

FLORENCE COUNTY PERSONNEL ACTION REQUEST

EMPLOYEE/APPLICANT INFORMATION

Requested Effective Date: 5/10/2022

Fund/Dept./Division/Slot: 010-421-110-080

Employee ID Number: 025839

Name: Bessenger Jonathon C.
(last) (first) (middle)

Address: _____

(city) _____ (state) _____ (zip code) _____

Phone number: (843) _____

Position/Job Classification and Pay Data:

	Present:	Proposed:
Position Title	Deputy Sheriff I	
Class Code	6611	
Pay Grade	18	
Hourly Rate	[REDACTED]	
Annual Salary	[REDACTED]	
Workweek	2220 hrs/yr	
Supplement	n/a	

Exempt/Salaried () Non-Exempt/Hourly ()

HR/Finance Use Only: FLSA Code () Work Comp Code ()

Marital Status/Exemptions: Fed _____ State _____

Additional Withholding: Fed _____ State _____

Retirement _____ Retirement Code _____

Employment status _____

Gender/Race Code _____

Birthdate _____

[Signature] 5.10.22
 Employee/Candidate's Signature Date

* All hires are contingent on successfully passing the required background checks. Personnel actions not final until approved by the County Administrator or designee.

DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW:

Approved (XX) [Signature] 5-10-2022
 Denied () Division Head/Supervisor Date

Approved (XX) [Signature] 05/10/2022
 Denied () Department Head/Elected Official Date

TYPE OF TRANSACTION (check all applicable items):

New Employee () Regular () Probationary ()

New Position () New Slot ()

Part-time () Full-time () End of Probation ()

Temporary/ () Type:
 Provisional () Timeframe: Indefinitely

Transfer () Former Fund/Department/Slot: _____

Other: _____

Request for Salary Change Due to:

Merit () Reclassification () Demotion () Promotion ()

Other ()

Suspension without Pay () Number of Days: _____

Administrative Leave with Pay () without Pay ()

Leave: Type/Timeframe: _____

Remarks: _____

****Documentation must be attached for all salary changes**

Termination Actions (check applicable item):

Resignation w/status () Resignation w/o Status()

Layoff () Retirement () Disciplinary () Probation/Reject ()

Other ()

Additional Remarks: 15.3A (12) See attached 1 (8)

FINAL REVIEW:

Approved () _____

Denied () Human Resources Director Date

Approved () _____

Denied () Finance Director Date

Approved () _____

Denied () County Administrator Date

VERIFICATION:

Human Resources _____ Date

Finance Department _____ Date



FLORENCE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
TJ Joye, Sheriff

MEMO

To: Florence County Human Resources
From: Sheriff T.J. Joye *TJ*
Date: May 10, 2022
Re: Attached Personnel Action Form Chris Bessenger

On the morning of May 10, 2022, the Florence County Sheriff's Office received information of possible criminal activity involving Deputy Chris Bessenger. The matter was immediately referred to FCSO Internal Affairs unit and after a brief interview with Bessenger, the matter was referred to the SC Law Enforcement Division.

This matter is being investigated by the SC Law Enforcement Division.

As a result of the above referenced situation, Chris Bessenger has been terminated from employment with the Florence County Sheriff's Office effective immediately.

It was determined that Bessenger violated Florence County Policies:

15.3A (8) Any action which reflects unfavorably on Florence County.

15.3A (12) Immoral, unlawful or improper conduct or indecency, either on or off the job, which would tend to affect the employee's relationship to his or her job, fellow workers, supervisor, reputation or goodwill in the community.

Please advise if you need further in regard to this matter.

Thank you.