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May 24, 2021

Via OPRA Machine: opra+request-23186-702c71ed@requests.opramachine.com

Re: Open Public Records Act (OPRA) Request
OCPO Case# 21001197 – Juwan Roman

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the Complaint Warrant, Affidavit and Preliminary Law Enforcement Incident Report pursuant to your request made under the New Jersey Open Public Records Act (OPRA). Personal identifying information has been redacted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1, et seq.

Please be advised that there are no responsive documents pursuant to your request for Global Subject Activity Reports, Arrest Reports, Indictments, Criminal Information Forms, Plea Forms and Sentencing Information.

If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 732-929-2027, x3135.

Yours very truly,

Dina R. Khajezadeh

Dina R. Khajezadeh
Assistant Prosecutor

DRK/dp

Enclosures

Prestia , Donna

From: Khajezadeh, Dina
Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 3:14 PM
To: Prestia , Donna
Subject: FW: OPRA request - Case reports

-----Original Message-----

From: Resident <opra+request-23186-702c71ed@requests.opramachine.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 3:11 PM
To: Khajezadeh, Dina <DKhajezadeh@co.ocean.nj.us>
Subject: OPRA request - Case reports

Dear Ocean County Prosecutor's Office,

This is a request for public records made under OPRA and the common law right of access. I am not required to fill out an official form. Please acknowledge receipt of this message.

Records requested:

Any relevant arrest reports, global subject activity reports, preliminary law enforcement incident reports, complaint warrants, complaint summonses, affidavits, indictments, criminal information forms, plea forms, and sentencing information, where applicable, for the following defendants:

Jason Levine (Case # 20001311)
Shadira Jones (Case # 20001336)
Jesus Penuela (Case # 21001178)
Gerardo Ruiz (charged 5/1/21)
Juwan Roman (plea 5/13/21) • 21001197

Yours sincerely,

Resident

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COMPLAINT - WARRANT

COMPLAINT NUMBER				THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY VS. JUWAN E ROMAN	
1525	W	2021	000029		
COURT CODE	PREFIX	YEAR	SEQUENCE NO.		
POINT PLEASANT BEACH MUN CT 416 NEW JERSEY AVE POINT PLEASANT BCH NJ 08742-0000 732-892-1118 COUNTY OF: OCEAN					
# of CHARGES 4	CO-DEFTS	POLICE CASE #: 20PP13972	ADDRESS: 20 STUYVESANT AVE APT 2 NEWARK NJ 07106-0000		
COMPLAINANT ANDREW MEANY NAME: NEW JERSEY AVENUE ATTN WARRANTS PT PLEASANT BCH NJ 08742			DEFENDANT INFORMATION SEX: M EYE COLOR: BROWN DOB: 11/06/2002 DRIVER'S LIC. #. [REDACTED] DL STATE: NJ SOCIAL SECURITY #: [REDACTED] SBI #: 453585H TELEPHONE #: [REDACTED] () LIVESCAN PCN #: 152501005165		
By certification or on oath, the complainant says that to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief the named defendant on or about 09/07/2020 in POINT PLEASANT BEACH, OCEAN County, NJ did: WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, DID POSSESS A BLACK FOLDING POCKET KNIFE WHICH WAS USED UNLAWFULLY AGAINST A [REDACTED] G [REDACTED] AND WILLIAM MAZARIEGO, IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S.A. 2C:39-4D.					
WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, DID UNLAWFULLY POSSESS A BLACK FOLDING POCKET KNIFE FOR CIRCUMSTANCES NOT MANIFESTLY APPROPRIATE, IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S.A. 2C:39-5D.					
WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, DID ATTEMPT TO CAUSE THE DEATH OF A [REDACTED] G [REDACTED] IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S.A. 2C:5-1 AND 2C:11-3A.					
WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, DID ATTEMPT TO CAUSE THE DEATH OF WILLIAM MAZARIEGO IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S.A. 2C:5-1 AND 2C:11-3A.					
in violation of:					
Original Charge	1) 2C:39-4D		2) 2C:39-5D		3) 2C:5-1A(1) 2C:11-3A(1)
Amended Charge					
CERTIFICATION: I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment. Signed: ANDREW MEANY Date: 05/10/2021					
You will be notified of your Central First Appearance/CJP date to be held at the Superior Court in the county of OCEAN at the following address: OCEAN SUPERIOR COURT 120 HOOPER AVE Date of Arrest: 05/10/2021 Appearance Date: TOMS RIVER NJ 08753-0000 Time: Phone: 732-504-0700					
PROBABLE CAUSE DETERMINATION AND ISSUANCE OF WARRANT					
☐ Probable cause IS NOT found for the issuance of this complaint.					
Signature of Court Administrator or Deputy Court Administrator Date Signature of Judge Date					
☒ Probable cause IS found for the issuance of this complaint. TRACEY MCCRYSTAL JUDICIAL OFFICER 05/10/2021 Signature and Title of Judicial Officer Issuing Warrant Date TO ANY PEACE OFFICER OR OTHER AUTHORIZED PERSON: PURSUANT TO THIS WARRANT YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO ARREST THE NAMED DEFENDANT AND BRING THAT PERSON FORTHWITH BEFORE THE COURT TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT. Bail Amount Set: by: (if different from judicial officer that issued warrant)					
☐ Domestic Violence – Confidential		☐ Related Traffic Tickets or Other Complaints		☒ Serious Personal Injury/ Death Involved	
Special conditions of release: ☐ No phone, mail or other personal contact w/victim ☐ No possession firearms/weapons ☐ Other (specify):				ORIGINAL	
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Original Charge

4) 2C:5-1A(1)
2C:11-3A(1)

Amended Charge

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STATE V.**JUWAN E ROMAN****FTA Bail Information**

Date Bail Set: _____

Amount Bail Set: \$ _____

by: _____

☐ Bail Recog. AttachedReleased
on Bail
(v)

R.O.R.

Committed
DefaultCommitted
w/o Bail

Place Committed: _____

Date Referred to

County Prosecutor: _____

Date of First
Appearance:☐ Advised of Rights by _____

Defendant Desires Counsel:

☐ Yes ☐ No**Prosecuting Attorney Information****Defense Counsel Information****Name:****Name:**

State

County

Municipal

Other

None

Retained

Public Def

Assigned

Waived

Other

Original Charge

1) 2C:39-4D

2) 2C:39-5D

3) 2C:5-1A(1)
2C:11-3A(1)

Amended Charge

Waiver Indt/Jury

Plea/Date of Plea

Plea:

Date:

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Date:

Adjudication (* see code)

Finding
Code:

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Code:

Date:

Jail Term

Jail time credit

Susp. Imp

Jail time credit

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Jail time credit

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Probation Term

Susp. Imp

Susp. Imp

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Cond. Discharge Term

Community Service

D/L Suspension Term

Fines/Costs

Fines:

Costs:

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VCCB/SNSF

VCCB:

SNSF:

VCCB:

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DEDR/Lab Fee

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DV Surch/Other Fees

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Restitution

Beneficiary: _____

Miscellaneous Information, Adjournments, Companion Complaints, Co-Defendants, Case Notes:**Related Traffic Tickets and Complaints:***** Finding Codes**

- 1 – Guilty
- 2 – Not Guilty
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- 7 – Dismissed – Pros Motion/Vic Req
- 8 – Conditional Discharge
- D – Dismissed- Prosecutor Discretion
- M – Dismissed- Mediation
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- S – Disposed at Superior
- W – Dismissed-False ID

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JUDGE'S SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

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DATE _____

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POINT PLEASANT BEACH MUN CT
416 NEW JERSEY AVE
POINT PLEASANT BCH NJ 08742-0000
732-892-1118 COUNTY OF: OCEAN

of CHARGES
4

CO-DEFTS

POLICE CASE #:
20PP13972

COMPLAINANT

NAME: ANDREW MEANY

*THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY**VS.***JUWAN E ROMAN**

ADDRESS:

20 STUYVESANT AVE APT 2**NEWARK****NJ 07106-0000**

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

SEX: M EYE COLOR: BROWN

DOB: 11/06/2002

DRIVER'S LIC. #:

DL STATE: NJ

SOCIAL SECURITY #:

SBI #: 453585H

TELEPHONE #:

LIVSCAN PCN #: 152501005165

By certification or on oath, the complainant says that to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief the named defendant on or about 09/07/2020 in **POINT PLEASANT BEACH**, **OCEAN** County, NJ did: WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, DID POSSESS A BLACK FOLDING POCKET KNIFE WHICH WAS USED UNLAWFULLY AGAINST A **G** AND WILLIAM MAZARIEGO, IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S.A. 2C:39-4D.

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in violation of:

Original Charge	1) 2C:39-4D	2) 2C:39-5D	3) 2C:5-1A(1) 2C:11-3A(1)
Amended Charge			

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment

Signed: **ANDREW MEANY**Date: **05/10/2021**

You will be notified of your Central First Appearance/CJP date to be held at the Superior Court

in the county of **OCEAN**

at the following address: OCEAN SUPERIOR COURT

120 HOOPER AVE

TOMS RIVER

NJ 08753-0000

Date of Arrest: 05/10/2021 Appearance Date:

Time:

Phone: 732-504-0700

PROBABLE CAUSE DETERMINATION AND ISSUANCE OF WARRANT☐ Probable cause IS NOT found for the issuance of this complaint.

Signature of Court Administrator or Deputy Court Administrator

Date

Signature of Judge

Date

☒ Probable cause IS found for the issuance of this complaint. **TRACEY MCCRYSTAL JUDICIAL OFFICER** 05/10/2021

Signature and Title of Judicial Officer Issuing Warrant

Date

TO ANY PEACE OFFICER OR OTHER AUTHORIZED PERSON: PURSUANT TO THIS WARRANT YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO ARREST THE NAMED DEFENDANT AND BRING THAT PERSON FORTHWITH BEFORE THE COURT TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT.

Bail Amount Set: by:

(if different from judicial officer that issued warrant)

☐ Domestic Violence – Confidential☐ Related Traffic Tickets
or Other Complaints☒ Serious Personal Injury/ Death
Involved**Special conditions of release:**

- ☐ No phone, mail or other personal contact w/victim
☐ No possession firearms/weapons
☐ Other (specify):

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Amended Charge

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COMMITMENT

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NJ 07106-0000

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POLICE CASE #:
20PP13972

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SEX: M EYE COLOR: BROWN

DOB: 11/06/2002

DRIVER'S LIC. #:

DL STATE: NJ

SOCIAL SECURITY #:

SBI #: 453585H

TELEPHONE #:

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LIVESCAN PCN #: 152501005165

COMPLAINANT ANDREW MEANY
NAME: NEW JERSEY AVENUE
ATTN WARRANTS
PT PLEASANT BCH NJ 08742

To any Law Enforcement Official of New Jersey, You are commanded to transport this defendant to the Warden of this county who is required to keep the defendant in custody until a release or detention decision is made.

Offense

Aux Offense

Drug Code

Degree

Offense Description

1.	2C:39-4D			3	POSS OF WEAPON
2.	2C:39-5D			4	UNLAWFUL POSS W
3.	2C:5-1A(1)	2C:11-3A(1)		1	CRIMINAL ATTEMP
4.	2C:5-1A(1)	2C:11-3A(1)		1	CRIMINAL ATTEMP

Commitment Reason: Criminal Justice Reform

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at the following address: OCEAN SUPERIOR COURT
120 HOOPER AVE

in the county of OCEAN

TOMS RIVER

NJ 08753-0000

Date of Arrest: 05/10/2021

Phone: 732-504-0700

TRACEY MCCRYSTAL JUDICIAL OFFICER

05/10/2021

Signature and Title of Judicial Officer Issuing Warrant

Date

COMMITMENT

Affidavit of Probable Cause

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ADDRESS:

20 STUYVESANT AVE APT 2**NEWARK****NJ 07106-0000**

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

SEX: **M** EYE COLOR: **BROWN**DOB: **11/06/2002**

DRIVER'S LIC. #:

DL STATE: **NJ**

SOCIAL SECURITY #:

SBI #: **453585H**

TELEPHONE #:

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LIVESCAN PCN #: **152501005165**

Purpose: This Affidavit/Certification is to more fully describe the facts of the alleged offense so that a judge or authorized judicial officer may determine probable cause.

1. Description of relevant facts and circumstances which support probable cause that (1) the offense(s) was committed and (2) the defendant is the one who committed it:

SEE ATTACHED ORIGINAL AFFIDAVIT.

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VS.

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2. I am aware of the facts above because: (Included, but not limited to: your observations, statements of eyewitnesses, defendant's admission, etc.)

3. If victim was injured, provide the extent of the injury:

Certification:

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Signed: ANDREW MEANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

Date: 05/10/2021

Affidavit of Probable Cause

Preliminary Law Enforcement Incident Report

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NAME: NEW JERSEY AVENUE
ATTN WARRANTS
PT PLEASANT BCH NJ 08742

*THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY**VS.***JUWAN E ROMAN**

ADDRESS:

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DEFENDANT INFORMATION

SEX: **M** EYE COLOR: **BROWN**DOB: **11/06/2002**

DRIVER'S LIC. #:

DL STATE: **NJ**

SOCIAL SECURITY #:

SBI #: **453585H**

TELEPHONE #:

LIVESCAN PCN #: **152501005165**

Purpose: The Preliminary Law Enforcement Incident Report (PLEIR) is intended to document basic information known to the officer at the time of its preparation. It is recognized that additional relevant information will emerge as an investigation continues. The PLEIR shall be in addition to, not in lieu of, any regular police arrest, incident, or investigation reports. Note that the PLEIR is specific to each defendant charged in an investigation.

Certification:

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Preliminary Law Enforcement Incident Report**Page 10 of 10**

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APPENDIX A

POINT PLEASANT BEACH POLICE CASE NUMBER: 20PP13972

On September 7, 2020, at 15:27 hours the Point Pleasant Beach Police Department received multiple 911 calls advising that there was a fight on Jenkinson's Beach. Shortly thereafter, officers arrived on scene and the two victims were transported by Emergency Medical Technicians to Jersey Shore Medical Center. This affiant was directed to respond to the Jenkinson's Beach area at 300 Ocean Avenue where I learned that an individual by the name of Miguel Osorio had recorded the fight/stabbing with his cellular telephone. Said Cellular telephone recording was secured and observed by myself and other detectives. See attached recording attached hereto as exhibit A.

Additionally, Det. Mosca from the Point Pleasant Beach Police Department responded to Jersey Shore Medical Center where he identified the victims as A. G. (DOB) and William Mazariego (DOB). Detective Mosca was advised by medical personnel at Jersey Shore Medical Center that both A. G. and William Mazariego sustained multiple stab wounds. Detective Mosca was further advised that both individuals were in critical but stable condition and would require surgery.

Corporal Frank Finn of the Point Pleasant Beach Police Department was responding to the scene, and while on route observed two black males being chased by multiple individuals who were pointing at the black males and yelling various comments. Based on these observations Corporal Finn stopped the two black males and called for backup via police radio. Patrolman Boturla responded as backup and upon arrival he heard a radio broadcast reporting that there were two victims of a stabbing at the beach. J.R., a juvenile, later identified as one of the black males involved in the incident, grabbed the pocket area of his shorts and a knife fell out. Officers placed J.R. in handcuffs and advised him that because he had a knife and there was a report of individuals being stabbed on the beach he was being detained. J.R. then stated to Patrolman Boturla "I did it", which was captured on audio. J.R. further stated "I had to do it, I had no choice" which was not captured on audio due to radio transmissions.

At that time, members of the Ocean County Prosecutor's office as well as the Ocean County Sheriffs Department arrived on scene. The scene was secured, photographed and documented in its entirety by the Ocean County Sheriffs Department.

This affiant along with Det. Brant Uricks from the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office responded to the Point Pleasant Beach Police Department to speak with various witnesses. This affiant and Detective Uricks conducted a digitally recorded statement from a witness, Miguel Osorio. During the interview Miguel Osorio advised that he observed the fight. Specifically, Osorio observed three white males in a verbal argument with two black males. During the verbal argument he observed one black male pull out a knife and stab both white males.

This affiant and Detective Uricks next interviewed an individual identified as Carlos Ceballos. Ceballos advised that he witnessed the stabbing and chased both black males until they were apprehended by Corporal Finn. Ceballos further confirmed that those two black males were the ones involved in the fight/stabbing that he witnessed.

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Both juvenile males were transported to the Point Pleasant Beach Police Department and placed in separate areas. This affiant along with Det. Uricks interviewed A.G. with his guardian J. M. [REDACTED] present. A.G. was directed into an interview room and the recording/monitoring device was activated. Before asking A.G. any questions, Det. Uricks advised A.G. and Munoz of A.G.'s rights per Miranda. They acknowledged that they understood and signed said form waiving A.G.'s rights.

During the interview, A.G. advised that he and J.R. drove to the beach with a female he identified as E. LKU. While at the beach, they were near the water when they were approached by the victim William Mazariego DOB [REDACTED], who A.G. advised that neither A.G., J.R., or E. knew. A.G. stated that Mazariego approached E. and began to make inappropriate comments. A.G. then approached Mazariego and confronted him as to what he was saying to E. A.G. stated that he and Mazariego had a verbal confrontation but ultimately went their separate ways. Shortly thereafter, A.G. stated that Mazariego again approached E. and was making comments. A.G. stated that he and Mazariego again got into a verbal altercation over Mr. Mazariego's comments to E. which then turned physical. A.G. further stated that he and J.R. got into a physical altercation with three Hispanic males. During the altercation, A.G. stated he body slammed one of the males. A.G. further stated he witnessed J.R. physically strike another Hispanic male. A.G. advised that he then noticed one of the males was bleeding from the arm. A.G. stated that he saw J.R. run and then he began to run. Additionally, during the interview A.G. stated that J.R. is known to carry a knife on his person and he saw J.R. give a knife to a police officer. A.G. advised that once he and J.R. ran off the beach, they were stopped by the Point Pleasant Beach Police.

Lastly, this affiant along with Det. Uricks directed J.R. and his brother, C. R. [REDACTED] to an interview room. Before speaking to either individuals the recording/monitoring device was activated. Prior to speaking to or asking any questions Det. Uricks read them his Rights per Miranda. During the interview, J.R. admitted to being involved in the altercation and ultimately the stabbing of both victims, but J.R. stated he stabbed them in self-defense.

Detective Andrew Meany #50

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Det. Meany #50', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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