IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR BRADFORD COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA Plaintiff, Case Number: 20 CF 641
Agency Report# OIG20-02021
FELONY DIVISION

VS.

KAYLA KITLER W/F/Defendant.

CHARGES

I) INTRODUCING A CONTRABAND WRITTEN RECORD OR COMMUNICATION TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

II) INTRODUCING A CONTRABAND WRITTEN RECORD OR COMMUNICATION TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

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VI) INTRODUCING A CONTRABAND WRITTEN RECORD OR COMMUNICATION TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

VII) INTRODUCING CONTRABAND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

VIII) INTRODUCING CONTRABAND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

IX) INTRODUCING CONTRABAND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE TO AN INMATE IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

X) CONSPIRACY

ARREST WARRANT

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

To all and singular the Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs of the State of Florida:

WHEREAS, complaint under oath was presented before me, the undersigned Judge of this Court this date alleging that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 1, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes. (3F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT II: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 4, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit:

an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes. (3F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT III: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 5, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes.

COUNT IV: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 7, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes.

COUNT V: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 8, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit:

an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes.

(3F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT VI: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about January 14, 2020, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, a written or recorded communication given or transmitted, to wit: an e-mail, or intended to be given or transmitted, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes. (3F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT VII: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about October 1, 2019 to on or about October 31, 2019, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, any controlled substance as defined in s. 893.02(4) or any prescription or nonprescription drug having a hypnotic, stimulating, or depressing effect, to; wit: nicotine, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes. (2F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT VIII: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about November 1, 2019 to on or about November 30, 2019, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, any controlled substance as defined in s. 893.02(4) or any prescription or nonprescription drug having a hypnotic, stimulating, or depressing effect, to; wit: nicotine, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes.

(2F L3) [FDLE #3840]

COUNT IX: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about December 1, 2019 to on or about December 31, 2019, did unlawfully introduce into or upon the grounds of a state correctional institution, or did take or attempt to take or send or attempt to send therefrom, any controlled substance as defined in s. 893.02(4) or any prescription or nonprescription drug having a hypnotic, stimulating, or depressing effect, to; wit: nicotine, to an inmate of a state correctional institution, to wit: an inmate in Florida State Prison, contrary to Section 944.47(1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes. (2F L3) [FDLE #3840] COUNT X: AND WHEREAS the complaint further alleged that KAYLA KITLER, in Bradford County, Florida, on or about October 1, 2019 to on or about January 14, 2020, did then and there to commit the crime of agree, conspire, combine, or confederate with Inmate to commit the crime of Introduction of Contraband into a State Correctional Institution, contrary to Section 777.04 and 944.47. Florida Statutes. (3F) [FDLE #8415] WHEREAS, the Court finds from the facts alleged in said complaint that there is probable cause that said offense was committed and that said Defendant committed them. NOW THEREFORE this is to Command you to arrest the said KAYLA KITLER, instanter, to be brought before the Court to be dealt with according to law. Bond is hereby set in the amount of \$ 10,000 , \$ 10,000 , \$ 10,000 , \$ 10,000 , \$ 10,000 , \$ 20,0SURROUNDING STATES EXTRADITION WITNESS my hand and seal this 10 day of September, 2020, at STARKE, Bradford County, Florida. * No Contact w/ Inmote

* No Contact w/ any DOC JUDGE

Assistant State Attorney

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	AGENCY ORI NUMBER: FL037275C PR					OBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT							AGENCY CASE REPORT NUMBER: 20-02021			
	NAME OF SUBJECT (LAST, FIRST, MI): Kitler, Kayla, Joanna	ALIAS / MAIDEN:						<u> </u>								
	911 HOME ADDRESS (STREET, APARTMENT NUMBER, ETC.):			CITY				STATE:			ZIP C	ZIP CODE:			TELEPHONE NUMBER:	
DEFENDANT	BUSINESS / SCHOOL ADDRESS (STREET, APARTMENT NUMBER, PO BOX, ETC.): N/A				CITY:				STATE:			ZIP CODE:			TELEPHONE NUMBER:	
	MNAILING ADDRESS (PO BOX, ETC. IF DIFFERENT THAN 911 ADDRESS): N/A				Tattoo:						ICAL FEATURES (LOCATION, TYPE, DESCRIPTION):					
	WHITE	F	DATE OF BIRTH:				WEIGHT: 185		HAIR COLOR: Brown		color: comple own Light				BUILD: Medium	
	DRIVERS <u>LICENSE</u> / <u>STATE ID NUMBER:</u> FL DL#	FL	OF DL S			N/A		PLACE OF BIRTH: U/K			USA		'ENSHIP:			
	SUBJECT'S OCCUPATION: FDC State Prison Correctional Officer							ORI NUMBEI 37275			so id / agency id / numi ID# 94944		N/A		NUMBER:	
	LOCATION OF ARREST: Pending						of ARRE					Pending			TIME OF BOOKING Pending	
	SUBJECT IDENTIFIED BY WHOM (VICTIM, WITNESS, LEO, ETC.): Witness listed below									ame verified by (Photo id, Family membe State Prison records				TO OFFICE	R, ETC.):	
	(NAME): N/A			DATE RACE: OF BIRTH		S	EX:	COURT	URT NUMBER:		ARRESTED SWORN DMPLAINT		FELONY MISDEMEANOR		JUVENILE: YES NO	
EF.	(NAME):			DATE OF BIRTH	RACE:	□ swo		ARRESTE SWORN OMPLAINT	D	FELONY MISDEMEANOR		JUVENILE: YES NO				
CO-DEF.	(NAME):			DATE Of Birth	RACE:				ARRESTE SWORN OMPLAINT	SWORN IPLAINT MISDEMEANOR		JUVENILE: YES NO				
	(NAME):			DATE Of Birth	RACE:	S	EX:	COURT	□ SV			PLAINT MISDEMEANOR		JUVENILE: YES NO		
NILE	JUVENILE DISPOSITION: RELEASED TO JAC ISSUED NTA AND RELEASED	TIFIED TYES NO):								WORK TELEPHONE NUMBER:						
JUVENILE	PARENT / GUARDIAN HOME ADDRESS (STREET, APARTMENT #, PO BOX, ETC.):				CITY: STATE:							ZIP CODE: HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER:			LEPHONE NUMBER:	
	(NAME): Correctional Lieutenant M. Avery			Florida State Prison 23916 NW 83 rd Ave.							e. 320	32026 904			NE NUMBER 368-2500	
NESS	(NAME): Correctional Captain J. Beighley				ADDRESS: Florida State Prison 23916 NW 83rd Ave							. 32026 904-			NE NUMBER 368-2500	
WITNE	Inmate				ADDRESS: Florida State Prison 23916 NW 83rd Ave							. 32026 904-			NE NUMBER: 368-2500	
	(NAME):	ADDRESS:							TELEPHONE NUMBER:							
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CH	VICTIM (NAME): ADDRESS			is (street, apartment number, po da Department of Correc								STATE: FL			ZIP CODE: N/A	
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CHARGE 2	hypnotic, stimulating, or depressing effect.								ME OF OFFENSE: BAIL AMOUNT:			VICTIM'S TELEPHONE				
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3	OFFENSE DESCRIPTION: Attempts, solicitation, and conspiracy, of t introduction of contraband into a state pris			☐ FELONY ☐ MISDEMEANOR ☐ TRAFFIC ☐ NTA		COMPLETE STATUTE / ORDINANCE NUMBE 777.04			R:	VICTIM NOTIFICATION: ARREST: YES NO
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S	VICTIM (NAME): State of Florida			rtment of			Raiford		STATE: FL	ZIP CODE: N/A
	THE FOLLOWING INCIDENT OCCURRED AT (ADDRESS / LOCATION): Florida State Prison Compound		CITY OF: Raifor	d				COUNTY OF Bradfo		STATE OF: FLORIDA
	Your Affiant is Law Enforcement Senio Department of Corrections.	pector S	Steven Donaldson of the Office of the Inspector General, Florida							
	Your Affiant has probable cause to believe that from December 23, 2019 - January 26, 2020, FDC Correction Officer Kayla J. Kitler DOB did commit the crimes of; 6 counts of Florida State Statute 944.47(1)(a) Introduction or possession of certain articles unlawful written or recorded communication or currency, 3 counts Florida State Statute 944.47(1)(a)4 Introduction or possession of certain articles, any controlled substance defined in s. 893.02(4) or any prescription or nonprescription drug having a hypnotic, stimulating, or depressi effect on Florida Department of Corrections Property and Florida State Statute 777.04 Attempts, solicitation, a conspiracy, of the introduction of contraband into a state prison.								4.47(1)(a)1 3 counts of bstance as depressing	
	Officer Kitler created a fictitious J-Pa interaction messages to / from Inmate Officer Kitler sent 40 written communic from Inmate . Officer Kitler also January 7, 2020, at 10:51 AM and 12:3 admitted he was receiving electronic contraband from her. Officer Kitler sup – December 9, 2019.	ation sent 57 PN omm	until Ja messa two ma M. The l unication	anuary 2 ages to la oney / c last four on v <u>ia th</u>	6, 2020 nmate currency digits of e fictition	of the are and the second of the Vous name	ose writtend receive actions of isa card one with O	n comied 59 conf f \$50 used w fficer K	munications dommunication each to Inma as (Irre Ir	ocumented messages te on nmate s smuggled
	The address on the factious J-Pay account "Mary J King" was the same as listed for Correctional Officer Kayla Kitler per FDC personnel records. DHSMV records currently list Officer Kitler's Florida driver's license address as this Georgia address in January 6, 2020, for Officer Kitler.									/ list Officer
	Officer Kitler told him "that's what the Kitler talked a lot about drama going or was snitching on whom. Inmate occasions. Inmate explained or advised Officer Kitler took off the broelectrical tape. Inmate also indimashed potatoes, turkey, and macaro to him were worth a total of \$600 in the when she was in a result of \$600.	fficer y con y con y and (bath n at w ad fficer own co cated he pri elatio ham ne p	Kayla computer sees, becan officer land the computer sees of the compute	J Kitler is system values she Kitler) at are for a difference for settler set. Inmate the twe with him.	s also Methods and the hater shim for and wrater live pactions in this continuation of the election of this continuation and the election and the election this continuation and the election and the elect	Mary J e is in p him. In s about e laund d her jo smuggle ur pack apped im her advis ks. Inn tronic r case ard d marri	King the prison. Inrumate sexual regrees on each the cigare and the cigare and the cigare and the cigare are sexual regrees on a messages e true and tage. Inm	person nate exp elation Inmate rrection the said ettes in hanksg garette Indicat Officer s were d corre	advised Officer s. Inmate e explain nal officer as we him on three d occasion. In plastic cello giving meal costs Officer Kitler ated Officer Kitler of Kitler took a patt the photograph the boyfriend ect. Inmate indicated Officer Costs of the photograph	n electronic officer Kitler talks indicated ned Officer well as who e separate mate phane and onsisting of r smuggled tler lived in ohotograph aph to advised
	On August 20, 2020, a sworn recor Lieutenant Avery indicated while revie to Inmate housed at the F email from a Mary J King to Inmate you" to marriage and recently having	wing lorida . T	J-Pay a State I he ema	emails to Prison V ails were	o inmat Vest Un of a pe	tes in th it. Lieu ersonal	ne prison tenant Av and roma	he obs ery ad antic na	served suspici vised he obse ature ranging t	ous emails rved J-Pay from "I love

	back to Correctional Officer Kayla J. Kitler who was working at the Florida State Prison West Unit. Lieutenant Avery advised he reviewed the dates of the emails and Officer Kitler's work schedule to include time at the prison working, days off and days she called in. Lieutenant Avery advised the emails indicated Officer Kitler was smuggling contraband into the prison. Lieutenant Avery explained Inmate wrote in an email to Officer Kitler that he "is out of cigs this morning, but that tomorrow morning will be a different story". Lieutenant Avery also explained Inmate instructs Officer Kitler to send four "toys" (slang for cell phones) to 1414 Palmer Street
	Jacksonville, Florida 32233 an address that belongs to Samantha Lester the girlfriend of Inmate Duston Bond DC# 132640 Lieutenant Avery advised Inmate Bond is involved in the introduction and sale of contraband in the prison currently in confinement for cell phone possession. Lieutenant Avery indicated he questioned Inmate about having a relationship with Officer Kitler and admitted to the relationship with Kitler. Lieutenant Avery advised Inmate displayed a tattoo on his ring finger of "Kayle" and told Officer Kitler he did that for her. Lieutenant Avery indicated an inventory of Inmate property
	admitted to Lieutenant Avery the address belonged to Officer Kitler. Lieutenant Avery indicated Inmate told him Officer Kitler brought him a Thanksgiving meal consisting of turkey, mashed potatoes and macaroni and cheese from outside the prison in November 2019. Lieutenant Avery advised Inmate admitted to receiving cigarettes from Officer Kitler which in turn he sold to other inmates. Lieutenant Avery indicated Officer Kitler supervised Inmate as a housing officer at the Florida State Prison West Unit. Lieutenant Avery indicated Officer Kitler discussed in the emails taking showers together with Inmate as well as other sexual activities and sexual preferences. Lieutenant Avery indicated some messages Officer Kitler sent discussed having children together with Inmate Lieutenant Avery explained Officer Kitler's fictious J-Pay account was started in December 2019, but the relationship was started before that reflecting back to the Thanksgiving meal, she introduced into the prison for Inmate
	On August 30, 2020, a sworn recorded interview was conducted with Correctional Captain Julie Beighley. Captain Beighley indicated she supervised Officer Kitler at the Florida State Prison West Unit and was responsible to update officer's emergency contact information to include the home address. Captain Beighley advised she asked Officer Kitler's what her address was and Officer Kitler alluded she was having to move but has not moved yet. Captain Beighley explained that Officer Kitler said she lived in Georgia but declined to give her address and acted suspicious. Captain Beighley indicated the conversation took place before January 28, 2020.
	The documents and photographs mentioned in this report are attached in the Office of the Inspector General IGIIS electronic case file.
	Your Affiant respectfully submits that probable cause has been established that Correctional Officer Kayla J. Kitler did commit the criminal offense of: 6 counts of Florida State Statute 944.47(1)(a)1 Introduction or possession of certain articles unlawful written or recorded communication or currency, 3 counts of Florida State Statute 944.47(1)(a)4 Introduction or possession of certain articles, Any controlled substance as defined in s. 893.02(4) or any prescription or nonprescription drug having a hypnotic, stimulating, or depressing effect, and Florida State Statute 777.04 Attempts, solicitation, and conspiracy, of the introduction of contraband into a state prison.
TA	□ MANDATORY APPEARANCE IN COURT AT: □ MANDATORY APPEARANCE: IN DATE OF APPEARANCE: ITIME OF APPEARANCE: □ AM □ PM LAGREE AND DROMISE TO COMPLY AND ANSWED TO THE CHARGES AND INSTRUCTIONS SPECIFIED IN THIS NOTICE. □ DEFENDANT (SIGNATURE): □ DATE:
Z	TAGREE AND PROMISE TO COMIFET AND ANALYSIS AND INSTRUCTIONS SPECIFIED IN THIS NOTICE. TO APPEAR WILLFUL REFUSAL TO ACCEPT AND SIGN THIS NOTICE TO APPEAR MAY RESULT IN PHYSICAL ARREST. I UNDERSTAND MY SIGNATURE IS NOT AN ADMISSION OF GUILT OR WAIVER OF MY RIGHTS.
	SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS:
IRAT	SIGNATURE: NAME (PRINT): Senior Law Enforcement Inspector S. Donaldson SIGNATURE: SIGNATURE:
J.	TITLE: Senior Inspector Lee McGauley
	AGENCY: FDC - OIG LEO ID NUMBER: 72344