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CASE NUMBER:

19-2605

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PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

vs.

DEFENDANT: Bryce Daniel McIntosh

DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT (2 Page Limit Except in Unusual Cases)

The undersigned, Mario Hernandez, declares that he/she is a Detective (title) employed by the Corona Police Department in the County of Riverside

That he/she has investigated a reported crime of 187(a) P.C.

That he/she alleges and states the following to be true:

On March 12, 2019, at approximately 1856 hours, Jillian Marie Godfrey, DOB: 07-03-1982, requested the Corona Police Department to conduct a welfare check of her son, Noah McIntosh, DOB: 03-31-2010. Officer Bejines contacted Jillian and she stated she last saw Noah on March 4, 2019, when she dropped him off at his father's residence, located at 4637 Temescal Valley Road apt.# 201, in the City of Corona, County of Riverside. Jillian said Noah's father's name was Bryce McIntosh, DOB: 07-19-1986. On March 8, 2019, Bryce told Jillian that Noah had been missing since March 6, 2019. Jillian asked Bryce if he had reported Noah missing to the police and he stated that he had "everything under control." As of March 12, 2019, Noah had not been reported as a missing person.

Officer Bejines and Corporal Arens attempted to make contact at the door of Bryce's residence; however, Bryce refused

☒ See attached for additional information.

Wherefore, declarant prays that an arrest warrant issue for the arrest (during the day or night) of: Bryce Daniel McIntosh

SEX: M RACE: W DOB: 07-19-1986 EYES: Brown HAIR: Brown HT: 6'

WT: 185 CDL: [REDACTED] ADDRESS: 4637 Temescal Canyon Road #201, Corona, Ca. 92881

LAW ENFORCEMENT:

I declare, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: MARCH 28, 2019

Mario Hernandez
(SIGNATURE)

MARIO HERNANDEZ
(PRINT NAME)

JUDICIAL OFFICER:

☒ Approved ☐ Disapproved

Bail: 1,000,000 Date: 3-28-19

[Signature]
(SIGNATURE)

GUANA
(PRINT NAME)

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to answer the door. Bryce also refused to answer his cell phone when the officers and a dispatcher attempted to make contact by phone. On March 13, 2019, I obtained a search warrant for Bryce's residence and vehicle. The search warrant was approved by the Honorable Judge B. Dugan, of the Riverside County Superior Court. During the service of the search warrant, Bryce initially refused to come out of his residence. Eventually he exited with his daughter, [REDACTED], DOB: 06-30-2008. Noah was not located inside of the residence, and Bryce later invoked his Miranda Rights and stated he wanted a lawyer. I spoke to [REDACTED] and she told me her brother Noah was missing, and he had been missing since Wednesday (March 10th). [REDACTED] said she wasn't home when Noah went missing. During a forensic interview of [REDACTED] she later stated she knew Noah was missing because her daddy told her. During the forensic interview she also described physical abuse to Noah by her daddy. The abuse involved Noah being in the bathtub, cold water and Noah being handcuffed. [REDACTED] described helping her daddy at times by holding Noah's legs down.

During the service of the search warrant, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Evidence Response Team (ERT), assisted with the processing of Bryce's residence and the collection of evidence. Bryce's cellular phone, computers, and other electronic devices and electronic storage devices were seized. Other items that were seized included handcuffs, zip ties, yellow towels with stains, and schoolwork with "Noah M." written on it. During the search of Bryce's black 2006 BMW 330i 4-door, license 5MKE807, purple latex gloves and folded blankets were located inside of it.

On March 13, 2019, Jillian Godfrey went to the Corona Police Department and was interviewed by Detective Gottfried. During the interview Jillian changed her time line of when she last saw Noah. Jillian said she stayed at Bryce's apartment from Friday, March 1, 2019 to Sunday, March 3, 2019. Jillian said she last saw Noah on Saturday March 2, 2019, when Bryce took Noah into the bathroom. While Noah was in the bathroom she heard Noah ask Bryce why he was hurting him. Jillian said when she left on Sunday, Noah had still not come out of the bathroom. Jillian stated she left Bryce's apartment on March 3rd because Bryce told her he had to go to Home Depot. As a result, Detective Taylor conducted a follow-up investigation at the Home Depot located at 1355 E. Ontario Avenue, in the City of Corona. Detective Taylor located video surveillance footage of Bryce making a purchase at the Home Depot on March 4, 2019. Detective Taylor stated Bryce purchased two pairs of long cuffed gloves, 24" bolt cutters, four gallons of muriatic acid, and 1 - 128 oz bottle of drain opener.

A search warrant was obtained and a search was conducted on Jillian's cellular phone. The data extracted from Jillian's cellular phone showed notes where Jillian was documenting Bryce abusing Noah. Examples included Bryce admitting to putting Noah in hot water, Noah being placed in cold water for approximately 2 1/2 hours, Noah being put in a tub of cold water for over six hours, and [REDACTED] telling Jillian that Noah was in Bryce's bathroom with his feet tied up.

On March 13, 2019, I obtained a search warrant for Bryce McIntosh's cellular phone. The search warrant was approved by the Honorable Judge B. Dugan, of the Riverside County Superior Court. The Riverside County Sheriff Computer and Technology Crimes High Tech Task Force (CATCH), extracted data from Bryce's cellular phone. From that data extracted from Bryce's cellular phone, numerous web searches dated March 4, 2019, were located. The web searches were for "Normal heart rate for 8 year old", "Normal heart rate for 8 year old when they are running", "How exactly sodium hydroxide works", and "Sodium hydroxide to water".

The extracted data also showed locations where Bryce's cellular phone was at different times on March 4, 2019, and March 5, 2019. On March 5, 2019, between 2129 hours and 2150 hours, Bryce's cellular phone was in the area of Wilson Valley Road, north of Highway 371, in the unincorporated area of Aguanga, California. Members of FBI and the Corona Police Department searched the area and located a trash can, a paper with "Noah M" written on it, numerous purple latex gloves, a plastic bag with residue consistent with blood, parts to a Ninja blender, empty bottles of drain cleaner, empty cans of oven cleaner, blankets, yellow towels, and one blue long cuffed glove. Two Riverside County Sheriff volunteer Human Remains Detection (HRD) K9 handlers and K9's were also involved in the search. One of the HRD K9's alerted to the inside of the trash can and one of the K9's showed interest into the plastic bag with residue.

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Two of the items located were tested with a presumptive Hemastix test. The test gave a positive result for the presence of blood each time. Many of the items located matched items that were either located at Bryce's residence, in his car, or that he was seen purchasing.

On March 4, 2019, at approximately 2127 hours, Bryce's cellular phone was in the area of Squaw Mountain Road and Temescal Valley Road. On March 16, 2019, Corona Police Personnel searched the area near Squaw Mountain Road. They located a purple latex glove, used cleaning wipes, a soiled yellow towel, and part of a wooden spoon utensil. The latex glove matched the ones located in Bryce's vehicle and at the Wilson Valley Road location. I later learned that used cleaning wipes were also located at the Wilson Valley Road location.

From the data extracted from Bryce's cellular phone, I learned that on March 4, 2019, Bryce's cellular phone was in the area of the Lowe's Home Improvement store, located at 1285 Magnolia Avenue, in the City of Corona. On March 21, 2019, Detective Kazsuk went to the store and located video footage of Bryce making a purchase. Bryce's purchase included a 32-gallon Brute trash can and a 32 oz. bottle of sulfuric acid drain opener, the trash can he purchased matched the one located on March 16, off Wilson Valley Road. Detective Kazsuk also located video footage of Bryce making a purchase at a Target store in Corona on March 4, 2019, at 2239 hours. Bryce purchased two bottles of drain opener.

During the investigation Detective Painter spoke to Bryce's father, Steven McIntosh. Steven said [REDACTED] was staying with him for a couple of weeks, up until Bryce picked her up on March 10, 2019. When Bryce picked up [REDACTED], he told Steven that Noah was missing. Steven told Bryce he should go to the police; however, Bryce refused to go to the police. Steven said he tried to go visit Bryce and Noah on March 5, 2019. However, Bryce said he and Noah were sick from eating bad chicken. As a result, Steven never went to visit Bryce and Noah.

During the investigation Detective Gottfried spoke to Bryce's sister, [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated she had been trying to contact Bryce since the beginning of March. [REDACTED] said Bryce missed a family event and he was not answering her calls. When Jillian told her that Noah was missing, she told Jillian to contact the police.

A search warrant was obtained for the forensic analysis of the computer, laptop, and other electronic devices and storage devices collected from Bryce's residence on March 13, 2019. During the course of this investigation FBI Agent K. Simmons conducted manual searches of Bryce's laptop and desktop computers. During the manual search FBI Agent K. Simmons located web searches dated March 4, 2019 and March 5, 2019. The web searches Agent K. Simmons located included, "What exactly is sulfuric acid", "What does Sulfuric acid do to aluminum", "Can you buy sulfuric acid", "What kind of plastic can stand ,uriatic [sic] acid", "clean shot drain opener sulfuric asid [sic] MSDS".

On March 18, 2019, a second search warrant was served at Bryce's residence and on his garage. The company Ram Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning was utilized during the service of the search warrant. During the search warrant plumbing P traps were removed and collected from the bath tubs, bathroom sinks and the kitchen sink. The assisting plumber told Sgt. Voorhees that the P trap for the bath tubs were cleaner than a normal P trap considering the age of the building. Inside the residence an owner's manual for a Ninja blender was located; however, no Ninja blender was located inside the residence.

Bryce McIntosh and Jillian Godfrey are currently in custody for 273a P.C. - Child Endangerment, under Corona Police Department case# 19-2647.