

ARREST WARRANT APPLICATION

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Police Case number 2100016861	Agency name Watertown Police	Agency number 153
Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) Caviasca, Kerry, L.	Residence (Town) of accused Watertown	Court to be held at (Town) Waterbury
		Geographical Area number 04

Application For Arrest Warrant

To: A Judge of the Superior Court

The undersigned hereby applies for a warrant for the arrest of the above-named accused on the basis of the facts set forth in the:  Affidavit Below.  Affidavit(s) Attached.


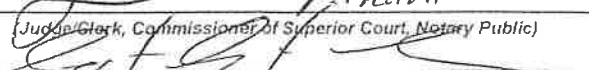
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Affidavit

The undersigned affiant, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. That the Affiant, Officer Daniel Rinaldi, is a sworn member of the Watertown Police Department and has been a member of said department since 12-17-03, and at all relevant times mentioned herein was acting in his official capacity as a member of said department, and more particularly as a patrolman attached to the Patrol Division and as a result has personal knowledge of the facts and circumstances herein after related, and as the result of his own investigation and those of brother/sister officers acting in conjunction with his and reporting their findings to him.
2. That on 12-17-21 at approximately 1101 hours, this affiant was met in the lobby of the Watertown Police Department, 195 French St., Watertown, CT, by Aaron Caviasca, DOB 06/05/1981, of 279 Humiston Ave., Thomaston, CT, regarding the neglect of [REDACTED] Male Juvenile Victim #1 (MJV#1), DOB [REDACTED], and Female Juvenile Victim #1 (FJV#1), DOB [REDACTED]. Aaron informed this affiant his ex wife, Kerry L. Caviasca, DOB 2/17/1985, of 46 Judson St., Watertown, CT, has primary custody of [REDACTED]. Aaron stated that just within the past few days, he learned that Kerry had possibly left the children home alone from 11-20-21 through 11-22-21. Aaron also uncovered that both children had missed school on Monday 11-22-21 with un excused absences.
3. That Aaron went on to say that he had become suspicious of the weekend in question due to the fact he was unable to reach the children via telephone. Aaron stated he had sent his father to the residence on [REDACTED] in an attempt to make contact with the children, however he was unsuccessful in making contact with anyone. Aaron stated after the fact, he asked the children if they had been left alone that particular weekend. Aaron stated both children denied being left home alone, however he felt they were protecting [REDACTED] and not being honest with him.

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Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) 1/6/22	Signed (Judge/Clerk, Commissioner of Superior Court, Notary Public)	

Finding

The foregoing Application for an arrest warrant, and affidavit(s) attached to said Application, having been submitted to and considered by the undersigned, the undersigned finds from said affidavit(s) that there is probable cause to believe that an offense has been committed and that the accused committed it and, therefore, that probable cause exists for the issuance of a warrant for the arrest of the above-named accused.

Date and Signature	Signed by (City or town) Waterbury	On (Date) 1/13/22	Signed (Judge / Judge Trial Referee) Schuman, J.	Name of Judge/Judge Trial Referee C. Schuman
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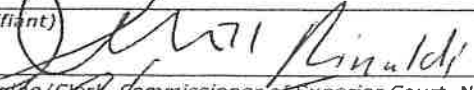
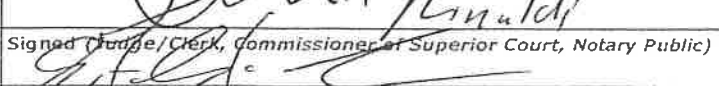

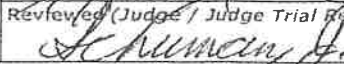
4. That Aaron stated this all came to light when he gained access to a cellular telephone he had provided to [REDACTED] (FJV#1). Aaron stated he located several dozen text messages between Kerry and the children during the weekend in question.

5. That some of the text messages from Saturday 11-20-21 at 1840 read as follows: Kerry: "Hi", children: "Hu", Kerry: "Watcha doing", children: "on the olane", "nothing", Kerry: "No not yet", children: "When you getting", Kerry "8", children: "Oh not bad you get there for 11". Later in the evening the text messages continue: children: "You off the plane", "yes", Kerry: "yes", "Good", "Love you", children "That's good", "Love you", Kerry: "Text me when you wake up in the monring", children: "Have fun" "Ok", Kerry: "Thanks".

6. That some messages from Sunday 11-21-21: Kerry: Both of you stay in the basement", children: "I know", Kerry " No ispatairs at all", children: "I know", Kerry: "Ok". children: "are we going into school, no right", Kerry: "no" "Jus staying downstairs", children: "ok". Later in the evening the text messages continue: children: Hi mom it is (JFV#1) what are we going to have for dinner, Kerry: "Just eat candy I'm sorry" "what ever is downstairs", "there's so much downstairs", "I'll make it up to you", "Sorry", children: "It ok and do you know about the car that was at the house and someone nocked at the door". Kerry: "No I don't". This last text message coincides with the time frame when Aaron sent his father to the residence to check on the children.

7. That the text messages between Kerry and the children during the weekend in question seem to imply she (Kerry) is adamant that the children stay downstairs in the basement and are not to be seen: Kerry: "Ok well stay in the basement and close the doors for the bathroom and side door", Children: "Can I pee", Kerry: "Quick no lights", Kerry: "Is (JFV#1) sleeping", "it she's downstairs?" Kerry: "If no one is there run out quick and get the food", "Lock the door go back down", "Tell me when you have it and are downstairs" children: "we got it", Kerry: "oh good", "enjoy", "Stay downstairs now". children: "I'm sad I put my batteries upstairs", Kerry: "Maybe you can go quick we will see", Kerry: Maybe go super fast and get everything at once" children: "Ok" "Now" Kerry: "Yes but stay low so no one sees you and fast".

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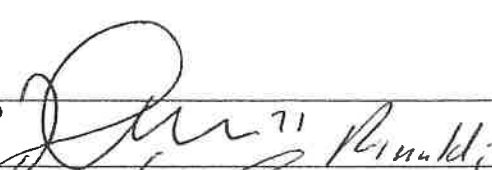
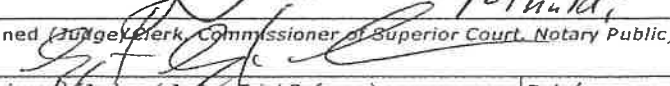
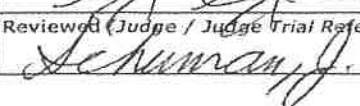
8. That during these text messages Kerry also asks JMV#1 to delete the texting app from JFV#1's phone. Kerry appears to be concerned that the messages will be uncovered. Kerry: "Tell (JFV#1) to delete messenger app from her phone", "She can get it back tomorrow", "Just on her phone". Kerry: "Hey when (JFV#1) deleted messenger then got it back we're all the old messages gone?"

9. That on 12-17-21 at approximately 1500 hours, Aaron Caviasca contacted the Watertown Police Department, 195 French St., Watertown, CT, and informed this affiant that he had an emergency temporary custody order signed by Family Court. Aaron stated he was on his way to [REDACTED] to take custody of [REDACTED] (JMV#1), who was at the residence. Aaron was requesting a police escort due to the fact his ex wife Kerry Caviasca, was at the residence. Aaron stated he felt there could be an issue. Kerri had not yet been informed of the new emergency temporary custody order.

10. That upon arrival we were met at the door by Kerry. This affiant informed Kerry of the allegations that were being made and of the emergency temporary custody issue that had been issued by family court. Kerry informed this affiant that during the weekend in question, she indeed had gone to Florida, however the children had not been left alone. Kerry informed this affiant that her brother had been at the residence watching the children. This affiant informed Kerry that Aaron's father had come to the residence on Sunday 11-21-21 and was unable to make contact with anyone at the residence. Kerri informed this affiant that was because no one was home at that time. Aaron was able to take custody of JMV#1 without further incident.

11. That on 12-18-21 at approximately 1430 hours, this affiant was met in the lobby of the Watertown Police Department, 195 French St., Watertown, CT, by Aaron Caviasca and FJV#1. FJV#1 informed this affiant she remembers the weekend that [REDACTED] had gone to Florida with her boyfriend. FJV#1 stated [REDACTED] and herself were home alone that weekend from Saturday night to Monday night. FJV#1 stated that [REDACTED] and herself were at the residence alone and there were no adults there with them. FJV#1 informed this affiant that [REDACTED] Scott had not been at the residence during the weekend in question. FJV#1 also informed this affiant that she remembered that someone had been knocking on the door, however they had not answered. FJV#1 stated [REDACTED] had texted this information to [REDACTED]. FJV#1 stated because of this, they were told by [REDACTED] not to go upstairs. FJV#1 provided a sworn written statement. Aaron was present the entire time I spoke to FJV#1.

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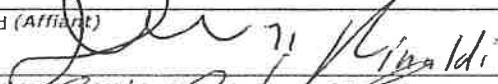
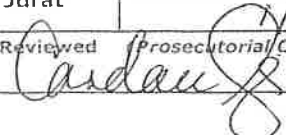
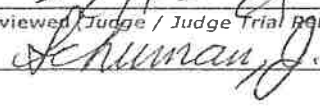
12. That on 12-24-21 at approximately 1208 hours, I was met in the lobby of the Watertown Police Department by Aaron and MJV#1. MJV#1 informed this affiant that the weekend ██████ left for Florida with her boyfriend, him and ██████ were left home and stayed in the basement of their house. MJV#1 stated ██████ either left on Friday or Saturday night, he was unsure. MJV#1 stated he did remember it was night time. MJV#1 stated only their dog was with them. MJV#1 stated ██████ Scott had not been watching them during this time and there was no one else at the house with them. MJV#1 stated they were left snacks to eat and Uber Eats was ordered for them by ██████ several times. MJV#1 stated they were told by ██████ not to go upstairs and to stay in the basement. MJV#1 stated he was not sure why they were told this, however he knew they were informed to stay in the basement. MJV#1 also remembers someone coming to the door that weekend. MJV#1 stated they didn't answer the door because they did not know who it was. MJV#1 asked ██████ through text message if she knew who was at the door, however she also did not know. MJV#1 stated they did not go to school on Monday and ██████ had come home later that night. MJV#1 provided a sworn written statement. Aaron was present the entire time this affiant spoke to FJV#1.

13. That on 12-24-21 at 1308 hours, this affiant spoke to Kerry Caviasca's brother, Scott Sheldrick, DOB 09/25/1974, of 42 Rockland Ave., Oakville, CT, via telephone, regarding the children being left alone during the weekend in question. Sheldrick appeared very apprehensive to speak to this affiant regarding the incident. Sheldrick stated "he did not remember" and informed this affiant he "did not wish to be involved". Sheldrick informed this affiant that Kerry had a lawyer and that this affiant should speak to her regarding the incident. The conversation was then terminated.

14. That on 12-30-2021 at approximately 0930 hours, this affiant contacted Scott Sheldrick's employer, the U.S. Post Office's Naugatuck branch, regarding Sheldrick's attendance on the dates in question (11/20/21, 11/21/21, and 11/22/21). This affiant spoke to Fernanda Alves of the Naugatuck branch, via telephone, who informed this affiant that according to "time sheets" Sheldrick had been at work on all three days in question from 0900-1700 hours.

15. That during the course of this investigation, this affiant attempted to make contact with Kerry, on several different occasions, via telephone, however was unsuccessful.

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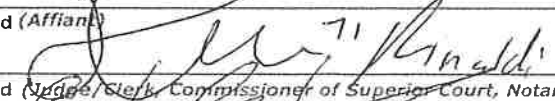
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16. That on 12-28-21 this affiant was left a voice message by an individual who was identifying himself as Attorney Joseph DeCicco (203-558-0940). DeCicco stated he would be representing Kerry and that she would "not make any statements to the police".

17. That this affiant believes reasonable grounds exists for and requests the issuance of an arrest warrant for the above named and accused, Kerry L. Caviasca, DOB 2/17/85, of 46 Judson St., Watertown, CT, for the charge of:

- Crime: C.G.S 53-21, Risk of Injury To A Child on 11-20-21 (2) count
- Crime: C.G.S 53a-64, Reckless Endangerment in the 2nd on 11-20-21 (2) count

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