

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : CRIMINAL NO. _____
: :
: DATE FILED: _____
v. : :
: VIOLATIONS:
EDGAR STROUD : :
: 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)
: (distribution of crack cocaine)
: 1 Count
: 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)
: (felon in possession of firearm)
: 1 Count
: 21 U.S.C. § 853
: (notice of forfeiture)

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

1. On or about January 12, 1999 in the City of Philadelphia, within the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

EDGAR STROUD

knowingly distributed a mixture or substance containing a detectible amount of cocaine base (“crack”), a Schedule II narcotic drug controlled substance.

All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1).

COUNT TWO

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

1. On or about January 12, 1999, in the City of Philadelphia, within the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

EDGAR STROUD

having been previously convicted in the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce a firearm, that is, an Omega .32 caliber semi-automatic pistol, serial number 147934, loaded with seven rounds of ammunition.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1).

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

1. The allegations of Counts One and Two of this Indictment are incorporated by reference in this Notice of Forfeiture as if set forth at length below.

2. As a result of the violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a) set forth in Count One of this Indictment, EDGAR STROUD shall forfeit to the United States of America, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, the following property:

A. Any and all interest EDGAR STROUD may have in real or personal property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part to commit or to facilitate the commission of the violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a) set forth in Count One of the Indictment, including but not limited to:

1. an Omega .32 caliber semi-automatic pistol, serial number 147934, loaded with seven rounds of ammunition;

2. \$66.00 in United States currency recovered from EDGAR STROUD on January 12, 1999.

B. Any and all interest of EDGAR STROUD in real and personal property constituting or derived from any proceeds that EDGAR STROUD obtained, directly or indirectly, as a result of the violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a) set forth in Count One of the Indictment.

3. If any of the property described above as being subject to forfeiture, as a result of any act or omission of EDGAR STROUD:

a. Cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;

b. Has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;

- c. Has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court;
- d. Has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. Has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States of America, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other real or personal property of the defendants up to the value of the property listed above as being subject to forfeiture.

All pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

A TRUE BILL:

FOREPERSON

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