

Grand Jury No. 289Case No. CC17-1471 2021 Sep-25 AM 11:51
U.S. DISTRICT COURT
N.D. OF ALABAMA**INDICTMENT**The State of Alabama }
Houston County }CIRCUIT COURT
TWENTIETH JUDICIAL
JUNE TERM, 2017**Count 1**

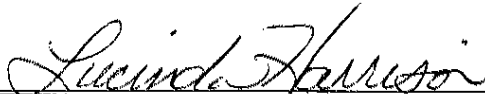
The Grand Jury of said county charge that, before the finding of this indictment, ELBERT MELTON JR., whose name is otherwise unknown to the Grand Jury, did willfully falsify a ballot application or verification document so as to vote absentee and did solicit, encourage, urge or otherwise promote illegal absentee voting, to-wit: ELBERT MELTON JR. did notarize an AFFIDAVIT OF ABSENTEE VOTER document stating the signature of the legal registered voter, [REDACTED] was signed on the AFFIDAVIT OF ABSENTEE VOTER document in his presence, in violation of section 17-17-24 of the Code of Alabama 1975, against the peace and dignity of the State of Alabama.

Patrick B. Jones III
District AttorneyTHE STATE OF ALABAMA
Houston CountyWitnesses for Agency No. **216004463**BILL RAFFERTY, HCSO DOTHAN, AL 36303
[REDACTED]THE CIRCUIT COURT
Twentieth Judicial CircuitTHE STATE
vs.
ELBERT MELTON JR.

Charge: 1. ABSENTEE BALLOT - FRAUD

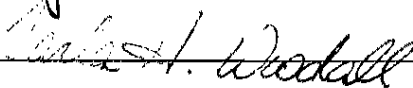
DEFENDANT'S
EXHIBIT
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A TRUE BILL



Foreman of the Grand Jury

Presented to the presiding Judge in Open court foreman of
the Grand Jury, in the presence of 14 Grand Jurors and
filed in open court by order of the court on this the 19th
day of July, 2017.



Clerk

INDICTMENT

NO PROSECUTOR

Upon the arrest of Defendant let him be admitted to bail on
giving bond in the sum of:

15,000

Dollars,

with security to be approved by the Sheriff.



Judge, Presiding