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Pickens County Sheriff's Office Charges Easley Man in Self-Inflicted Shooting

The Pickens County Sheriff's Office has completed the investigation into the alleged shooting of an Easley homeowner by an unknown male as the victim allegedly answered a knock at the front door of his residence.

Bradford Harrison Noel notified authorities on December 17, 2016, and advised that he had been shot in the arm when he opened the front door of his home. The incident occurred at 109 Stonewall Farm Rd in Easley at approximately 7:45pm that evening. Deputies arrived on the scene and found Noel to be suffering from a single gunshot wound to the arm characteristic of an injury sustained from a small caliber weapon.

On Thursday, December 29, 2016, the homeowner was charged with *Filing a False Police Report* after detectives determined through the investigation that the wound was self-inflicted and fired from a weapon owned by the homeowner.

Bradford Harrison Noel (38yoa) was arrested at his residence without incident and placed into the Pickens County Detention Facility where he was later released on a \$5000.00 Personal Recog Bond for the following offense:

<u>Charge:</u>	<u>Warrant#:</u>	<u>Arrest Date:</u>
Filing of a False Police Report	2016A3910101414	12-29-16

I have attached a copy of the Arrest Warrant along with a mug shot of Bradford Harrison Noel to this release.

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