

2021R01125/IDB

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Hon. Zahid N. Quraishi
	:	
v.	:	Crim. No. 23-1058
	:	
WESLEY RUCKER	:	18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) 18 U.S.C. § 912
	:	18 U.S.C. § 701

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury in and for the District of New Jersey, sitting at Trenton,
charges:

COUNT ONE
(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)

On or about October 22, 2021, in Monmouth County, in the District of New
Jersey, and elsewhere, the defendant,

WESLEY RUCKER,

knowing that he had previously been convicted of a crime punishable by
imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly possess a firearm,
namely, a Glock, Model 19, 9-millimeter pistol, bearing serial number BSXG222,
and the firearm was in and affecting commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

COUNT TWO

(False Impersonation of an Officer of the United States)

On or about October 22, 2021, in Monmouth County, in the District of New Jersey, and elsewhere, the defendant,

WESLEY RUCKER,

did knowingly, and with the intent to deceive another, falsely assume and pretend to be an officer and employee acting under the authority of the United States and a department, agency, and officer thereof, and acted as such.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 912.

COUNT THREE

(Possession of Imitation Federal Law Enforcement Credentials)

On or about October 22, 2021, in Monmouth County, in the District of New Jersey, and elsewhere, the defendant,

WESLEY RUCKER,

did knowingly possess a badge, identification card, and other insignia, of the design prescribed by the head of a department or agency of the United States for use by any officer and employee thereof, or colorable imitations thereof, namely, an imitation Drug Enforcement Administration identification card and badge.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 701.

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION AS TO COUNT ONE

The allegations contained in this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference as though set forth in full herein for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).

Upon conviction of the offenses in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1), set forth in Count One of this Indictment, the defendant,

WESLEY RUCKER,

shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any firearms and ammunition involved in or used in the commission of the offense, including, but not limited to, the following:

- (i) a Glock, Model 19, 9-millimeter pistol, bearing serial number BSXG222; and
- (ii) eleven (11) rounds of 9-millimeter ammunition.

Substitute Assets Provision

If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
- (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), to seek forfeiture of any other property of said defendant up to the value of the above forfeitable property.

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