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For Immediate Release: Dallas DA's Office Announces Indictment of Jeremy Smith in Connection to Hair World Shootings

(Dallas, Texas) – Dallas County Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot announces a Dallas County Grand Jury has returned multiple indictments on Jeremy Smith, 37, charged in connection to shootings allegedly motivated by bias or prejudice against Asian Americans – thus classified under Texas law as a hate crime.

It is alleged that on May 11, 2022, at 2:20 pm, Smith fired a .22 caliber rifle inside of Hair World Salon, located at 2216 Royal Lane in the city of Dallas. 13 shots were fired, three complaining witnesses were hit by the gunfire, and four additional complaining witnesses were threatened as a result of the gunfire. Smith is alleged to have intentionally selected the complainants because of his bias or prejudice against Asian Americans.

Smith was arrested by Dallas Police on May 16, 2022. He remains in the Lew Sterrett Justice Center on bonds totaling \$700,000.

The Dallas County District Attorney's Office presented the cases to the Grand Jury on August 4, 2022. After reviewing the evidence, the Grand Jury found that there was sufficient evidence to find probable cause and to indict Smith for these hate crimes.

The following is the result of their decisions:

- 7 Indictments of Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon
F2275851, F2275852, F2275853, F2275860, F2275861, F2275862, F2275863

Copies of the indictments can be obtained by contacting the Dallas County District Clerk's Office.