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DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

9 THE STATE OF NEVADA,
10 Plaintiff,
11 -vs-
12 DEOBRA DELONE REDDEN,
13 #2664485
14 Defendant.

CASE NO: C-24-380558-1
DEPT NO: XXII

INDICTMENT

15 STATE OF NEVADA)
16 COUNTY OF CLARK) ss.

17 The Defendant above named, DEOBRA DELONE REDDEN, accused by the Clark
18 County Grand Jury of the crime(s) of ATTEMPT MURDER, VICTIM 60 YEARS OF AGE
19 OR OLDER (Category B Felony - NRS 200.010, 200.030, 193.153, 193.167 - NOC 50032),
20 BATTERY ON A PROTECTED PERSON RESULTING IN SUBSTANTIAL BODILY
21 HARM, VICTIM OVER 60 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER (Category B Felony - NRS
22 200.481 - NOC 62402), EXTORTION BY THREAT (Category B Felony - NRS 205.320 -
23 NOC 50619), INTIMIDATING PUBLIC OFFICER (Category C Felony - NRS 199.300 -
24 NOC 52993), BATTERY ON AN OFFICER RESULTING IN SUBSTANTIAL BODILY
25 HARM (Category B Felony - NRS 200.481 - NOC 50218), PERFORMANCE OF ACT OR
26 NEGLECT OF DUTY IN WILFUL OR WANTON DISREGARD OF SAFETY OF
27 PERSONS OR PROPERTY RESULTING IN SUBSTANTIAL BODIILY HARM OR
28 DEATH (Category C Felony - NRS 202.595 - NOC 51540), BATTERY ON A PROTECTED

1 PERSON (Gross Misdemeanor - NRS 200.481 - NOC 50221), BATTERY BY PRISONER
2 (Category B Felony - NRS 200.481(2)(F) - NOC 50229) and UNLAWFUL ACT RELATED
3 TO HUMAN EXCREMENT OR BODILY FLUID (Category B Felony - NRS 212.189 - NOC
4 55114), committed at and within the County of Clark, State of Nevada, on or about the 3rd
5 day of January, 2024, as follows:

6 COUNT 1 - ATTEMPT MURDER, VICTIM 60 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER

7 did willfully, unlawfully, feloniously and with malice aforethought attempt to kill
8 JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS, who is 60 years of age or older, to wit: during his rendition
9 of sentence and once he knew she was about to sentence him to prison, did leap over defense
10 counsel table into the well of the courtroom, thereafter rushing towards the judicial bench and
11 jumping over it “superman” style directly into JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS’s judicial
12 space, landing directly on top of her and immediately attacking JUDGE MARY KAY
13 HOLTHUS by grabbing her, pulling her hair, placing his hands around her throat and/or hitting
14 her on the head by manner and means unknown.

15 COUNT 2 - BATTERY ON A PROTECTED PERSON RESULTING IN SUBSTANTIAL
16 BODILY HARM, VICTIM OVER 60 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER

17 did willfully, unlawfully and knowingly use force or violence upon the person of
18 another, to wit: JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS, who is 60 years of age or older and is a
19 protected person employed as an 8th Judicial District Court Judge, while JUDGE MARY KAY
20 HOLTHUS was performing the duties of a 8th Judicial District Court Judge, which defendant
21 knew, or should have known, that JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS was an 8th Judicial
22 District Court Judge, by grabbing her, pulling her hair, placing his hands around her throat
23 and/or hitting her on the head by manner and means unknown, resulting in substantial bodily
24 harm to JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS.

25 COUNT 3 - EXTORTION BY THREAT

26 did willfully, unlawfully, feloniously and knowingly, with the intent to influence the
27 action of any public officer, to wit: JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS, whether or not the
28 purpose is accomplished, threatens directly or indirectly to injure a person, to wit: during his

1 rendition of sentence and once he knew she was about to sentence him to prison, did leap over
2 defense counsel table into the well of the courtroom, thereafter rushing towards the judicial
3 bench and jumping over it “superman” style directly into JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS’s
4 judicial space, landing directly on top of her and immediately attacking JUDGE MARY KAY
5 HOLTHUS by grabbing her, pulling her hair, placing his hands around her throat and/or hitting
6 her on the head by manner and means unknown.

7 COUNT 4 - INTIMIDATING PUBLIC OFFICER

8 did willfully, unlawfully, and feloniously, directly or indirectly, address any threat or
9 intimidation to a public officer, namely JUDGE MARY KAY HOLTHUS, a Judicial Officer,
10 with intent to induce her, contrary to his/her duty to do, make, omit or delay any act, decision
11 or determination, with use of physical force, or the immediate threat of such force, to wit:
12 during his rendition of sentence and once he knew she was about to sentence him to prison,
13 did leap over defense counsel table into the well of the courtroom, thereafter rushing towards
14 the judicial bench and jumping over it “superman” style directly into JUDGE MARY KAY
15 HOLTHUS’s judicial space, landing directly on top of her and immediately attacking JUDGE
16 MARY KAY HOLTHUS by grabbing her, pulling her hair, placing his hands around her throat
17 and/or hitting her on the head by manner and means unknown.

18 COUNT 5 - BATTERY ON AN OFFICER RESULTING IN SUBSTANTIAL BODILY
19 HARM

20 did willfully, unlawfully and knowingly use force or violence upon the person of
21 another, to wit: J. CABRALDA, who was performing the duties of a peace officer employed
22 with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, which defendant knew or should have
23 known that J. CABRALDA was an officer, by punching and/or kicking and/or pushing said
24 officer, said acts resulting in SUBSTANTIAL BODILY HARM.

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1 COUNT 6 - PERFORMANCE OF ACT OR NEGLECT OF DUTY IN WILFUL OR
2 WANTON DISREGARD OF SAFETY OF PERSONS OR PROPERTY RESULTING IN
3 SUBSTANTIAL BODIILY HARM OR DEATH

4 did then and there willfully, unlawfully, and feloniously perform an act in willful or
5 wanton disregard of the safety of persons or property, in the following manner, to wit: by
6 jumping over defense counsel table into the well of the courtroom, thereafter rushing at the
7 judicial bench and leaping over it “superman” style to attack and/or kill the judge causing
8 Marshal S. BRANDON and others to respond in defense of Defendant’s actions towards the
9 judge, resulting in substantial bodily harm or death to Marshal S. BRANDON.

10 COUNT 7 - BATTERY ON A PROTECTED PERSON

11 did willfully, unlawfully and knowingly use force or violence upon the person of
12 another, to wit: MICHAEL LASSO, who is a protected person employed as an 8th Judicial
13 District Court Law Clerk to the Honorable Judge Holthus, which defendant knew or should
14 have known that MICHAEL LASSO was an 8th Judicial District Court Law Clerk, by grabbing
15 and/or pushing MICHAEL LASSO.

16 COUNT 8 - BATTERY BY PRISONER

17 did willfully, unlawfully, feloniously, and knowingly use force or violence upon the
18 person of another, to wit: Officer C. BOU, by spitting on Officer C. BOU, defendant at the
19 time of the offense, being a prisoner in lawful custody or confinement.

20 COUNT 9 - UNLAWFUL ACT RELATED TO HUMAN EXCREMENT OR BODILY
21 FLUID

22 did then and there willfully, unlawfully, feloniously and intentionally use, propel,
23 discharge or spread any human excrement or bodily fluid consisting of saliva, with the intent
24 to have the excrement or bodily fluid come into physical contact with any portion of the body
25 of another person or under circumstances in which the excrement or bodily fluid was
26 reasonably likely to have come into contact with any portion of the body of another person, to

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1 wit: Officer C. BOU, whether or not such contact actually occurred, while the Defendant was
2 a prisoner in lawful confinement, the Defendant committing the offense in the following
3 manner, to wit: by spitting saliva on Officer C. BOU.

4 DATED this 7TH day of February, 2024.

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8 BY /s/ **ELIZABETH MERCER**
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12 ENDORSEMENT: A True Bill

13 /S/ **YVONNE SIMON**
14 Foreperson, Clark County Grand Jury

1 Names of Witnesses and testifying before the Grand Jury:

2 BACHHUBER, BENJAMIN – WITNESS

3 BRANDON, SHANE – VICTIM

4 CABRALDA, JOSEPH - LVMPD

5 HOLTHUS, MARY KAY – VICTIM

6 LASSO, MICHAEL – WITNESS

7 RIETJENS, ROBERT- LVMPD

8 SCARBOROUGH, MICHAEL – WITNESS

9 Additional Witnesses known to the District Attorney at time of filing the Indictment:

10 CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS - CCDC

11 CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS - LVMPD COMMUNICATIONS

12 CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS - LVMPD RECORDS

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