

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA *✍*

STATE OF FLORIDA

CASE #:53-2025-CF-003206-A000-XX
FELONY DIVISION: F1

vs.

CECIL P. BARTU, B/M, [REDACTED]

INFORMATION FOR:

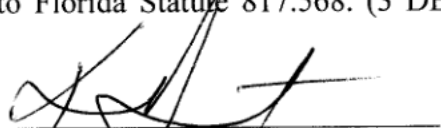
- 1) SCHEME TO DEFRAUD (>\$20,000)
- 2) GRAND THEFT (\$20000 OR MORE)
- 3). CRIMINAL USE OF PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

In the Name and Authority of the State of Florida:

BRIAN HAAS, State Attorney for the Tenth, Judicial Circuit, by and through his undersigned Assistant State Attorney, charges, that CECIL PORTER BARTU between December 27, 2024 and January 9, 2025, in the County of Polk and State of Florida, did engage in a scheme constituting a systematic, ongoing course of conduct with intent to defraud one or more persons, or to obtain property from one or more persons by false or fraudulent, representations, or promises, and did obtain property from **MATTHEW JAMES BROCK, STEFANIE MARIE BROCK, or NASSEH LAW** in an aggregate value of \$20,000 or more, contrary to Florida Statute 817.034. (2 DEG FEL) (LEVEL 5)

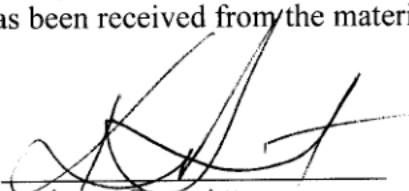
COUNT 2: Informant aforesaid, under oath, further information makes that CECIL PORTER BARTU between January 8, 2025 and January 9, 2025, in the County of Polk and State of Florida, did knowingly obtain or use, or endeavor to obtain or use money of a value of \$20,000.00 or more, which was the property of **MATTHEW JAMES BROCK, STEFANIE MARIE BROCK, or NASSEH LAW**, with the intent to permanently or temporarily deprive **MATTHEW JAMES BROCK, STEFANIE MARIE BROCK, or NASSEH LAW** of the property or benefit therefrom or to appropriate the property to the use of CECIL PORTER BARTU or to the use of any person not entitled thereto, contrary to Florida Statute 812.014. (2 DEG FEL) (LEVEL 6)

COUNT 3: Informant aforesaid, under oath, further information makes that CECIL PORTER BARTU between December 27, 2024 and January 8, 2025, in the County of Polk and State of Florida, willfully and without authorization, did fraudulently use, or possess with intent to fraudulently use, personal identification information concerning **NASSEH LAW** without first obtaining the consent of **NASSEH LAW**, contrary to Florida Statute 817.568. (3 DEG FEL) (LEVEL 4)

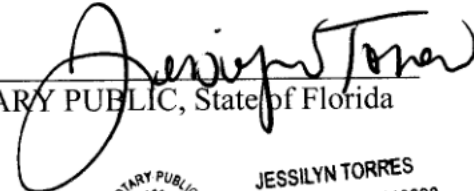

KAREN E. BURNETT
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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF POLK

Appeared before me, KAREN E. BURNETT, Assistant State Attorney for Polk County, Florida, personally known to me, who, being first duly sworn, says that the allegations as set forth in the foregoing information are based upon facts that have been sworn to as true, and which, if true, would constitute the offense therein charged, that this prosecution is instituted in good faith, and certifies that testimony under oath has been received from the material witness or witnesses for the offense.


Assistant State Attorney

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 10th day of June, 2025.


NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida

CO-DEFENDANT(S):



JESSILYN TORRES
Commission # HH 446028
Expires September 20, 2027