## The Kirjathjearim Lodge No. 104

**Investigation Committee Report** 

## Mr. Douglas Hopson (01-07-1980) of Nashville, TN

Chair: JW L. Jeter Committee: PM J. Callahan, Bro. T. Roberson

Date: 11-13-25 Time: 7:30pm – 8:45pm

Location: Residence Address: 4328 Longfellow Dr. - Nashville, TN 37214

Mr. Hopson completed background check that was clear, attended multiple lodge events (104 Car Wash, Family Day, Blood Drive, Christmas Party, multiple fellowships), requested and completed his petition obtained from PM Rollins, made payment in full for fees and was balloted upon favorably. The Investigation Committee dispatched by WM Agee on 11-6-25 at RSC and met with Mr. Hopson, his wife Kisha Hopson and daughter Chardannae Beamon on 11-13-25 at his residence in Nashville, TN. The single-family rental home was well kept, organized and welcoming. Refreshments were made available to the committee.

The committee met first with Mr. Hopson and his wife Kisha Hopson and daughter Chardannae Beamon. His wife is a long-standing member of the order of the Eastern Star, PHA and Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., business owner and enjoys community service. She expressed her support and desire for him to pursue membership for the purpose of expanding his personal development and joining her in the masonic family. His daughter echoed the same support. Both expressed that they understood the process, has their questions answered and encouraged his continued pursuit of masonry.

Mr. Hopson opened his individual investigation meeting with prayer. He reported that he has been spiritual most of his life and was a pastor for many years. He professes a testimony that God is active in his life, believes in a Deity which he refers to as "God", is currently a practicing Christian and reports Philippians 4:19 as his favorite Bible passage.

He solicited his petition from PM S. Rollins after several years of inquiry. Mr. Hopson has completed a cursory Internet search on masonry, has had extensive discussion with PM Rollins and several of his personal friends within the Order about masonry. He currently has a good fundamental understanding of PHA masonry and freemasonry.

Mr. Hopson reported that becoming a better man for himself as the primary reason why he wants to become a Mason. He believes the structure and fellowship within masonry will be beneficial to him as he aligns himself with likeminded individuals. He expresses that he has a strong desire to give back and serve others as he has been helped by his wife (overcoming challenges of a dysfunctional family as a child and being raised as a foster child). It is also noted that he wishes to be the "Positive Role Model" to his family and community.

He is a full-time business owner of multiple businesses (D&K Luxury Transportation, Talent Management), a transportation driver and a nonprofit owner. He works 7 days a week but as an owner has discretion over his time and is committed to being free for all Lodge meetings and activities.

He lives with his wife of five years (married 11-07-2020) and two youngest children through marriage, son Kameron Rogers age 24 and daughter Chardannae Beamon 22 in a single-family rental home. His eldest daughter also through marriage Jede Rogers 26 resides in Atlanta, GA. He supports all 3 children and 6 grandchildren, accepts them as his own and is active in their lives.

Mr. Hopson describes himself currently as 45, family oriented, hardworking, business owner, non-drinker, non-drug user, published author, handy and a builder, grant writer, studier, former pastor, member of a Christian fraternity, aviation enthusiast, who spends most of his time working, learning or with family. He is active with his non-profit serving and advocating marginalized population and enjoys community service. He suggests his strong work ethic, sense of morality, willingness to share his talents, cooperative collaboration and willingness to learn as his primary assets to the Lodge.

Mr. Hopson also reported that both his wife's and his relationship with the Rollins's have been extremely affirming. PM Rollins has been friends with wife since Lane College, and the two families share a close relationship.

He has attended and participated in the 104 Car Wash, Family Day, Blood Drive, Christmas Party, multiple fellowships and has been in consistent communication with JW Jeter.

Mr. Hopson does not believe that the time or financial considerations will have a negative impact on himself, his profession or his household. He is satisfied that all of his questions have been answered.

**Findings:** Mr. Hopson completed background check that was clear, attended multiple lodge events (104 Car Wash, Family Day, Blood Drive, Christmas Party, multiple fellowships), requested and completed his petition obtained from PM Rollins, made payment in full for fees and was balloted upon favorably. Upon completion and deliberation on the investigation, *the committee finds Mr. Hopson favorable and recommends the body allow him to proceed and the process to take its usual course*.

Fraternally submitted,

PM James E. Callahan III, 33° KYCH, KGT (Scribe)

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JW Lawrence Jeter (Investigation Committee Chair)

SD Tedric Robinson

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