

# South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services

## Violation Report - (Report 1106)

Personal Information					
Name:	SID:	DOB:	SCDC#:	Supervision Level:	Agent Name:
JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON	[REDACTED]			Jail	21-DV-02-Ricarter Ruggiero

Sentencing Information			
Order: 2	Potential End Date: 4/11/2026	Adjusted End Date: 12/25/2026	
Warrant/Citation Numbers: W-21-25-0039			
Sentence Date: 01/15/2025	County Name: FLORENCE	GPS Indicator:	
Authority: Judge - DeBerry, IV, H Steven			

Indictment Number: 23-GS-21-02769	Offense Code: 3812 - Domestic Violence, 2nd degree
Supervision: Probation	Sup. Begin Date: 01/15/2025
	Sup. End Date: 01/14/2027
Sentence: 18 MONTHS SS & 2 YRS PROB CREDIT FOR 3 DAYS	
Special Conditions: Other1 - SURCHARGE \$100.00, LEF \$25.00, PDF FEE \$500.00, PDF \$40.00, 3% \$18.75, TOTAL \$683.75	

Residence Summary & Address History			
Address:	Begin Date:	End Date:	Time at Residence:
	02/03/2025		0 YR, 2 MO, 6 DY

Employment History				
Employer:	Location:	Begin Date:	End Date:	Time at Employer:
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	01/17/2025		0 YR, 2 MO, 19 DY

Account Information										
Account Name:	Case:	Indictment #:	Monthly Obligation:	Total Obligation:	Total Paid:	Co-Payer Paid:	Account Balance:	Pmts in Arrears:	Arrearage:	Last Payment Made:
Drug Test Fee			\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	02/03/2025
Surcharge	102	23-GS-21-02769	\$30.00	\$683.75	\$110.00	\$0.00	\$573.75	0	\$0.00	03/31/2025
Regular Supervision			\$50.00	\$1,200.00	\$160.00	\$0.00	\$1,040.00	0	\$0.00	03/31/2025

Violation History			
Violation:	Start Date:	Complete Date:	Disposition:
2025-01-21 Failing to refrain from the use of illegal substances. The offender tested positive for THC on 1/21/25 during intake.	01/21/2025	01/27/2025	Attend and complete THC course through Rehab Services. Complete orientation by 2/4/25 to enroll in services. Zero tolerance for future positive drug test results.

Current Violation(s) Summary	
Violations:	Description:
16 x	
3	I shall not use controlled substances, except when properly prescribed by a licensed physician, nor consume alcoholic beverages to excess nor enter establishments whose primary business is the sale and drinking of alcoholic beverages.

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Condition:	Description:
6	I shall not violate any Federal, State, or Local Law, and I shall immediately contact my Agent if I am ever arrested or questioned by a law enforcement official for any reason whatsoever.
10	I shall follow the advice and instructions of my Agent and I agree to comply with any further conditions imposed by the Department or its Agents.

**Description:**

There is probable cause to believe the Mr. Joshua Demaurice Boston violated a Federal, State or Local law in violation of condition 6 of his probationary agreement by committing the crime of Domestic Violence 2nd Degree on 03/02/2025, as evident by warrant 2025A2120200371. Per incident report #2025-001697 submitted by the Florence Police Department it states that after a verbal altercation, the offender did walk into the residence unannounced and did put his hand around the victim's neck and pushed her against the wall causing a 4-foot hole in the wall. Witness in a room sharing the same wall did hear the loud bump and had things fall of the wall. On 03/22/2025 offender committed the crime of Domestic Violence, as evident by warrant 2025A2120200511. Per incident report #2025-0022847 submitted by the Florence Police Department it states that victim told police that upon getting out of the truck and walking up the driveway, offender slapped her with an open hand in the face. Victim stated she dropped all her bags and took off running to the neighbor's house to call law enforcement. Officer did note that the right side of victim's face appeared to have swelling. Failing to refrain from harassing/stalking behavior evidenced by incident report #2025-002593 submitted by the Florence Police on 04/03/2025 which states, Mr. Joshua Boston went to victim's residence and began banging on the door demanding entry after being advised to leave, which was also witnessed by multiple witnesses. There are multiple documented incidents of unwanted contact with the victim at the incident location and refusing being told to do so. Such action is a violation of Domestic Violence condition 9. Failing to refrain from possession or consumption of alcohol or drugs, evidenced by incident report #2025-002593 submitted by the Florence Police Department. While officers were attempting to take the subject in custody, he was observed dropping 1.5 grams of methamphetamine in tablet form. Such action is a violation of DV condition 4. Failing to follow the advice and instructions of the agent as evident in the above violations. Such action is a violation of DV condition 10. Such actions constitute violation of conditions 3, 6, 10.

**The Agent's Recommended Response(s) Summary**

**Responses:**  
 Revocation

**Justification:**  
 Mr. Joshua Boston was sentenced to probation in lieu of prison time for the offense of Domestic Violence 2nd degree. Mr. Boston did re-offend with the same victim in his probation case. Mr. Boston is displaying a repetitive pattern of assaultive behavior that has not changed despite enrolling in and attending a Batterers Intervention Program. Mr. Boston's new charge is the same charge as what he is on probation for, Domestic Violence 2nd degree along with an additional charge of Domestic Violence. Mr. Boston was also found to be in Poss. of Meth and Marijuana clearly showing that he is still partaking in substances that are mind altering despite being enrolled and attending a substance abuse class. Mr. Boston is refusing to change, and he is apparently a danger to the community and to the victim as evident in his recent arrest for Domestic Violence 2nd. Agent believes subject is not a good candidate for probation.

**Approved By: Elizabeth Warren, 4/9/2025**

**End Of Violation Report**

Probation

**ARREST WARRANT**

Indictment Number: 23-GS-21-02769

Warrant Number: W-21-25-0039

State Identification No. (SID): 01883360

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COUNTY OF FLORENCE

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR COUNTY OR OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF FLORENCE, AND ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT:

It appearing from the attached affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON, did on the 8 day of April, 2025 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina as set forth below:

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE:**

The offender has violated conditions 3, 6, 10 of the standard Department conditions associated with Section 24-21-430. The offender has also violated special conditions imposed by the General Sessions Court per order dated January 15, 2025. This warrant or citation is issued pursuant to section 24-21-450 or 300.

Now, therefore, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable. Done at FLORENCE, S. C. this 8 day of April, 2025

Signature of Probation and Parole Agent (L.S.)

County of FLORENCE

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

**AFFIDAVIT**

Personally appeared before me, one Ricarter Ruggerio, who, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON did within this County and State on the 8 day of April, 2025 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE:**

The offender has violated conditions 3, 6, 10 of the standard Department conditions associated with Section 24-21-430. The offender has also violated special conditions imposed by the General Sessions Court per order dated January 15, 2025. This warrant or citation is issued pursuant to section 24-21-450 or 300.

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

There is probable cause to believe the Mr. Joshua Demaurice Boston violated a Federal, State or Local law in violation of condition 6 of his probationary agreement by committing the crime of Domestic Violence 2nd Degree on 03/02/2025, as evident by warrant 2025A2120200371. Per incident report #2025-001697 submitted by the Florence Police Department it states that after a verbal altercation, the offender did walk into the residence unannounced and did put his hand around the victim's neck and pushed her against the wall causing a 4-foot hole in the wall. Witness in a room sharing the same wall did hear the loud bump and had things fall off the wall. On 03/22/2025 offender committed the crime of Domestic Violence, as evident by warrant 2025A2120200511. Per incident report #2025-0022847 submitted by the Florence Police Department it states that victim told police that upon getting out of the truck and walking up the driveway, offender slapped her with an open hand in the face. Victim stated she dropped all her bags and took off running to the neighbor's house to call law enforcement. Officer did note that the right side of victim's face appeared to have swelling. Failing to refrain from harassing/stalking behavior evidenced by incident report #2025-002593 submitted by the Florence Police on 04/03/2025 which states, Mr. Joshua Boston went to victim's residence and began banging on the door demanding entry after being advised to leave, which was also witnessed by multiple witnesses. There are multiple documented incidents of unwanted contact with the victim at the incident location and refusing to leave after

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 8 day of April, 2025.

Signature of Affiant

Signature of Notary Public

(L.S.)

Address: 181 N Irby Street  
Suite 3100  
FLORENCE, SC 29501

(843) 665-3063

My Commission Expires

RETURN

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF

FLORENCE

THE STATE

against

JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON

INFORMATION ON DEFENDANT

Name JOSHUA DEMAURICE BOSTON

Address

Phone

Sex Male Race Black Height 510

Weight 195 Birth date

Social Security Number

INFORMATION ON WITNESSES

Name

Address

Phone

Name

Address

Phone

Name

Address

Phone

Name

Address

Phone

PRELIMINARY HEARING held by

Magistrate

on

with

Attorney for the Defendant.

Decision

BAIL

Date Set

Magistrate

Amount

Surety

Constable or Law Enforcement Officer

A copy of this Arrest Warrant was delivered by me to the following defendant:

Joshua Boston

ARREST WARRANT

Offense: Violation of Conditions of Probation Supervision

Offense Section: 24-21-450

Date: 4/8/2025

Officer and Agency: SC Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services

Ricarter Ruggerio

This Warrant is certified for service in [County of warrant Certification] County. The accused is to be arrested and brought before me to dealt with according to law.

Disposition

Sentence

Co-Defendants

Signature of Judge

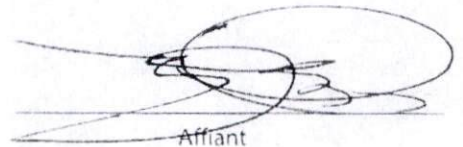
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# Addendum

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Such actions constitute violation of conditions 3, 6, 10.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me  
this 08 day of April, 2025.



Affiant



Signature of Notary Public

11/30/2033

My Commission Expires

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF FLORENCE )

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Indictment No. 23-GS-21-02769

Probation/ Community Supervision  
Program (CSP) Violation  
Warrant/Citation # W-21-25-0039

State of South Carolina, )  
 )  
**VIOLATION** )  
v. )  
 )  
BOSTON, JOSHUA DEMAURICE )  
 )  
Offender. )  
\_\_\_\_\_ )

**NOTICE OF PROBATION /CSP**

**HEARING AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT  
OF NOTICE**

You are hereby directed to appear at a Probation/CSP Violation Hearing in General Sessions on 04/25/2025 at 8:30 am in the Florence County Courthouse, 181 N. Irby St. Florence, South Carolina.

You may have an attorney represent you at this hearing. If you cannot afford an attorney and you desire the representation of the Florence County Public Defender, you must apply for an appointed attorney with that office. If you choose to appear at the hearing without an attorney, you may be required to represent yourself. You are hereby advised that there are dangers and disadvantages to self-representation. An attorney may better understand courtroom procedure and may be better able to think of and present defenses to your violations. By appearing without an attorney you are acknowledging these dangers but are knowingly and voluntarily choosing to proceed without counsel.

At the violation hearing you will have an opportunity to speak, and you may present witnesses or documentary evidence on your behalf. If requested, you will also have an opportunity to confront and cross-examine any witnesses called to testify against you; however, the Department may elect to present affidavits of witnesses or police officers in lieu of testimony. State v. Pauling (Ct. App. 2006). It is your responsibility to have your witnesses and attorney present. If you are released on bond prior to your hearing date, you must report to the Probation Office immediately upon your release.

You are required to be present at your hearing as scheduled above. If you do not appear, a bench warrant or a failure to appear warrant will be issued for your arrest. Furthermore, the Court may choose to proceed with the hearing in your absence. This directive remains in effect until you are granted leave by the Court.

This directive has been read to me and I have been provided with a copy. I was also given an opportunity to ask questions about this directive before it was signed.

4/11/25  
Date

Joshua Boston  
Offenders Signature

[Signature]  
Agent OSS Signature

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Florence

STATE VS.

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2023-GS-21-02769

Joshua Demaurice Boston

AW#: 2022A2120200871

AKA: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Offense: 5/21/2022

Race: Black Sex: M Age: 41

S.C. Code §: 16-25-0020(A)

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

CDR Code #: 3812

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

DL#\* \_\_\_\_\_ SID# \_\_\_\_\_

SENTENCE SHEET

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\*CDL Yes  No  CMV Yes  No  Hazmat Yes  No

In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was  CONVICTED OF or  PLEADS

TO: Domestic / Domestic Violence, 2nd degree (0-34)

In violation of § 16-25-0020(A) of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 3812

NON-VIOLENT  VIOLENT  SERIOUS  MOST SERIOUS  Mandatory GPS  § 17-25-45  
(CSC w/minor 1<sup>st</sup> or CSC w/minor 3<sup>rd</sup>)

The charge is:  As indicted,  Lesser Included Offense,  Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury. \_\_\_\_\_ (def.'s initials)

The plea is:  Without Negotiations or Recommendation,  Negotiated Sentence,  Recommendation by the State. (prob)

ATTEST: [Signature] 104445 Joshua Boston [Signature] 105976  
Solicitor SC Bar # Defendant Attorney for Defendant SC Bar #

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the  State Department of Correction  County Detention Center,

for a determinate term of 18 days/months/years/Time Served  Youthful Offender Act not to exceed \_\_\_\_\_ years

and/or to pay a fine of \$\_\_\_\_; provided that upon the service of \_\_\_\_\_ days/months/years/Time Served and or payment of \$\_\_\_\_; plus costs and assessments as applicable\*; the balance is suspended with probation for 2

months/years and subject to South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services standard conditions of probation, which are incorporated by reference.

The sentence shall run  CONCURRENT or  CONSECUTIVE to sentence on: \_\_\_\_\_

The Defendant is to be given credit for time served pursuant to S.C. Code § 24-13-40 to be calculated and applied by SCDOC. 3 days/months

To include time spent on monitored house arrest prior to trial and sentencing.

The Defendant Shall be Released from County Detention Center.

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 922 and § 16-25-30 it is unlawful for a person convicted of a violation of § 16-25-20 or § 16-25-65 (Domestic Violence) to ship, transport, possess, or receive a firearm or ammunition.

**SPECIAL CONDITIONS:**

- PTUP after \_\_\_\_\_ months/years
- And Other Terms Listed Below:**
- Substance Abuse Counseling       Completion of GED       Random Drug/Alcohol Testing
- Attend Voc. Rehab. Or Job Corp       No Contact with Victim       Domestic Violence Intervention Program
- Mental Health Counseling       May serve W/E beginning: \_\_\_\_\_
- Sex Offender Registry pursuant to S.C. Code § 23-3-430       Public Service Employment \_\_\_\_\_ days/hours
- Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect pursuant to S.C. Code § 17-25-135.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

RESTITUTION:     Deferred     Def. Waives Hearing     Ordered

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_ plus 20% fee: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Terms: \_\_\_\_\_  Set by SCDPPPS

Recipient: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Fine:**

Fine may be pd. in equal consecutive weekly/monthly pmts. of	\$ _____	Beginning	_____	\$ _____
§14-1-206 (Assessments 107.5%)				\$ _____
§14-1-211 (A)(1)(Conv. Surcharge)			\$100	\$ <u>100.00</u>
§14-1-211 (A)(2)(DUI Surcharge)			\$100	\$ _____
§56-5-2995 (DUI Assessment)			\$12	\$ _____
§56-1-286 (DUI Breath Test)			\$25	\$ _____
§14-1-212 (Law Enforce. Funding)			\$25	\$ <u>25.00</u>
§14-1-213 (Drug Court Surcharge)			\$150	\$ _____
§34-11-70(b)and(c), and 34-11-90(c)and(d) (Admin Fraud Check Court Costs)			\$41	\$ _____
§50-21-114 (BUI Breath Test Fee)			\$50	\$ _____
§56-5-2942(J) (Vehicle Assessment)			\$40/ea	\$ _____
3% to County (if paid in installments)			TBD	\$ <u>18.75</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointed PD or appointed other counsel, Proviso requires \$500 be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees			\$500	\$ <u>500.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> § 17-3-30(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund			TBD	\$ <u>40.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>				\$ <u>683.75</u>

Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk: E. Rasmussen  
 Court Reporter: Digital Reporter

Presiding Judge: N. S. Doherty  
 Judge Code: 2770  
 Sentence Date: 1-15-25