

ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT
Offense Report
INCIDENT NUMBER: 150451816-00
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NARRATIVE

On 02/14/2015, I (Officer R. Carswell 4756X) and (Officer B. Carswell 4592X) while working an approved extra job (extra job case # 150451539) as security detail for Impark -Turner Field, was flagged down by Mr. Paul Ebbs (reporting person). Mr. Ebbs informed myself and Officer B. Carswell that one of his investigators, Nicholas Walton (witness 1) informed him that he did witness Mr. Dean Carden (arrested) insert a instrument (bullhook) into the mouth of one of the Universoul Circus elephants. Mr. Walton stated he witnessed this act at approximately 1:25pm 02/14/2015. Mr. William Mangham (witness 2) who is the Lead Veterinarian at the location stated he did examine the elephant.

Mr. Benjamin Johnson III (arrested) informed me that he is a representative for the Universoul Circus; and Mr. Dean Carden is the person in charge of the elephants care. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Carden were both issued a copy of charges and commanded to Housing Court on February 26, 2015 at 3:00pm.

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