or documentation showing ownership of firearms, firearm ammunition, firearms and cell telephones, which is needed in the investigation of the crime of criminal homicide upon the following described property, to-wit: inside 4530 Whisper Woods Drive, a single family, white brick, residential dwelling with a three car garage, gray roof and balcony located on a corner lot situated inside Collierville, Shelby County, Tennessee you are therefore commanded to make immediate search of the person and premises herein above described for the following property: paperwork or documentation showing ownership of firearms, firearm ammunition, firearms and cell telephones and if you find the same, or any part thereof, to bring it forthwith before me, at my office, in Memphis, of said County and State

This 1 day of Aug, 2010

Paul Skala
Judge, Division 1 Criminal Court
Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee

Issued on 8-1-10 12:42 a.m./p.m. To Det Merritt, Officer
Date Time

OFFICER'S RETURN

The within warrant came to hand, and executed on this
1 day of August, 2010 by searching the
person(s) and property herein described, and taking therefrom and
bringing before

the following:
(Here described property seized.)

ONE LETTER TO LORENZEN & SHERAA
WARRANT

PIECES OF BURNED METAL

Sgt W.D. Mundy
(Officer)

JUDGEMENT ON SEARCH WARRANT

Due and proper return having been made of the search warrant,
the property seized as described in the said return shall be
retained, subject to the orders of the Criminal Courts of Shelby
County; and the within warrant, affidavit, and return shall be filed
in the office of the Clerk of said Court.

This 10 day of August, 2010

Paul Abel

Judicial Commissioner, Criminal Court
Shelby County, Tennessee

No. _____

Search Warrant

Issued _____, 2010
Came to hand _____, 2010

Executed by making diligent search for said within described
property and finding,

Which is here returned in Court, and I having arrested
_____ booking # _____
and bringing _____ before _____
that he may be tried according to law.

This _____ day of _____, 2010