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U.S. DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- against -

DEWAYNE TRIPP,

Defendant.

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INDICTMENT

Cr. No. **1:22-cr-00336(MKB)(CLP)**

(T. 18, U.S.C., §§ 922(g)(1), 924(a)(2),
924(c)(1)(A)(i), 924(c)(1)(A)(ii),
924(d)(1), 981(a)(1)(C), 1951(a), 2 and
3551 et seq.; T. 21, U.S.C., § 853(p);
T. 28, U.S.C., § 2461(c))

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE
(Hobbs Act Robbery)

1. On or about March 24, 2022, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant DEWAYNE TRIPP, together with others, did knowingly and intentionally obstruct, delay, and affect commerce, and the movement of articles and commodities in commerce, by robbery, to wit: the robbery of one or more products for sale at a gas station and convenience store, located at the corner of Utica Avenue and Atlantic Avenue in Brooklyn, New York.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a), 2 and 3551 et seq.)

COUNT TWO
(Possessing and Brandishing a Firearm During a Crime of Violence)

2. On or about March 24, 2022, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant DEWAYNE TRIPP, together with others, did knowingly and intentionally use and carry a firearm during and in relation to a crime of violence, to wit: the

crime charged in Count One, and did knowingly and intentionally possess said firearm in furtherance of said crime of violence, which firearm was brandished.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1)(A)(i), 924(c)(1)(A)(ii), 2 and 3551 et seq.)

COUNT THREE

(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)

3. On or about March 24, 2022, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant DEWAYNE TRIPP, knowing that he had previously been convicted in a court of one or more crimes punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding one year, did knowingly and intentionally possess in and affecting commerce a firearm, to wit: a black Ruger .380 caliber semiautomatic pistol, serial number 371379597.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1), 924(a)(2), and 3551 et seq.)

CRIMINAL FORFEITURE ALLEGATION
AS TO COUNT ONE

4. The United States hereby gives notice to the defendant that, upon his conviction of the offense charged in Count One, the government will seek forfeiture in accordance with: (a) Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), which requires any person convicted of such offense to forfeit any property, real or personal, constituting or derived from proceeds obtained directly or indirectly as a result of such offense; and (b) Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, 2461(c), which require the forfeiture of any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in any violation of any other criminal law of the United States, including but not limited to one black Ruger .380 caliber semiautomatic pistol, serial number 371379597, seized on or about March 24, 2022, in Brooklyn, New York.

5. If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
- (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be

divided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendants up to the value of the forfeitable property described in this forfeiture allegation.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(d)(1) and 981(a)(1)(C); Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p); Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c))

**CRIMINAL FORFEITURE ALLEGATION
AS TO COUNTS TWO AND THREE**

6. The United States hereby gives notice to the defendant that, upon his conviction of either of the offenses charged in Counts Two and Three, the government will seek forfeiture in accordance with Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), which require forfeiture of any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in any knowing violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922 or 924, including but not limited to one black Ruger .380 caliber semiautomatic pistol, serial number 371379597, seized on or about March 24, 2022, in Brooklyn, New York.

7. If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of this court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
- (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be

divided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the forfeitable property described in this forfeiture allegation.

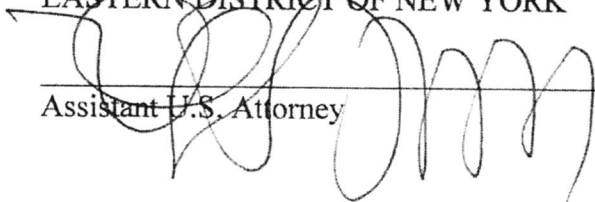
(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(d)(1), Titled 21, United States Code, Section 853(p); Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c))

A TRUE BILL


FOREPERSON

BREON PEACE
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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A true bill.

Kathleen Sullivan

Foreperson

Filed in open court this _____ day,

of _____ A.D. 20 _____

Clerk

Bail, \$ _____

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