

**SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION
UNITED STATES**

VS

JAMES, WALTER WARREN

CCN#: 24102930

Arrest Number: 522414939

The event occurred on 07/05/2024 at approximately 17:35 at 1 1ST STREET NE, WASHINGTON, DC 20543.

*****BWC Activated*****

This investigation was completed without reviewing any BWC footage, per departmental policy and guidance.

On Friday, July 5, 2024, at approximately 17:11 hours, Officer Brian Ayala (RO-1) was in full uniform and operating a marked police bicycle when a radio run went out through USCP Communications of two officers actively fighting with a subject; later identified as James, Walter (S-1); that had jumped the bike racks on the Lower West Terrace of the U.S. Capitol. RO-1 responded to the scene and observed Officer Akim Cobham (AO-1), Officer Jarvis Franklin (AO-2), Officer Jeffrey Moyer (AO-3), and Officer Joseph Martorano (AO-4), actively fighting with a subject on the south steps of the Lower West Terrace. AO-1, AO-2, AO-3, and AO-4 were attempting to get S-1's hands out from underneath his chest. RO-1 observed that S-1 was lying prone, face down on the landing and was shouting at no one in particular. AO-1, AO-2, AO-3, and AO-4 were able to secure S-1 in handcuffs and escorted S-1 down the steps to the Lower West Terrace.

AO-1 and AO-2 advised that they both observed S-1 jump over the bike racks on the Lower West Terrace which clearly mark the steps as a restricted area. AO-1 and AO-2 instructed S-1 to return to the other side of the bike racks but S-1 refused and continued to walk up the south steps of the Lower West Terrace. AO-1 and AO-2 attempted to grab S-1's arms to physically stop S-1 from continuing up the steps, S-1 actively pulled his arms back and withdrew from AO-1 and AO-2 to avoid them. As S-1 pulled his arms back, S-1, AO-1, and AO-2 fell to the ground and were actively struggling on the steps. AO-1, AO-2, AO-3 and AO-4 were able to detain and place handcuffs on S-1. RO-1 assisted with the search of S-1 once they were detained and secured any property that belonged to S-1.

S-1 was placed under arrest for Unlawful Entry, Resisting Arrest, and Assault on a Police Officer. S-1 was transported to 119 D Street for Processing. CIS special Agent O'Neil was notified.

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S-1 identified as James, Walter Warren, Texas DL number 49113043

The event and acts described above occurred primarily in the District of Columbia and were committed as described by defendant(s) listed in the case caption.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 07/05/2024

AYALA, BRIAN (07/05/2024) E-SIGNATURE

Police Officer

KIELY, BRENDAN / 6735 (07/05/2024) E-SIGNATURE

Unit Witness / Deputy Clerk

The foregoing statement was made under penalty of criminal prosecution and punishment for false statements pursuant to D.C. Code 22-2405