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## MEDIA ALERT FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office and Local Law Enforcement Officials Searching for Murder Suspect

**(CHARLOTTE, NC)** – On Friday, April 14, 2023, the Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) was notified by the Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Office that resident Jaylan Noah Davis, charged with murder and other violent felonies, had been released from custody pursuant to an erroneous court order.

Davis was processed out of Mecklenburg County Detention Center Central (MCDCC) on Thursday, April 13, 2023, based upon a court order indication that the charges against him were dismissed in court that day. The charges, however, were not dismissed, and the court order appears to be a clerical error. Davis, a 25-year-old, 5'10, black male (picture attached) should be considered dangerous and avoided by the public. Should you observe or encounter him please call 911.

"Our deputies and local law enforcement officials are working diligently to locate Mr. Davis and return him to custody. This is an unfortunate situation, but one we hope to rectify as quickly as possible," said Sheriff McFadden.

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