



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **FOUR DEFENDANTS INDICTED FOR FIREARMS VIOLATIONS**

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that four Kansas City area defendants were indicted by a federal grand jury today on separate and unrelated charges for being felons in possession of firearms.

\* **Katrice M. Parker**, 35, of Kansas City, Mo., was charged with one count of being a felon in possession of a firearm in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury meeting in Kansas City.

The federal indictment alleges that on Dec. 18, 2002, **Parker** was in possession of a H&R Inc., .22 caliber revolver. Under federal law, Graves explained, it is illegal for any felon to be in possession of any firearm or ammunition. **Parker** has a 1996 criminal felony conviction for possession of a controlled substance.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Bruce E. Clark. It is being investigated by the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

\* **Michael P. Danaher**, 32, of Independence, Mo., was charged with one count of being a felon in possession of ammunition in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury meeting in Kansas City.

The federal indictment alleges that on Jan. 5, 2003, **Danaher** was in possession of 20 rounds of Winchester .40 caliber ammunition. Under federal law, Graves explained, it is illegal for any felon to be in possession of any firearm or ammunition. **Danaher** has a 1998 criminal felony conviction for second degree burglary and stealing.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Rudolph R. Rhodes, IV. It is being investigated by the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

\* **Donzell L. Moore**, 28, of Kansas City, Mo., was charged with one count of being a felon in possession of a firearm in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury meeting in Kansas City.

The federal indictment alleges that on Feb. 22, 2003, **Moore** was in possession of a Smith and Wesson .22 caliber semi-automatic pistol. Under federal law, Graves explained, it is illegal for any felon to be in possession of any firearm or ammunition. **Moore** has two 1996 criminal felony convictions for delivery of a controlled substance.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Bruce E. Clark. It is being investigated by the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

\* **Carlos Freeman**, 47, also known as Robert Childs, of Kansas City, Mo., was charged with one count of being a felon in possession of a firearm in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury meeting in Kansas City.

The federal indictment alleges that on Dec. 28, 2002, **Freeman** was in possession of a Mossberg 410 gauge shotgun. Under federal law, Graves explained, it is illegal for any felon to be in possession of any firearm or ammunition. **Freeman** has a 1978 criminal felony conviction for assault with a pistol with intent to kill.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Bruce E. Clark. It is being investigated by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

Graves cautioned that the charges contained in these indictments are simply accusations and not evidence of guilt. Evidence supporting the charges must be presented to a federal trial jury, whose duty is to determine guilt or innocence.

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