

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT

**INDICTMENT**

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Violations: 18 U.S.C. §§ 113(a)(6),  
113(a)(7), 113(a)(8), 1111, 1112, 1153,  
1512(c)(1), and 844(h)(1)

**COUNT ONE**

**Assault Resulting in Substantial Bodily Injury  
to a Spouse, Intimate Partner, or Dating Partner**

The Grand Jury Charges:

On or about July 23, 2023, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country, and  
within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted a spouse, intimate partner, and dating partner, namely, J.M.P., which  
assault resulted in substantial bodily injury to J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(7) and 1153.

COUNT TWO

**Assault of a Spouse, Intimate Partner, or Dating Partner by Strangulation**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about July 24, 2023, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country, and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted a spouse, intimate partner, and dating partner, namely, J.M.P., by strangling and attempting to strangle J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(8) and 1153.

COUNT THREE

**Assault Resulting in Substantial Bodily Injury  
to a Spouse, Intimate Partner, or Dating Partner**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about August 26, 2023, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country,  
and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted a spouse, intimate partner, and dating partner, namely, J.M.P., which  
assault resulted in substantial bodily injury to J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(7) and 1153.

COUNT FOUR

**Assault Resulting in Substantial Bodily Injury  
to a Spouse, Intimate Partner, or Dating Partner**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about October 5, 2023, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country,  
and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted a spouse, intimate partner, and dating partner, namely, J.M.P., which  
assault resulted in substantial bodily injury to J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(7) and 1153.

COUNT FIVE

**Assault Resulting in Serious Bodily Injury**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about October 14, 2023, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country,  
and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted J.M.P., which assault resulted in serious bodily injury to J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(6) and 1153.

COUNT SIX

**Assault of a Spouse, Intimate Partner, or Dating Partner by Strangulation**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about January 3, 2024, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country,  
and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, assaulted a spouse, intimate partner, and dating partner, namely, J.M.P., by  
strangling and attempting to strangle J.M.P.;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 113(a)(8) and 1153.

COUNT SEVEN

**Voluntary Manslaughter**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about January 5, 2024, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country,  
and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, voluntarily, intentionally, and unlawfully killed a human being, namely,  
J.M.P., without malice, upon a sudden quarrel and heat of passion;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1112 and 1153.

COUNT EIGHT

**Second-Degree Murder within Indian country**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about March 3, 2024, in the District of North Dakota, in Indian country, and within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT,

an Indian, did unlawfully kill a human being, namely, I.H., with malice aforethought;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1111 and 1153.



COUNT NINE

**Tampering with Evidence**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about March 3, 2024, in the District of North Dakota,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT

did corruptly alter, destroy, mutilate, and conceal, and attempted to alter, destroy, mutilate, and conceal any object located at for use in an official proceeding, to wit: evidence of D'Angelo James Hunt's murder of I.H. including carpet, clothing, a knife, blood, and the body of I.H., with the intent to impair the integrity and availability of the objects for use in an official proceeding, to wit: law enforcement's investigation into the assault and death of I.H., which was: (1) a matter under investigation by, and within the jurisdiction of, the Federal Bureau of Investigation; (2) a matter which would have been presented to a proceeding before a federal grand jury; and (3) a matter which would have been presented to a proceeding before a judge and court of the United States;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1512(c)(1).

COUNT TEN

**Use of Fire to Commit a Felony**

The Grand Jury Further Charges:

On or about March 3, 2024, in the District of North Dakota,

D'ANGELO JAMES HUNT

did use fire to commit any felony which may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, to wit: Tampering with Evidence, in violation of 18 U.S.C. Section 1512(c)(1), as charged in Count Nine of the Indictment;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 844(h)(1).

A TRUE BILL:

/s/ Foreperson

Foreperson

/s/ Nicholas W. Chase

NICHOLAS W. CHASE

United States Attorney

LHC/vlt