

—NEWS RELEASE——Chicago Police Department

Larry Snelling Superintendent

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Offender Charged with Two Counts of Attempted Murder



No mugshot available

Offender: Craig Messiah-Smith, 24

1100 block of S. Laredo St. Louis, Missouri

Charges: Two (2) felony counts – Attempt - Murder - First Degree

One (1) felony count – Aggravated Battery/Discharge Firearm

One (1) felony count – Domestic Battery/Aggravated

Court: Detention Hearing – 555 W Harrison St. – May 1, 2024

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department

on April 29, 2024, at 1:23 p.m., in the 7400 block of S. Ellis Ave. He was identified as the offender who, minutes earlier, shot and seriously injured a 30-year-old female and a 31-year-old female in the 7400 block of S. Ellis Ave. (3rd District). The offender was quickly placed into custody on the scene and subsequently charged

accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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