IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012 SUPERIOR COURT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

872YEO, A 2010 HONDA CIVIC,

4-DOOR SEDAN, COLOR BLACK IS

PARKED IN FRONT OF THE SANDY HOOK

AT DANBURY

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,

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12 DICKINSON DRIVE IN NEWTOWN, CT

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS# 12-00704559

MARCH 27, 2013

# PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S AMENDED APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR PARTIAL REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT AND RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,<sup>1</sup> the law enforcement privilege<sup>2</sup> and the informant privilege,<sup>3</sup> the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 7 of the affidavit, which is attached in a sealed envelope to the prior version of this application relating to the above car together with the search warrant application, warrant and return, filed with the clerk on the morning of March 27, 2013. In the prior version the State had erroneously listed paragraph 5 as the paragraph to be redacted. The witness is described in paragraph 7.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3rd 923, C.A. 2 (NY)June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); Seebeck v. State, 246 Conn. 514, 544-46 (1998).

State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

EGS. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of Criminal matters.

- 1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;
- 2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
- 3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- -There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

#### As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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Stephen J. Sedensky III

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IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

SUPERIOR COURT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION 872YEO, A 2010 HONDA CIVIC, 4-DOOR SEDAN, COLOR BLACK IS PARKED IN FRONT OF THE SANDY HOOK

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

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### **ORDER**

The March 27, 2013 amended application of the prosecuting authority for partial redaction of unsealed search warrant application, affidavit and return, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED DENIED as follows:

Paragraph 7 of the affidavit is ordered redacted to delete the name and identity of the citizen witness.

The redacted version of the search warrant application, affidavit and returns are ordered to be made available to the public. The originals shall remain sealed in the custody of the Clerk. This order is to take effect at 12:00:01 a.m., March 28, 2013.

March 27, 2013

Judge of the Superior Court

Hon. John F. Blande

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

SUPERIOR COURT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION 872YEO, A 2010 HONDA CIVIC.

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Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276, the law enforcement privilege<sup>2</sup> and the informant privilege,3 the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 5 of the affidavit, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;

C.GS. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters. See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3rd 923, C.A. 2 (NY)June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); Seebeck v. State, 246 Conn. 514, 544-46 (1998). State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

- 2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
- 3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- -There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

#### As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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SUPERIOR COURT

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT

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SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 14, 2012 AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT." Police Case number CFS# 12-00704559

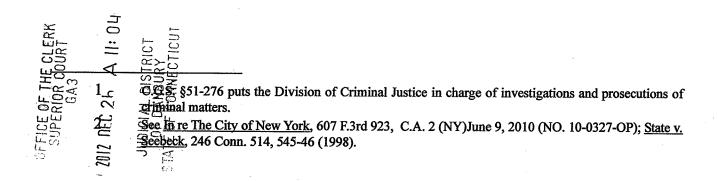
PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER, OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276<sup>1</sup> and the law enforcement privilege<sup>2</sup> the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A 90 day extension of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and
- b. A 90 day extension of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and



2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out. Additionally,

- -There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

#### As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT

**DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012** 

SUPERIOR COURT

JUDICIAL DISTRICT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION

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**NEWTOWN, CONNECTICUT** 

POLICE CASE NUMBER:

CFS12-00704559

OF DANBURY

**DECEMBER 27, 2012** 

## **ORDER**

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Judge of the Superior Court

#### PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER SEARCH WARRANT

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JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01 U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO. CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT 54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h (Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7) COMPANION CASE NO NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT TOWN OF SEIZURE 4 dan Newtown Deananch ADDRESS OF COURT JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M. White ST. SECTION I. NO IN KEM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served) Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant. No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk. DATED AT (Town) ON (Date) COURT SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served) Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s): appeared, thereupon being made made default of appearance executed the foregoing waiver party defendant(s) and after hearing the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order: SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases) ITEM(S) NUMBER ASSET The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form. FORFEITURE ITEM(S) NUMBER The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to PART B INVENTORY NO. the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut General Statutes as follows: **RETURN TO** money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. OWNER(S) turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Funce turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address Rolice Departmental enforcement **EVIDENTIARY** The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the **FUNDS AT A** FINANCIAL INST. agency shall issue a check in the amount of dollars payable to ITEM(S), NUMBER The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), CONTROLLED substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be: SUBSTANCE(S) delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262). destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36a). ITEM(S) NUMBER The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and FIREARMS/ it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State

Police Division for destruction appropriate use disposal by sale at public auction CONTRABAND (C.G.S. 54-36e) or turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90. ITEM(S) NUMBER The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance JUVENILE INVENTORY contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows: money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. NUISANCE, turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public **CONTRABAND** auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. OR OTHER **PROPERTY** turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address) ITEM(S) NUMBER The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows: money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable **GAMBLING** prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. destroyed.

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## **AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION** SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

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#### STATE OF CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT

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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

#### Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file

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TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH54299, registered to Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street, Sandy Hook, CT. Blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, gunshot residue (GSR), weaponry and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, hatchets. axes, knives, cutting instrument and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers, and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles or items.

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#### SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

# STATE OF CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the under signed, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following. From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search-the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT.

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The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

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And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

- 1. That the affiant Detective James McGlynn, #1268 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 23 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant McGlynn is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
- 2. That the affiant Detective Scott Wisner, #507 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 20 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Wisner is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
- 3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
- 4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. A shotgun was noted in plain view to be in the interior of the vehicle. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
- 5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon. That the deceased male has been tentatively identified as Adam Lanza, DOB 04/22/92, who resides at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
- 6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed. The deceased white female is presumed Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60.

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7.	That 12/14/12, Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation interviewed	•
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8. That the Affiants have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that crimes of

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violence involve a struggle, a break, the use of weapons and other instrumentalities, and/or the element of unpredictability, the person or persons participating in the commission of a violent crime is/are in contact with physical surroundings in a forceful or otherwise detectable manner; there is often an attempt to alter, destroy, remove, clean up, or cover up evidence of a crime. That traces may be left in the form of blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, weapons and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, knives, hatchets, axes, cutting instruments and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, gunshot residue (GSR), dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles. Many of the above items are minute and/or microscopic, thus requiring additional specialized examination by forensic science laboratory techniques, such as that performed by the Connecticut State Police Forensic Science Laboratory.

- 9. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that a crime scene, such as described above, will contain physical evidence, hereinbefore itemized, which will aid in establishing the identity of the perpetrator(s), the circumstances under which the crime was committed, and/or which in general will assist in the discovery of the pertinent facts and that such evidence requires a systematic search to locate, seize, record and process. That trace evidence left in the forms mentioned above is easily transferred between participants and inanimate objects such as surroundings, including their motor vehicle. That it is reasonable to believe and expect that a person responsible for committing a crime, such as the one described in this affidavit would come in contact with these forms of trace evidence and transfer them to their surroundings.
- 10. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge that the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony St in Meriden, CT has the equipment, personnel and expertise necessary to conduct physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis, including but not limited to biological and chemical testing, instrumental analysis, firearms, photography, biochemistry, DNA, criminalistics, fingerprints, in order to locate, identify, compare and reconstruct items of evidence and trace evidence to aid in establishing the circumstances of the crime and identity of the participants involved in the crime. The Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory will use standardized and documented procedures to extract, amplify and detect DNA from evidentiary items and samples taken from known individuals. The resulting DNA profiles from the evidentiary items will be compared to the known individuals' profiles and the results documented in a laboratory report.
- 11. That based upon the facts and circumstances described above, your Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH542299, registered to Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/30 of 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.
- 12. Therefore, the Affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure warrant be issued for Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH542299, registered to Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/30 of 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.

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Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

X And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

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# AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY

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