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SUMNER COUNTY, KS.

Case No:

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SUMNER COUNTY, KS.

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Bobby Wilson, of lawful age being first duly sworn upon his oath, does state.

1. That I am a Detective for the Wellington Police Department.
2. That this affidavit is filed with the Court in application for an arrest warrant or summons for the violation hereinafter set forth for the person of:

Lindsey Nicole Blansett
 902 West 7th
 Wellington, KS 67152
 W/F [REDACTED]
 5'05 110 Bro/Bro
 SS# [REDACTED]

3. That the above committed the following offenses:

COUNT #1 K.S.A. 21-5402 Murder in the First Degree

That this affidavit is based on the following facts:

Affiant hereby incorporates by reference narrative reports, Wellington Police Department Case No. 14-1697

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

Bll
 Detective Bobby Wilson

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 15th day of December, 2014

Jami I. Ternes
 Notary Public

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 Notary Public - State of Kansas
 My Appt. Expires 10/21/2016

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WELLINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
CASE NO 14-1697
INVESTIGATIVE REPORT
DETECTIVE BOBBY WILSON

SYNOPSIS

First Degree Murder

Date: 12/14/2014

Victim:

Caleb Chad Blansett
W/M 02-23-2004
902 West 7th Street
Wellington, Ks 67152

Suspect:

Lindsey Nicole Blansett
W/F [REDACTED]
902 West 7th
Wellington, Ks 67152

On 12/14/2014 Wellington EMS and Wellington Police were dispatched to 902 West 7th Street in Wellington, Sumner County, KS. The call was dispatched as a stabbing call. Wellington EMS report receiving the call at 23:45 on 12/14/2014. E911 reported that an intruder had been stabbed.

Wellington Police arrive and clear the house. Wellington EMS then makes entry. What Wellington EMS and Wellington Police find is the body of a ten year old boy that had been stabbed in his bed while it appeared that he had been sleeping.

I was notified at 00:02 by Sgt. Westmoreland to come to the scene. I arrived at 12:06. I park north of the address and walk back to the house. I make contact with Sgt. Westmoreland. Sgt. Westmoreland advises [REDACTED]

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I then exit the house to get two brown bags for the hands and two brown bags for the feet. I wanted to bag the mother's hands and get her socks off her feet and into evidence. The socks were soaked in blood and I did not want to have her walking around with them.

I used Sgt. Westmoreland's patrol camera and snapped photos of her hands and feet. I took three photos of the bedroom and the victim. I then bagged the hands of Nicole Blansett. I did this by placing a brown paper bag over her hands and taping them around her wrists. This is done to protect blood evidence that may or may not be on her hands.

I then asked her if I could take her socks. They were covered in blood. I knew that she would be exiting the residence and did not want her walking out of the house with those on. She consented and they were collected.

After this collection and preservation process Lt. Thompson, Chief Heath and Captain Nefzger arrived at the scene. I then drove Nicole Blansett to the Wellington Police Department at 00:34. We arrived at 00:35.

I placed her in the interview room at 00:38. I briefed with Chief Heath and Lt. Thompson at the Wellington Police Station. I was assigned to interview the suspect. Officer Sara Owens would be assisting me.

Officer Owens and I entered the interview room at 01:07. I asked her if it would be ok to collect some samples of the blood on her hands and face. I also wanted to photograph her hands. She advised that would be fine. I asked her if I had her permission and she advised that I did.

I collected blood swab samples from each hand and her left cheek. Each was marked as the procedure was completed. I also took as evidence the rings that were on her right hand. They were covered in blood. Each ring was bagged separately.

I then photographed Blansett and her hands. We observed a cut about her left hand on the middle finger. Wellington EMS looked at the cut and advised that a band aid would fix that problem. Once the photos were taken she was allowed to clean her hands off. Once clean I photographed them again.

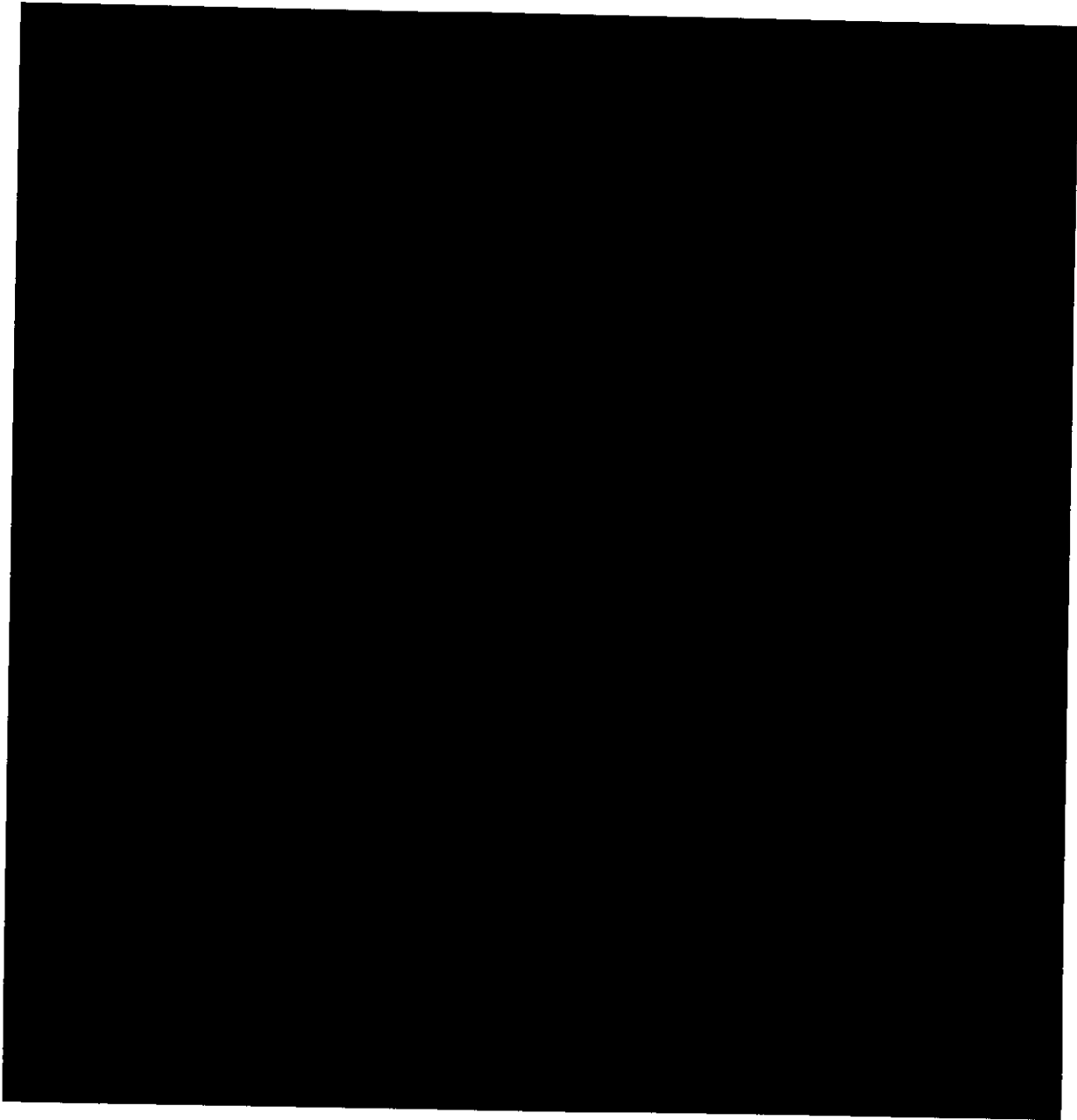
I read her Miranda at 01:33. I made sure to go over each line and I made sure that he understood each line. I asked her if she understood her rights and she stated that she did. I advised her that she did not have to speak to me at all. She stated that she understood and would speak to me.

We started with Caleb's information. We talked about when she was married to Christopher. They were married in 2000 and divorced in 2013. She has lived at 902 West 7th Street for about one year.

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We then started with her day on 12/14/2014. She stayed the night in Belle Plaine. She stayed at Ivan Scotts house. She said that she was worried about some people coming over to her house and causing problems. She said that these people lived in Westwood Apartments. She had called the police on them and that was causing her some problems.

She said that was up around 07:00. She advised that she spoke with Clint at 13:00. Clint is actually Christopher Clint Blansett. She had called him and asked that he come to Belle Plaine. She wanted to talk about the kids. She said that she spoke with Clint and made arrangements for him to pick the kids up the next morning and take them to school.



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I then stopped the interview for a break. The time was 02:28. She asked for some water and agreed to let us have her clothes for evidence. Lt. Thompson was able to get some scrubs from SRMC for her to change into. Officer Owens took her to the ladies locker room to change. The clothes were collected by Officer Owens.

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Sgt. Westmoreland applied for a warrant in regards to this case. I was handed a warrant signed by Judge McQuinn at 04:23. I executed the warrant specific to Nicole at 04:59. We took a buccal swab for DNA. A urine sample (05:00) and blood sample at 05:09. The blood was drawn by Galen Tieszen.

I called Judge McQuinn for a bond for Murder in the first degree. The bond was set at \$500,000.00. Officer Owens drove Blansett to the jail and I booked her in. I advised Nicole that if she had other information or wanted to talk with me some more she just had to tell a jailer.

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She was advised that I would continue to come out and talk with her but it would have to be on Tuesday if he wished to speak to me.

DISCLAIMER : A more detailed report will follow along with other officers involved. This is a starting point so charges can be filed by the County Attorney.

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This is all I have at this time.



Detective Bobby Wilson
Wellington PD