**ORIGINAL** 

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FILED IN OPEN COURT U.S.D.C ATLANTA

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

DEC 1 6 2008

GAINESVILLE DIVISION

JAMES N. HATTEN CLERK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ν.

CRIMINAL INDICTMENT

NO.

DENNIS LAMAR THOMAS

Falciller Vinces

2 08-CR-52

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

## COUNT ONE

On or about October 7, 2008, in the Northern District of Georgia, the defendant, DENNIS LAMAR THOMAS, then being an unlawful user of a controlled substance as defined in 21 U.S.C. Sec. 802, did knowingly possess in and affecting interstate commerce, a firearm, that being: a Smith & Wesson, Model 60,.38 caliber revolver, serial number R271854, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(3).

## COUNT TWO

On or about October 8, 2008, in the Northern District of Georgia, the defendant, DENNIS LAMAR THOMAS, knowingly possessed a destructive device ("firearm"), that is: a grenade body that contained a quantity of explosive powder identified as size FFFg black powder, which was not registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, in violation of Title

26, United States Code, Sections 5822, 5841 and 5861(d).

## FORFEITURE PROVISION

Upon conviction of the offense alleged in this Indictment, that is, a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g), the Defendant shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461, all firearms and ammunition involved in the commission of the offense, including but not limited to the following:

(1) Smith & Wesson, Model 60, Revolver, .38 caliber, serial number R271854.

A TruE

\_ BILL

FOREPERSON

DAVID E. NAHMIAS UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

STEPHANIE GABAY-SMITH

ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

600 U.S. Courthouse

75 Spring Street, S.W.

Atlanta, GA 30303

404/581-6242

Georgia Bar No. 633519