ACCUSATION

IN THE STATE COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, STATE OF GEORGIA 2023-ST-SR-__3550_

JULY TERM 2023

STATE OF GEORGIA

VS.

MICHELLE LAKLY

CT 1: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))

CT 2: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))

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CT 8: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))

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LYNNE M. POLICARO CLERK OF STATE COURT, HENRY COUNTY, GA

PAMELA M. BETTIS SOLICITOR GENERAL

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COUNT 1

On behalf of the people of the State of Georgia, the undersigned, as prosecuting attorney for the county and state aforesaid, does hereby charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))**, for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, unlawfully cause physical pain or suffering to a donkey named "Daisy," an animal, by an unjustifiable act or omission, to wit: not following the recommendations for care and treatment of said animal, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 2

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS** (16-12-4 (B)), for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, having intentionally exercised custody, control, possession, or ownership of a donkey named "Daisy," an animal, unlawfully fail to provide to such animal adequate food, water, sanitary conditions, or ventilation that is consistent with what a reasonable person of ordinary knowledge would believe is the normal requirement and feeding habit for such animal's size, species, breed, age, and physical condition, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 3

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS** (16-12-4 (B)), for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, unlawfully cause physical pain or suffering to a mini-horse, an animal, by an unjustifiable act or omission, to wit: not following the recommendations for care and treatment of said animal, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 4

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))**, for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, having intentionally exercised custody, control, possession, or ownership of a mini-horse, an animal, unlawfully fail to provide to such animal adequate food, water, sanitary conditions, or ventilation that is consistent with what a reasonable person of ordinary knowledge would believe is the normal requirement and feeding habit for such animal's size, species, breed, age, and physical condition, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 5

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS** (16-12-4 (B)), for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, unlawfully cause physical pain or suffering to a mini-donkey, an animal, by an unjustifiable act or omission, to wit: not following the recommendations for care and treatment of said animal, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

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COUNT 6

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))**, for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, having intentionally exercised custody, control, possession, or ownership of a mini-donkey, an animal, unlawfully fail to provide to such animal adequate food, water, sanitary conditions, or ventilation that is consistent with what a reasonable person of ordinary knowledge would believe is the normal requirement and feeding habit for such animal's size, species, breed, age, and physical condition, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 7

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (16-12-4 (B))**, for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12, 2023**, unlawfully cause physical pain or suffering to a pony, an animal, by an unjustifiable act or omission, to wit: not following the recommendations for care and treatment of said animal, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

COUNT 8

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney, does further charge and accuse MICHELLE LAKLY with the offense of **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS** (16-12-4 (B)), for that the said accused, did in HENRY COUNTY, Georgia, on or about **July 12**, 2023, having intentionally exercised custody, control, possession, or ownership of a pony, an animal, unlawfully fail to provide to such animal adequate food, water, sanitary conditions, or ventilation that is consistent with what a reasonable person of ordinary knowledge would believe is the normal requirement and feeding habit for such animal's size, species, breed, age, and physical condition, contrary to the laws of this state, the good order, peace and dignity thereof.

ASSISTANT SOLICITOR-GENERAL

STATE OF GEORGIA HENRY COUNTY

Case Number: 2023-ST-SR-003550-RBJ

Defendant: LAKLY MICHELLE

386 PYLANT ST SENOIA GA 30276 Charges: CT.1 : CRUEL

Defense Attorney:

CT.1: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.2: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.3: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.4: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.5: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.6: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.7: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CT.8: CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Surety:

NOTICE OF ARRAIGNMENT COURT DATE

You are hereby notified that the case against the above-named defendant will be called on the 30th day of October, 2023, at 1:30 PM in HENRY COUNTY STATE COURT in courtroom 2. The defendant is required to be present for the call of this case.

You have the right to be represented by an Attorney. You may be eligible for the appointment of an attorney to represent you, if you are indigent. If you do not have an attorney and believe you are indigent, at your court appearance scheduled by this notice, ask the judge to determine if you are eligible for an appointed attorney.

GEORGIA, HENRY COUNTY

I, the undersigned Clerk or Deputy Clerk of the court named herein, certify that I have on this date mailed to the above-named defendant, defendant's attorney, and bondsperson of record at the address shown above and of record in the above styled case a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing notice by depositing the same in the United States Post Office in an envelope properly addressed and stamped. You are required to be present or the Bond will be forfeited. This is the only notice you will receive.

This the the 11th day of September, 2023

Defendant

Attorney

Lynne M. Policaro
Clerk of State Court,
Henry County, Georgia

IN PERSON APPEARANCE

NOTICE TO PARTIES AND WITNESSES SUMMONED TO COURT

The Henry County Court System does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the operations of its programs, services, or activities. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA"), the courts have implemented specific policies to address the needs of disabled individuals. An ADA Coordinator has been appointed in each court, with the responsibility of ensuring that proper and reasonable accommodations are provided. Individuals with disabilities are invited to make their needs and concerns known to the ADA Coordinator.

Upon request and reasonable notice, sign language interpreters will be provided for hearing impaired persons participating in both civil and criminal court proceedings in Superior Court, State Court Magistrate Court and Probate Court. To arrange for an interpreter or other accommodation, please call the ADA Coordinator for assistance:

Henry County State Court:

ADA Coordinator

Telephone Number: 770-288-7800 TTY Number: 770-288-6818

Applications for Accommodation can also be found on the County's website at: www.co.henry.ga.us. Any aggrieved person may file a complaint with the ADA coordinator. The ADA Complaint Form can also be found on the County's website.