

Volusia Sheriff's Office
Non Arrest Affidavit (Adult) - PASS ALONG

Case No.: VP260011806

Agency ORI Number: FL0640000

Agency Name: Volusia Sheriff's Office

Juvenile: No

☐ Domestic Violence

☐ Marsey's Law

Court Case Number:

2026 104359 CPDB

Arrestee Armed With:

US Citizen?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Citizen of:

Arrested By:

ID Number:

Arrested Date:

Arrested Time:

EVENT	Reported Date/Time	Arrest Location		City			
	06/02/2026 00:00:00						
CHARGES	Charge No. 1	Statute		Description	UCR/NIBRS Code	Bond Type	Bond Amount
	Felony or Misdemeanor	837.02 1		837.02 1 PERJURY - MAKE FALSE AFFIDAVIT IN OFFICIAL PROCEEDING	90Z		
DEFENDANT	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Suffix	Sex	Race	Ethnicity
	JOYAL	TIENA			F	White	
	Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Wears Glasses	Age	Height	Weight	Eye Color
				33	5' 07"	200 lbs	Blue
	Hair Color	Hair Length	Deaf/Mute				
	Blonde Or Strawberry						
	Driver's License Number / State	Social Security Number		Misc ID Number / Type / State	SPN		
				- / - / -			
	Contact Information						
	Last Known Address	City	State	Zip Code	County	Country	Description
		FL		Volusia	United States of America (the)		
Employer/School Code/Description	Employer/School Name	Employer/School Address	City	State	Zip Code	County	
Other Government Service	Volusia County Corrections Department	1300 RED JOHN DR	Daytona Beach	FLORIDA	32124	VOLUSIA	
Employer/School Country	Employer/School Phone	Defendant Primary Phone Number	Defendant Secondary Phone Number	Residency	Speaks English?		

The undersigned certifies and swears that there is probable cause to believe the above-named defendant, on the 25th day of February, 2026, at approximately 09:04 hours at 1300 RED JOHN DR, Daytona Beach, FLORIDA, violated the law and did then and there:

Narrative Title: Narrative

On Tuesday, June 2, 2026, Detective McGuire made contact with Major Smothers and Major Agosto of the Volusia County Department of Public Protection Internal Affairs at the Volusia County Branch Jail. Detective McGuire had been informed that an internal investigation (IA 2026-02) was initiated on February 20, 2026, following a complaint of sexual harassment submitted by Volusia County Correctional Officer Tiena Joyal. In her complaint, Officer Joyal accused Volusia County Correctional Officer Bernie Troth of engaging in inappropriate touching and other forms of sexual harassment.

Major Smothers and Major Agosto informed Detective McGuire that under Florida law, as sworn Correctional Officers, they are empowered to administer oaths / sworn statements.

Major Smothers and Major Agosto provided Detective McGuire with information regarding the internal investigation and the related timeline of events. They stated that they conducted two sworn interviews with Officer Joyal and one sworn interview with Officer Troth. The first interview with Officer Joyal was conducted on February 25, 2026. During that interview, which was a sworn, audio recorded proceeding, Officer Joyal described incidents in which she alleged that Officer Troth inappropriately touched her and made her feel uncomfortable while at work. Officer Joyal further stated that she did not communicate with Officer Troth outside of the workplace. She advised that they did not communicate by phone, by text message, or meet up outside of work, and that any communication between them occurred solely while on duty. Following that interview, Officer Troth was notified of the internal investigation.

On February 26, 2026, Officer Troth was reassigned to duties at the Volusia County Landfill during the pendency of the investigation. While at the landfill on that date, Officer Troth informed Major Smothers and Major Agosto that he had some form of relationship with Officer Joyal and that the two had exchanged messages and photographs through TikTok. Officer Troth then provided multiple photographs, which included images depicting two different TikTok accounts—one appearing to belong to Officer Joyal under the username "Tiena @ [redacted]" and the other associated with Officer Troth under the username "@ [redacted]". Also included were four photographs of Officer Joyal, two showing her face and two additional images believed to depict her in a state of undress.

On February 26, 2026, after obtaining the information provided by Officer Troth, Major Smothers and Major Agosto conducted their second sworn interview with Officer Joyal. During this interview, Officer Joyal stated that the flirting between herself and Officer Troth began on January 19, 2026. She again provided details regarding her complaint to Major Smothers and Major Agosto. She was specifically asked during this interview whether she had communicated with Officer Troth by text message or through any other form of electronic communication, including social media or email. Officer Joyal responded "no" to each of those inquiries.

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On May 14, 2026, Officer Troth was interviewed by Major Smothers and Major Agosto. This was a sworn interview and was audio recorded as well and done for the internal investigation.

Detective McGuire was provided with the three sworn, audio-recorded interviews, consisting of two conducted with Officer Joyal and one conducted with Officer Troth. Detective McGuire was additionally provided with multiple photographs that Majors Smothers and Agosto advised were obtained from Officer Troth.

Detective McGuire listened to the three sworn, audio-recorded interviews. In both of Officer Joyal's interviews, Major Agosto asked her whether she understood that the interviews were being recorded, and she acknowledged that she did. Major Agosto further asked Officer Joyal if she understood the interviews would be conducted under oath, which she also acknowledged prior to him administering the oath. Officer Joyal affirmed she would tell the truth, after which she was sworn in during both interviews.

During the first interview on February 25, 2026, Officer Joyal described incidents involving herself and Officer Troth that she stated occurred at work, providing a timeframe from sometime in January 2026 through February 20, 2026. Officer Joyal was specifically asked whether Officer Troth had called her, texted her, or met with her outside of work. She responded "no" to each of those questions.

On June 3, 2026, Detective McGuire conducted a sworn, audio-recorded interview with Officer Troth at the Volusia Sheriff's Office Operations building. Officer Troth provided background information regarding the internal investigation and stated he was reassigned to the Volusia County Landfill on February 26, 2026, following the initiation of the investigation on February 20, 2026. Officer Troth explained that the flirting between himself and Officer Joyal began in either late December 2025 or early January 2026, when both were assigned to the Volusia County Correctional Facility. He stated that even after February 20, 2026, when the complaint was made, the two continued to flirt while at work.

Officer Troth advised that he and Officer Joyal never met with one another outside of work. He stated, however, that they communicated through social media. He explained that they initially exchanged messages on Facebook, but Officer Joyal suggested they move their communication to TikTok because, according to her, messages deleted on the platform could not be retrieved. Officer Troth stated that he provided Major Smothers with a photograph of his TikTok page that reflected he and Officer Joyal had exchanged messages for approximately 39 or 40 consecutive days, indicated by a fire emoji icon marking their daily streak. He reported that the two communicated through TikTok up until February 24, 2026, which was after the internal investigation began. Officer Troth advised that most of the messages exchanged were sexual in nature. He further stated that Officer Joyal sent him an explicit video and that he, in turn, sent explicit videos to her.

Detective McGuire presented the following photographs to Officer Troth for identification:

- A screenshot of the TikTok account "@██████████" which Officer Troth confirmed was his account homepage.
- A screenshot of the TikTok account "Tiena @██████████" which Officer Troth identified as belonging to Officer Joyal, displaying images of her and various personal items.
- A photograph depicting a sexually explicit image of a naked butt, which Officer Troth stated was sent to him by Officer Joyal.
- A second sexually explicit photograph of a female with blonde hair (face is not shown) and naked breast, which Officer Troth stated was also sent to him by Officer Joyal.
- A photograph of Officer Joyal partially exposing her body, which Officer Troth stated she sent to him.
- A photograph showing part of Officer Joyal's face, which he stated she sent to him.

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On June 4, 2026, Detective McGuire was informed by Major Agosto that Officer Joyal was informed the internal investigation was paused and the Volusia Sheriff's Office is looking into her committing Perjury.

On June 4, 2026, Detective McGuire and Detective Wheeler met with Officer Joyal at the Volusia County Correctional Facility, located at 1354 Indian Lake Road in Daytona Beach, Florida. Officer Joyal stated that she was aware the Volusia Sheriff's Office would be investigating the perjury complaint. When Detective McGuire asked Officer Joyal if she wished to provide a statement regarding the allegation, she advised that she wanted an attorney and the interview was terminated. The interaction with Officer Joyal was audio recorded.

On June 8, 2026, Detective McGuire obtained a search warrant for TikTok accounts belonging to Officer Joyal (TikTok username: Tiena / @ [REDACTED]) and Officer Troth (TikTok username: @ [REDACTED]); from the information that was provided by Major Smothers and Major Agosto of the Volusia County Department of Public Protection Internal Affairs and from Officer Troth's interview on June 3, 2026.

On June 9, 2026, Detective McGuire conducted a sworn, audio recorded interview with Officer Troth at the Volusia Sheriff's Office Operations building. During the interview, Officer Troth was provided printed photographs of the screenshots he had given Detective McGuire earlier that day. Officer Troth identified both Facebook accounts as belonging to him and Officer Joyal. He also reaffirmed that they initially communicated through Facebook before switching to TikTok.

Officer Troth stated he could not recall the exact dates they communicated on Facebook but believed the messaging occurred over the span of a couple of days. He added that he believed it was before Christmas or near the beginning of January 2026. Officer Troth stated the content of their communication on Facebook was not as "spicy" as the messages they later exchanged on TikTok.

On June 10, 2026, Detective McGuire obtained a search warrant for Facebook accounts belonging to Officer Joyal ([https://www.facebook.com/\[REDACTED\]](https://www.facebook.com/[REDACTED])) and Officer Troth ([https://www.facebook.com/\[REDACTED\]](https://www.facebook.com/[REDACTED])) from the information that was provided by Major Smothers and Major Agosto of the Volusia County Department of Public Protection Internal Affairs and from Officer Troth's interview on June 3, 2026 and June 9, 2026.

On June 16, 2026, Officer Troth contacted Detective McGuire and reported that, since being notified of the Internal Affairs investigation and reassigned to various posts throughout the county, he has experienced an average reduction of approximately \$1,000.00 per paycheck.

On June 26, 2026, Detective McGuire received information from TikTok in response to the search warrant issued on June 8, 2026. TikTok provided more than 20GB of data containing conversations, photographs, and videos exchanged between the TikTok accounts [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].

The signup date for TikTok account [REDACTED] was 1/29/2021 08:25:12pm (UTC +00). The following information was in the basic subscriber information for when the account was created:

- Signup IP: 209. [REDACTED]
- Phone number: [REDACTED]
- Email address: [REDACTED]

The signup date for TikTok account [REDACTED] was 12/29/2020 08:11:11am (UTC +00). The following information was in the basic subscriber information for when the account was created:

- Signup IP: 69 [REDACTED]

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Phone number: (386) 506-9533

Email address: bernietroth@att.net.

The conversations between Officer Joyal ([REDACTED]) and Officer Troth ([REDACTED]) began on January 7, 2026, and concluded on February 20, 2026. The content of these conversations was consistent with the information previously provided by Officer Troth during his interviews. The exchanges were mostly sexual in nature and accompanied several photographs of Officer Troth and Officer Joyal. The photographs showed both Officer Troth and Officer Joyal's face, clearly identifying them. There were also explicit videos sent by Officer Troth and Officer Joyal where they each were pleasuring themselves for the camera which Officer Troth had described to Detective McGuire in his interview on June 3, 2026. In total, approximately 1,000 messages—including images and videos—were exchanged, and when printed in a small font, the material totaled 63 pages.

There were multiple messages exchanged between Officer Joyal ([REDACTED]) and Officer Troth ([REDACTED]) in which they discussed events that had occurred at work, as well as topics related to their duties at the jail. The following examples represent only a portion of the work-related messages and are not an exhaustive list.

02/07/2026 11:29:17pm (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "So, I really hate to do this, but we cant do this anymore. Harris has seen you all over me on the cameras and all the uppers think we are together"

02/08/2026 06:18:08pm (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "and you're not gonna be in 1A, id have to file something for that and i sure as hell aint doing that"

02/09/2026 05:56:49pm (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "What was funny the other day in sally port how red you got slowly saying my first name. I like that."

02/10/2026 02:40:22pm (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "Hope you have a good day off to the range in a little bit. Shower time."

02/18/2026 01:56:01am (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "Someone from the jail texted my wife saying I'm seeing someone there."

02/18/2026 11:53:04am (UTC +00) [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] – "Yeah but they have to work with us and no one from the branch does. And it's a female because in the text it said we girls have to stick together"

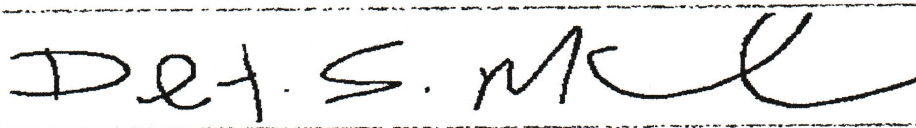
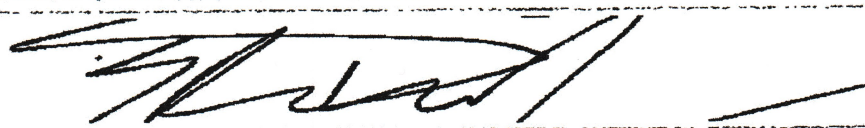
On June 29, 2026, Major Agosto of the Volusia County Department of Public Protection, Internal Affairs, at the Volusia County Branch Jail, provided Detective McGuire with the work schedules for Officer Troth and Officer Joyal for January and February 2026. The dates they worked corresponded with the message activity documented on TikTok. Detective McGuire was also provided with Officer Joyal's phone number, which matched the number listed in the basic subscriber information supplied by TikTok.

Based on the investigation conducted, there is probable cause to believe that Officer Joyal committed the offense of Perjury in an Official Proceeding, in violation of Florida State Statute 837.02. Officer Joyal ([REDACTED]) made statements that she did not communicate or have interactions with Officer Troth ([REDACTED]) outside of work and/or by communication through social media. These statements were provided under oath and were material to the Internal Affairs investigation, which constitutes an "official proceeding" as defined under Florida State Statute 837.011(1). TikTok produced approximately 20GB of data in response to a search warrant issued on June 8, 2026. The data included message exchanges, photographs, and videos between accounts associated with Officer Troth ([REDACTED]) and Officer Joyal ([REDACTED]). The timeline and content of these communications directly contradicted material portions of the statements made by Officer Joyal during his sworn interview.

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Major Agosto of the Volusia County Department of Public Protection, Internal Affairs, provided the work schedules for Officer Troth and Officer Joyal for January and February 2026. The work schedules corroborated the timing and substance of the TikTok communications and further contradicted statements previously made by Officer Joyal under oath. The documented inconsistencies establish that Officer Joyal knowingly made false statements, under oath, in an official proceeding, concerning matters that were material to the Internal Affairs investigation. These actions meet the statutory elements of Perjury in an Official Proceeding, as defined in Florida State Statute 837.02(1).

OFFICER	Officer No. 1			
	I swear/affirm the above statements are correct and true			
	Officer Signature			
	Officer Name McGuire, Shon 1652	Involvement Type Issuer	Involvement Date 07/02/2026 12:12:00	Signature Type A Digital Signature
NOTARIZING OFFICER	Notarizing Officer No. 1			
	Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of (X) physical presence or () online notarization, this 2 day of July, 2026			
	Officer Signature			
	Officer Name Wheeler, Steven 7960	Involvement Date 07/02/2026 12:12:00	Signature Type A Digital Signature	Type of Identification
	☐ Notary Public	☒ Law Enforcement or Corrections Officer	☒ Personally Known	☐ Produced Identification

7th Judicial Circuit
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Agency ORI Number: FL0640000	Agency: Volusia Sheriff's Office	Juvenile: No	☐ Domestic Violence
Court Case Number: 2026 104359 CFDB			☐ Marsy's Law
Arrest Date/Time 07/06/2026 11:11:00	Arrest Type Taken Into Custody (based on a warrant and/or previously submitted incident report)	Multiple Arrest Segments Not Applicable	Commonplace Name
Arrest Location 1300 RED JOHN DR	City Daytona Beach	State FLORIDA	Zip Code 32124
		County VOLUSIA	Zone JAIL
		District JAIL	
Last Name JOYAL	First Name TIENA	Middle Name L	Suffix
Nickname/Gang Name		Sex F	Race White
Ethnicity Non-Hispanic			
Date of Birth	Place of Birth	City of Birth	Age 33
To Age	Height 5' 07"	Weight 200 lbs	Eye Color Blue
Hair Color Blonde Or Strawberry	Hair Length	Gang Affiliation	
Wears Glasses	Physical Feature Code	OBTS Number	Arrestee Armed With Unarmed
Driver's License Number	State FL	Social Security Number	Misc ID Number
Misc ID Type		Misc ID State	SPN
- Contact information -			
Last Known Address	City	State FL	Zip Code
County Volusia	Country USA	Description 01-Residence (Last Known)	
Employer/School Code/Description Other Government Service	Employer/School Name Volusia County Corrections Department	Employer/School Address 1300 RED JOHN DR	City Daytona Beach
State FLORIDA	Zip Code 32124	County VOLUSIA	
Employer/School Country	Employer/School Phone	Registered Offender Category Code	Residency Resident
US Citizen Yes	Citizen Of USA	Email Address	
Arrestee Phone Number	Social Media Information	Speaks English? Yes	Deaf/Mute? No
Charge No. 1			
Felony or Misdemeanor Felony	Statute 837.02 1	Description 837.02 1 PERJURY - MAKE FALSE AFFIDAVIT IN OFFICIAL PROCEEDING	UCR/NIBRS Code 90Z
Warrant Number 2026266833	Warrant ORI	Bond Type Bond	Bond Amount \$5000
Citation Number			
The undersigned certifies and swears that there is probable cause to believe the above-named defendant, on the <u>25th</u> day of <u>February</u> , <u>2026</u> , at approximately <u>09:04</u> hours at <u>1300 RED JOHN DR. DB</u> , violated the law and did then and there:			
Narrative Title: Narrative			
1. ***BWC Recording*** 2. 3. 4. On 7/6/2026 at approximately 1034 hours, Deputy Bionelli responded to the Volusia County Brach Jail, 5. located at 1300 Red John Drive in Daytona Beach, in reference to Tiena Joyal (D1) on scene with the 6. below listed warrant: 7. 8. 9. Warrant #: 2026266833 10. Issued: 7/6/2026 11. Judge: Pickens 12. Charge: Perjury in an Official Proceeding 13. Bond: \$5,000.00 14. 15. 16. Upon arrival, Deputy Bionelli met Tiena and she was taken into custody. The warrant was confirmed 17. by VSO Warrants Division and Tiena was turned over to the VCBJ without incident. 18. 19. 20. Case Status: Arrest / Adult 21.			
Officer No. 1			
I swear/affirm the above statements are correct and true			
Officer Signature			
Officer Name Bionelli, Jared 9827	Involvement Type Arresting Officer	Involvement Date 07/06/2026 11:11:00	Signature Type A Digital Signature

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NOTARIZING OFFICER

Notarizing Officer No. 1

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of (X) physical presence or () online notarization, this 6 day of July, 2026

Officer Signature

Det. J. McC

Officer Name
McGuire, Shon 1652

Involvement Date
07/06/2026 11:11:00

Signature Type
A Digital Signature

☐ Notary Public

☒ Law Enforcement or Corrections Officer

☒ Personally Known

☐ Produced Identification

Type of Identification

Others Involved/Evidence

Court Case Number:

DEFENDANT

Last Name
JOYAL

First Name
TIENA

Middle Name
L

Suffix

PROPERTY

Property No. 1

Description
BWC RECORDING

Property Status
Digital Evidence

NCIC Property Category

Property Type

Make

Model

Brand

Color

Serial

Qty

Estimated Value

FCIC/NCIC

Forfeiture
No

Damage

- Evidence information -

Hold Reasons
VSO Evidence.com

OFFICER

Officer No. 1

I swear/affirm the above statements are correct and true

Officer Signature

J. Bionelli

Officer Name
Bionelli, Jared 9827

Involvement Type
Arresting Officer

Involvement Date
07/06/2026 11:11:00

Signature Type
A Digital Signature