INDICTMENT

CRIMINAL RULES 6 & 7

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THE STATE OF OHIO

Case No. 13-CR-229

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

JEFFERSON COUNTY, OHIO, ss.}

In the Court of Common Pleas, Jefferson County, Ohio, of the Special Grand Jury term in the year Two Thousand and THIRTEEN, (convened April 15, 2013)

COUNT ONE (UNDERAGE PERSONS OFFENSES CONCERNING)

THE JURORS OF THE SPECIAL GRAND JURY of the State of Ohio, within and for the body of the County aforesaid, on their oaths, in the name and by the authority of the State of Ohio, do find and present that on or about August 11-12, 2012, at Jefferson County, Ohio, Matthew Belerdine who is the owner or occupant of a public or private place did knowingly allow an underage person to remain in or on the place while possessing or consuming beer or intoxicating liquor, and the intoxicating liquor or beer was not given to the person possessing or consuming it by that person's parent or a spouse who is not an underage person, or legal guardian, and the parent or spouse who is not an underage person, or legal guardian was not present at the time of the person's possession or consumption of the beer or intoxicating liquor, in violation of Section 4301.69(B) of the Revised Code, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio, a Misdemeanor of the First Degree.

COUNT TWO (OBSTRUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS)

THE JURORS OF THE SPECIAL GRAND JURY of the State of Ohio, within and for the body of the County aforesaid, on their oaths, in the name and by the authority of the State of Ohio, do find and present that on or about January 1, 2013 to May 2, 2013, at Jefferson County, Ohio, Matthew Belerdine did without privilege to do so and with purpose to prevent, obstruct, or delay the performance by a public official of any authorized act within the public official's official capacity, did commit an act that hampered or impeded a public official in the performance of the public official's lawful duties, in violation of Section 2921.31(A) of the Revised Code, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio, a Misdemeanor of the Second Degree.

COUNT THREE (FALSIFICATION)

THE JURORS OF THE SPECIAL GRAND JURY of the State of Ohio, within and for the body of the County aforesaid, on their oaths, in the name and by the authority of the State of Ohio, do find and present that on or about August 11-12, 2012, at Jefferson County, Ohio, Matthew Belerdine did, knowingly make a false statement and the statement was made with purpose to mislead a public official in performing the public official's official function, in violation of Section 2921.13 (A)(3) of the Revised Code, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio, a Misdemeanor of the First Degree.

COUNT FOUR (CONTRIBUTING TO UNRULINESS OR DELINQUENCY OF A CHILD)

THE JURORS OF THE SPECIAL GRAND JURY of the State of Ohio, within and for the body of the County aforesaid, on their oaths, in the name and by the authority of the State of Ohio, do find and present that on or about August 11-12, 2012, at Jefferson County, Ohio, Matthew Belerdine did, aid, abet, induce, cause, encourage, or contribute to a child becoming an unruly child, as defined in section 2151.022 of the Revised Code, or a delinquent child, as defined in section 2152.02 of the Revised Code, and / or act in a way tending to cause a child to become an unruly child, as defined in section 2151.022 of the Revised Code, or a delinquent child, as defined in section 2152.02 of the Revised Code; in violation of Section 2919.24(A)(1)(2) of the Revised Code, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Ohio, a Misdemeanor of the First Degree.

ALL WITHIN THIS COUNTY A TRUE BILL

Ted Davis, Foreperson

MIKE DEWINE

(0009181)

Attorney General of Ohio Special Prosecuting Attorney

No. 13. CR-229

Special Grand Jury, 2013

COMMON PLEAS COURT

Jefferson County, Ohio

THE STATE OF OHIO

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MATTHEW BELERDINE

Indictment for: 1 Ct. Underage Persons Offenses Concerning 4301.69(B) (M1), 1 Ct. Obstructing Official Business 2921.31(A) (M2), 1 Ct. Falsification 2921.13(A)(3) (M1); 1 Ct Contributing to Unruliness or Delinquency of a Child 2919.24(A)(1)(2) (M1)

Mike Dewine (0009181) Special Prosecuting Attorney A TRUE BILL

Foreperson Grand Jury – Ted Davis

This Bill of Indictment found upon testimony sworn and sent before the Special Grand Jury at the request of the Special Prosecuting Attorney.

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Foreperson Grand Jury – Ted Davis

Filed: November 25, 2013

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On this 6th day of December 2013, the within named **Matthew Belerdine**, Defendant arraigned, and pleads (not guilty) (guilty) to this indictment.

Defendant, Matthew Belerdine

Clerk By,

Deputy

THE STATE OF OHIO JEFFERSON COUNTY.

I, the undersigned, Clerk of Court of Common Pleas in and for said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original indictment, with the endorsements thereon, now on file in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court, at Steubenville, Ohio, this 25th day of November 2013.

JOHN A.CORRIGAN Clerk

By Deputy