

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
 File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 In the Matter Of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wake County  
 District Court Division  
 In the General Court of Justice

1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC  
 27545

Date Issued 4/7/09 8:07 AM  PM

Name of Applicant  
 Officer T.A. Knuckles

Name of Additional Affiant

**RETURN OF SERVICE**

I certify that this Search WARRANT was received and executed as follows:

Date Received 4/8/09 1:45 AM  PM

Date Executed 4/8/09 1:50 PM 4/8/09

I made a search of  
 1952 Old Crews Rd.  
 Knightdale, N.C.

As commanded.  
 I seized the items listed on the attached inventory  
 I did not seize any items.

This warrant was not executed within 48 hours of the date of issuance and I hereby return it not executed

Signature of Officer Making Return  
 Sgt. Alvin Tolson  
 Department or Agency of Officer  
 WCSO

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 Rev. 8/83

To any officer with authority and jurisdiction to conduct the search authority by this Search Warrant.

I, the undersigned, find that there is probable cause to believe that the property and person described in the application on the reverse side and related to the commission of a crime is located as describe the application.

You are commanded to search the premises, vehicle, person, and other place or item described in the application for the property and person in question. If the property and/or person are found, make the seizure and keep the property subject to Court Order and process the person according to law.

You are directed to execute this Search Warrant within forty-eight (48) hours from the time indicated on this Warrant and make due return to the clerk of the issuing Court.

This Search Warrant is issued upon information furnished under oath by the person or persons shown.

Date 4/7/09  
 Signature [Signature]

Date 4/8/09 Time 4:30 AM  PM   
 Signature [Signature]  
 Deputy CSC  Asst. CSC  Clerk of Superior Court  
 Magistrate  District Ct. Judge  Superior Ct. Judge

### APPLICATION FOR SEARCH WARRANT

**Officer T.A. Knuckles, Raleigh Police Department**

(Insert name address: or if law enforcement officer name, rank and agency)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn, request that the court issue a warrant to search the person, place, vehicle and other items described in this application and to find and seize the property and person described in this application. There is probable cause to believe that \_\_\_\_\_

**See Continuation Sheet (Section-I)**

(Describe property to be seized: or if search warrant is to be used for searching a place)

(to serve an arrest warrant or other process, name person to be arrested)

constitutes evidence of a crime and the identity of a person participating in crime.

**See Continuation Sheet (Section-II)**

, and is located

Name Crime

(check appropriate box(es) and fill-in specified information)

in the following premises \_\_\_\_\_

**See Continuation Sheet (Section-III)**

(and)

on the following person(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**Anh Troung Nguyen D.O.B: 09-27-91**

(and)

in the following vehicle(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**See Continuation Sheet (Section-IV)**

(describe Vehicle(s))

(and)

(Name and/or describe other places or items to be searched, if applicable)


The applicant swears to the following facts to establish probable cause for the issuance of a search warrant;

**See Continuation Sheet (Section-V)**

#### SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

Date **4/7/09**

Signature 

Signature of Applicant 

Deputy CSC  Asst. CSC  Clerk of Superior Court  Mag.  Judge

In addition to the affidavit included above, this application is supported by additional affidavit(s) attached, made by \_\_\_\_\_

In addition to the affidavit included above, this application is supported by sworn testimony, given by \_\_\_\_\_

This testimony has been (check appropriate box)  reduced to writing  tape recorded and I have filed each with the clerk

\*If a continuation is necessary, continue the statement on an attached sheet of paper with a notation saying "see attachment" Date the continuation and include on it the signatures of applicant and issuing official.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WAKE COUNTY

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF: 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale NC	SEARCH WARRANT CONTINUATION SHEET
APPLICANT: Detective, Raleigh Police	
DATE: 4/7/09	

**SECTION I: DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY TO BE SEIZED**

- All personal computers
- Any associated computer related equipment and storage media, including modems, internal and external peripheral storage devices, fixed hard drives, external hard drives, floppy disks, Zip drives and disks, tape drives and tapes, optical storage devices and CDs / DVDs, flash memory storage devices, and any other storage devices or media which are capable of storing data, graphical images, or multimedia files.
- Any system documentation, operating logs and documentation, software instruction manuals, and any form of paper record or documents of any nature that help to establish ownership or control of the computer system or components.
- Any weapons that could produce harm or injury to individuals or property such as firearms and or cutting instruments in apparent control of Anh Nguyen,
- Documents or other articles that help to establish ownership or control of the home or rooms within the home located at 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC 27545.

**SECTION II: NAME OF CRIME(S)**

1. § G.S. 14-277.1 Communication of Threats
2. § G.S. 14-196.3 Cyber Stalking

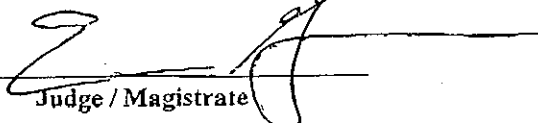
**SECTION III: DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES TO BE SEARCHED**

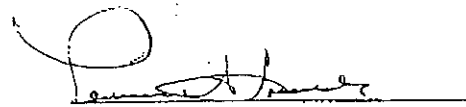
The residence of 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC 27545 which is a Red brick single family home with white vinyl siding. The structure stands alone with no other adjoining structures or residences attached to it. The residence also has blue shutters around the windows. There is also a Front overhang porch with white railings. Residence has white mailbox post along with black mailbox with white numbers of the residence number on it, located on the left side of the front entrance to driveway. Two white driveway lights on either side of the front entrance to the driveway. The residence also has an open car port / garage attached to the left side of the residence when viewed from Old Crews Rd. The front door of the residence is brown along with glass and is located on the right side of the front porch when viewing the residence from Old Crews Rd.

**SECTION IV: DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLES TO BE SEARCHED**

N/A

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THIS THE 7 DAY OF April, 2009

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge / Magistrate

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WAKE COUNTYIN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
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**SECTION V: FACTS TO ESTABLISH PROBABLE CAUSE**

I, Officer T.A. Knuckles, have been a law enforcement officer with the Raleigh Police Department since January 2000. I am currently assigned to the Threat Assessment Unit of our Special Operations Division. I have received specialized training with laws of arrest, search and seizures, interviewing, the preparation of search warrants and criminal investigations. I have investigated threats cases, communication of threats cases and similar incidents throughout my career at Raleigh Police Department.

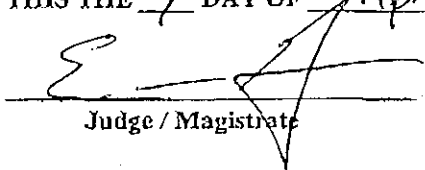
On 03-31-2009, according to police reports the defendant Anh Nguyen in this case brought a video of a man being decapitated into Knightdale High School and proceeded to show the video to several students in the class which made them feel uncomfortable about what they were watching. The victim in this case thought the defendant had left the classroom and proceeded to talk with another student about how the student, Anh Nguyen of 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC made them feel really uncomfortable and compared him to the Virginia Tech killer. Anh Nguyen was still in the classroom at the time and overheard the other students which upset him and some of the students apologized for what they said about him, but not the victim in this case.

The following morning one of the students contacted the victim and told her to look at the Anh Nguyens facebook page and it showed the defendant had made a video of the victim and was communicating threats directed to the victims personal safety and the safety of other possible students in the school. The video doesn't appear to have been made at the school. I watched the facebook video and based on the surroundings in the video the suspect appears to be videotaping himself on the front porch of his residence.

In the video it depicts the victims image being distorted and makes threats directed towards other unknown students at the school who supposedly have made fun of the defendant. Anh Nguyen stated on the video that he was crazy and that he would kill the victim without lifting a finger and the law couldn't do anything with no proof, even if you die for any reason.

Anh Nguyen was arrested for Communication of Threats and Cyber Stalking and confessed to making the video to the arresting officer. After being read he's miranda rights according to the police report the defendant stated to the officer that he did say that he wanted bad stuff to happen to her and he hopes she would be murdered. The waiver of Rights form was placed into evidence at the Raleigh Police Dept.

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Judge / Magistrate

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On the following school day I proceeded to Knightdale High School and spoke with the staff. I was informed by the staff at the school that the defendant brought items from his residence that assisted him in his computer class and they knew he possessed computer equipment at his residence which allowed him to make threatening videos of fellow students. The residential address for Mr. Anh Nguyen based on the schools records was 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC 27545 based and this was the same address listed on his Wake County Detention Chiefs picture.

I conducted interviews at Knightdale High School and based on the information I received indicating that he is prone to carry such items, I'm requesting a search of Mr. Anh Nguyen for computer flash drives which he's known to carry on his person and might be evidence of the crimes listed above.


It is also requested that the Affiant be granted authorization to have a computer forensic specialist conduct an examination of any computer system that is located at the time of the search and seizure, as well as to make forensic images of the computer system hard drives and any recovered storage media including diskettes, Zip disks, optical storage media, flash memory devices, backup tapes or other media for forensic analysis at a later date. The image(s) will be searched for any and all e-mails or other communications, digital images, documents, software, or evidence of internet activity that relate to the offenses described above.

After recovery of any data, including hidden, deleted or erased data, the analyst will determine which files, communications, graphical images, multimedia items or documents found in the system constitute evidence of the offenses described above. Evidence copies will be created, retained for further proceedings and made available to the Investigating Detectives and Prosecutor. Only those items described in the search warrant relating to the offenses will be copied. After completion of the examination, the forensic images will be sealed and retained in evidence storage for later discovery and trial purposes.

Based on the above information, I believe that computer(s) and associated storage media within Anh Nguyens home located at 1952 Old Crews Rd Knightdale, NC 27545 will not only contain evidence of the crimes listed above, but will in fact, be the instrument(s) used to commit these violations, and therefore evidence themselves. Therefore, I request that this search warrant be issued based on the facts listed above.

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THIS THE 7 DAY OF April, 2009

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge / Magistrate

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT

<b>STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA</b>		File No.
In The General Court Of Justice		
WAKE County	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Superior Court Division	
IN THE MATTER OF:		<b>INVENTORY OF SEIZED PROPERTY</b>  G.S. 15A-254, -257
Name 1952 Old Crews Rd. Knightdale, NC 27545		
Date Of Search		
I, the undersigned officer, executed a search of:		
Person, Place Or Vehicle Searched Residence - 1952 Old Crews Rd. Knightdale, NC 27545		
This search was made pursuant to		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a search warrant issued by: <input type="checkbox"/> a consent to search given by: <input type="checkbox"/> other legal justification for the search:		
The following items were seized:		
<p>(1) Sony Handycam Video Camera (Serial # 1346435) w/ block Samsonite Bag Containing Video Camera Accessories (silver)</p> <p>(1) SAMSUNG SL310W digital camera w/ 4GB memory card (Serial # A127C98090184) in Black Bag</p> <p>(1) Apple (80GB) iPod - (Blue Face &amp; Silver Back) w/ USB Cable</p> <p>(1) HP <del>Compaq</del> Pavilion Computer Tower (A1010N) M7K512DLFS - Serial #</p> <p><del>(1) SANDISK (4GB) Flashdrive (Black-n-Color)</del></p> <p>(1) SANDISK (4GB) Flashdrive (Black-n-Color)</p> <p>(1) PNY Attache (4GB) Flashdrive (Black-n-Color)</p> <p>(1) Verizon Samsung Cellphone</p> <p>(1) PNY Attache (1GB) Flashdrive (White-n-Color)</p> <p>(1) Sony memory stick (32mb)</p>		
AOC-CR 206 Rev. 6/87	(Over) Original-File	Copy-Person Whose Property Seized

Seized Items Continued

I am leaving a copy of his inventory with the person named below, who is:

- the owner of the place search.
- the owner of the vehicle searched.
- the person in apparent control of the place searched.
- the person in apparent control of the vehicle searched.
- the person from whom the items were taken.

As no person was present, I am leaving a copy of this inventory:

- in the place searched, identified on the reverse.
- in the vehicle searched, identified on the reverse.

Name And Address Of Person To Whom A Copy Of This Inventory Was Delivered

Anh Truong Nguyen  
 1952 Old Crews Rd  
 Knightdale, NC 27545

The law enforcement agency identified below will hold the seized

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

Signature Of Law Enforcement Officer

*T.A. Knuckles*

Date

4/8/09

Title Of Law Enforcement Officer  
 Officer T.A. Knuckles

Signature

*Rene Barber*

Name And Address Of Agency  
 Raleigh Police Dept.  
 110 S. McDowell St.  
 Raleigh, NC 27601

- Deputy CSC
- Assistant CSC
- Clerk Of Superior Court
- Magistrate

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT

I, the undersigned, received a copy of this inventory.

Date

Signature Of Person Receiving Inventory