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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

NO. **84-0726CR-EATON**

18 USC 912
47 USC 301 and 501

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

INDICTMENT

KENNETH LAWRENCE BRYANT

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
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The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT I

Between on or about June 1, 1984 and June 11, 1984, in Dade County, in the Southern District of Florida, the defendant,

KENNETH LAWRENCE BRYANT,

did knowingly and willfully falsely assume and pretend to be an officer and employee acting under the authority of the United States and a department and agency, thereof, to wit: a special agent for the Federal Government, and did act as such, in that, among other things, in Dade County, in the Southern District of Florida:

1. Between on or about June 1, 1984 and June 11, 1984, the defendant falsely told a Florida International University (FIU) state university police officer that he (Defendant) was a special agent of the federal government and that he was working out of the FBI office in Miami.

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2. During a conversation on or about June 11, 1984 defendant told the above-described FIU police officer that he was attempting to serve a federal warrant for obstruction of justice on an FIU student (hereinafter "the FIU student"). Defendant asked the police officer to observe the comings and goings of the FIU student in order to assist the Defendant in serving this warrant for obstruction of justice. Defendant also gave the FIU police officer an auto tag number, which auto tag was registered in the same name as the person whom defendant identified as the FIU student on whom he (defendant) stated he was seeking to serve the warrant.

3. During the above-described conversation on or about June 11, 1984, Defendant gave the FIU police officer a second auto tag number and asked the officer to check this second tag to obtain information concerning the registered owner. Defendant represented, in substance, that he was interested in this second auto tag as part of the same investigation in which the Defendant was attempting to serve the warrant for obstruction of justice on the FIU student. The FIU officer ran this second tag number by communicating over his car radio; when the information came back over the radio, the Defendant was monitoring the same radio frequency.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 912.

COUNT II

On or about September 17, 1984, at Dade County, in the Southern District of Florida, the defendant,

KENNETH LAWRENCE BRYANT,

did knowingly and willfully use and operate an apparatus for the transmission of communications and signals by radio from one place in the State of Florida to another place in the same state, without a license granted under the provisions of Chapter 5 of Title 47, United States Code for said transmission, in that, among other things, the defendant, on or about the date listed above, did knowingly and willfully, transmit his voice over a radio frequency utilized by the City of Miami Police Department, and therein identified himself as ". . . Justice. . . Unit 3-2-1. . . signal number 3-8-9-6-5. . ." and attempted to contact an Officer Austin; all in violation of Title 47, United States Code, Sections 301 and 501.

COUNT III

On or about October 9, 1984, in Dade County, in the Southern District of Florida, the defendant,


KENNETH LAWRENCE BRYANT,


did knowingly and willfully use and operate an apparatus for the transmission of communications and signals by radio from one place in the State of Florida to another place in the same state, without a license granted under the provisions of Chapter 5 of Title 47, United States Code for said transmission, in that, among other things, the defendant, on or about the date listed above, did knowingly and willfully, transmit his voice over a radio frequency utilized by the Miami, Florida office of the

Federal Bureau of Investigation and therein identified himself as "KB", signal "3-8-9-6-5" and stated there was a systems "intrusion"; all in violation of Title 47, United States Code, Sections 301 and 501.

A TRUE BILL


FOREPERSON


STANLEY MARCUS
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY


ROBERT M. LIPMAN
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY