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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CASE NO. 5:22-cr- 27-37 - PRL 18 U.S.C. §§ 2, 249(a)(1)

ROBERT DEWAYNE LASHLEY ROY LAMAR LASHLEY

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNT ONE

(HATE CRIME ACTS)

On or about November 17, 2021, in the Middle District of Florida, the

defendants,

ROBERT DEWAYNE LASHLEY and ROY LAMAR LASHLEY,

aiding and abetting one another, willfully caused bodily injury to D.B., a Black man, and, through the use of a dangerous weapon, attempted to cause bodily injury to D.B., because of D.B.'s actual and perceived race. Specifically, **ROBERT DEWAYNE LASHLEY** and **ROY LAMAR LASHLEY** repeatedly called D.B. racial slurs and repeatedly struck D.B. with closed fists and an axe handle.

In violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 2 and 249(a)(1).

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Violations: 18 U.S.C. §§ 2 & 249(a)(1)

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Filed in open court this 7th day

of June 2022.

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