

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

**NICHOLAS JAMES BROCKHOFF,
Defendant.**

Case: 1:21-mj-00444
: Assigned to: Judge Faruqi, Zia M.
: Assign Date: 5/24/2021
: Description: COMPLAINT W/ ARREST WARRANT

VIOLATIONS:

: **18 U.S.C. § 111(a)(1),**
: **(Assaulting, Resisting, or Impeding**
: **Officers or Employees)**
: **18 U.S.C. § 111(b)(1),**
: **(Use of a Deadly or Dangerous Weapon)**
: **18 U.S.C. § 231(a)(3),**
: **(Obstruction of Law Enforcement During**
: **Civil Disorder)**
: **18 U.S.C. § 1752(a)(1),**
: **(Entering and Remaining in a Restricted**
: **Building or Grounds)**
: **18 U.S.C. § 1752(a)(2),**
: **(Disorderly and Disruptive Conduct in a**
: **Restricted Building or Grounds)**
: **18 U.S.C. § 1752(a)(4),**
: **(Engaging in Act of Physical Violence**
: **against any Person or Property)**
: **40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(D),**
: **(Disorderly Conduct in Capitol Building)**
: **40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(F),**
: **(Engaging in an Act of Physical Violence**
: **in the Grounds or any of the Capitol**
: **Buildings)**
: **40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(G),**
: **(Parading, Demonstrating, or Picketing**
: **in a Capitol Building)**

ORDER

This matter having come before the Court pursuant to the application of the United States to seal criminal complaint, the Court finds that, because of such reasonable grounds to believe the disclosure will result in flight from prosecution, destruction of or tampering with evidence, intimidation of potential witnesses, and serious jeopardy to the investigation, the United States has

established that a compelling governmental interest exists to justify the requested sealing.

1. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the application is hereby GRANTED, and that the affidavit in support of criminal complaint and other related materials, the instant application to seal, and this Order are sealed until the arrest warrant is executed.

2. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk's office shall delay any entry on the public docket of the arrest warrant until it is executed.

Date: May 24, 2021



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ZIA M. FARUQUI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE