# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : CRIMINAL NO. 21-CR-131

:

v. :

: MAGISTRATE NO. 21-MJ-148, 01, 02

JASON GERDING, :

CHRISTINA GERDING : VIOLATIONS:

: 18 U.S.C. § 1752(a)(1)

Defendants. : (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)

40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(D)
(Disorderly Conduct in
a Capitol Building)
40 U.S.C. § 5104(e)(2)(G)

: (Parading, Demonstrating, or Picketing in

a Capitol Building)

## INFORMATION

The United States Attorney charges that at all relevant times:

## **COUNT ONE**

On or about January 6, 2021, in the District of Columbia, **JASON GERDING** and **CHRISTINA GERDING**, did unlawfully and knowingly enter and remain in a restricted building and grounds, that is, any posted, cordoned-off, and otherwise restricted area within the United States Capitol and its grounds, where the Vice President was temporarily visiting, without lawful authority to do so.

(Entering and Remaining in a Restricted Building or Grounds, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1752(a)(1))

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On or about January 6, 2021, in the District of Columbia, **JASON GERDING** and **CHRISTINA GERDING**, willfully and knowingly engaged in disorderly and disruptive conduct in any of the Capitol Buildings with the intent to impede, disrupt, and disturb the orderly conduct of a session of Congress and either House of Congress, and the orderly conduct in that building of a hearing before or any deliberation of, a committee of Congress or either House of Congress.

(**Disorderly Conduct in a Capitol Building**, in violation of Title 40, United States Code, Section 5104(e)(2)(D))

### **COUNT FOUR**

On or about January 6, 2021, in the District of Columbia, **JASON GERDING** and **CHRISTINA GERDING**, willfully and knowingly paraded, demonstrated, and picketed in any United States Capitol Building.

(**Parading, Demonstrating, or Picketing in a Capitol Building**, in violation of Title 40, United States Code, Section 5104(e)(2)(G))

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