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FRANKLIN CIRCUIT COURT
INDICTMENT NO. 26-CR-00002
DIVISION NO. II

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Plaintiff

v.

INDICTMENT

KELLIE SHANNON LIGHTNER,

Defendant

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[REDACTED]
DOB: [REDACTED] SSN: [REDACTED]

COUNTS 1 - 3
KRS 514.070
Theft by Failure to Make Required
Disposition of Property
\$10,000 or More
Class C Felony
UOR 23496

COUNT 1

The Grand Jury charges: That between on or about the 1st day of April, 2020 and on or about the 31st day of December, 2020, in Franklin County, Kentucky, the above named defendant: Kellie Shannon Lightner committed the offense of Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property \$10,000 or More in Value when she, doing business as Kellie's Homestead Restaurant, under Foodielicious, LLC, obtained property in the form of sales tax monies in an amount totaling over \$10,000.00 upon agreement or subject to a known legal obligation to make specified payment or other disposition whether from such property or its proceeds or from her own property to be reserved in equivalent amount and she intentionally dealt with the property as her own and failed to make the required payment or disposition.

COUNT 2

The Grand Jury charges: That between on or about the 1st day of January, 2021 and on or about the 31st day of December, 2021, in Franklin County, Kentucky, the above named defendant: Kellie Shannon Lightner committed the offense of Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property \$10,000 or More in Value when she, doing business as Kellie's Homestead Restaurant, under Foodielicious, LLC, obtained property in the form of sales tax monies in an amount totaling over \$10,000.00 upon agreement or subject to a known legal obligation to make specified payment or other disposition whether from such property or its proceeds or from her own property to be reserved in equivalent amount and she intentionally dealt with the property as her own and failed to make the required payment or disposition.

COUNT 3

The Grand Jury charges: That between on or about the 1st day of January, 2022 and on or about the 30th day of April, 2022, in Franklin County, Kentucky, the above named defendant: Kellie Shannon Lightner committed the offense of Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property \$10,000 or More in Value when she, doing business as Kellie's Homestead Restaurant, under Foodielicious, LLC, obtained property in the form of sales tax monies in an amount totaling over \$10,000.00 upon agreement or subject to a known legal obligation to make specified payment or other disposition whether from such property or its proceeds or from her own property to be reserved in equivalent amount and she intentionally dealt with the property as her own and failed to make the required payment or disposition.

Against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Philip McLaughly
FOREPERSON

Presented by the foreman of the Grand Jury to the court, in the presence of the Grand Jury and received from the court by me and filed in open court this 3rd day of March, 2026.

Kem Marshall | RS, Clerk

BAIL -- Kellie Lightner: \$ _____ Full Cash Partially Secured

The following appeared before the Grand Jury as witness for the Commonwealth:

Joey Phillips, Investigator
Finance and Administration Cabinet