

Probable Cause Affidavit & Complaint



THE STATE OF TEXAS
Vs.
DIMITRIOS PAGOURTZIS JR
W/M [REDACTED]
1130 CR 136A ALVIN, TX 77511
CASE# 18-00001820

HONORABLE JIM SCHWEITZER
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
PRECINCT NO. 2
GALVESTON COUNTY, TX

CAPITAL MURDER OF MULTIPLE PERSONS (FX) PC - 19.03(a)(7)
OFFENSE CODE 09990026
BOND: No Bond (Per ADA B. Reed)

In the name and by the authority of the state of Texas

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Affiant, J. Roy, who, after being by me duly sworn, on oath deposes and says: That heretofore, to wit, on or about Friday, May 18, 2018 and before the making and filing of this complaint, in the County of Galveston and State of Texas, Dimitrios Pagourtzis Jr did then and there unlawfully committ the offense of: CAPITAL MURDER OF MULTIPLE PERSONS - PC - 19.03(a)(7)

Your Affiant is J. Roy. The affiant being a sworn and commissioned peace officer of the Galveston County Sheriff's Office bases his belief on the following facts:

On 05-18-2018 at approximately 7:32 AM, according to Galveston County Dispatch System, multiple Law Enforcement Agencies responded to the Santa Fe High School, located at 16000 Hwy 6 in Santa Fe, Galveston County, TX, after receiving reports of an active shooter inside. Affiant responded from his residence to the Santa Fe High School. Per the Galveston County Dispatch System, Affiant learned that there were reports of multiple victims being shot. At approximately 7:45 AM to 8:00 AM after law enforcement arrived on scene, Affiant learned that an officer with the Sante Fe Independent School District Police Department had received a gunshot wound and was transported to a hospital and was listed in critical condition. Affiant later learned from Captain Phillip Meadows with the Santa Fe Police Department that the identity of the Santa Fe ISD Officer was John Barnes. Affiant also learned from Lt. Cliff Woitena with League City Police Department SWAT, who also responded to the scene, that several students of the school appeared to have gunshot wounds and transferred to medics on scene. Affiant learned from Sgt. Brent Cooley, with the Galveston County Sheriff's Office, as he was searching the school, in one of the class rooms, found more than two victims who were deceased from apparent gunshot wounds. Affiant also learned from Sgt. Cooley that the deceased victims' identities are unknown at this time but are described as victim #1: victim #2: victim #3. Affiant further learned from Sgt. Cooley that at approximately 8:02 AM a white male exited Art Lab 2 classroom of the the Santa Fe High School and surrendered. The white male was later identified by Capt Meadows as Dimitrios Pagourtzis Jr DOB [REDACTED] Affiant learned from Capt Meadows, Dimitrios was transported to the Santa Fe Police Department where he was advised of his Miranda Warning and later waived his Miranda Warning. Affiant also learned from Capt Meadows that Dimitrios was interviewed and he gave a statement admitting to shooting multiple people inside the Santa Fe High School with the intent on killing people. Affiant learned from Capt Meadows that Dimitrios advised he dressed in a trench coat and had a Remington 870 shotgun and a .38 caliber pistol. Affiant learned from Capt Meadows that Dimitrios advised he did not shoot students he did like so he could have his story told.

against the peace and dignity of the state.

J. Roy #6655
Affiant's Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a peace officer of the State of Texas, and pursuant to 602.002 Texas Government Code, on Friday, May 18, 2018

E. Casar #6598
Peace Officer's Signature

Justice of the Peace, Precinct # 2
Galveston County, Texas