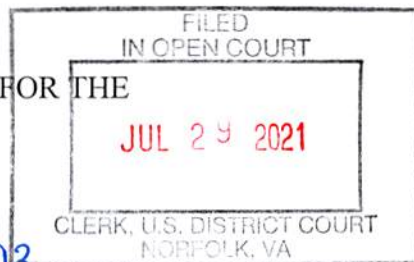


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Norfolk Division



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	Criminal No. 2:21-cr- <u>03</u>
)	
v.)	21 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)
)	Possession of a Firearm as a
GERALD THOMAS)	Convicted Felon
)	
Defendant,)	18 U.S.C § 924(d) and 21 U.S.C. § 853
)	28 U.S.C. § 2461
)	Criminal Forfeiture

INDICTMENT

July 2021 Term--Norfolk

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT ONE
(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)

On or about February 23, 2021, in Virginia Beach, within the Eastern District of Virginia, the defendant, GERALD THOMAS, knowing that he had been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly possess a firearm which had previously been shipped and transported in interstate and foreign commerce.

(In violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1); 924(a)(2) and 2)

FORFEITURE

1. The defendant, if convicted of the violation alleged in this indictment, shall forfeit to the United States, as part of the sentencing pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 32.2, any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in the violation.

2. If any property that is subject to forfeiture above is not available, it is the intention of the United States to seek an order forfeiting substitute assets pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p) and Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 32.2(e).

(In accordance with Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(d)(1); and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).)

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