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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**MOTHER CHARGED WITH THE DEATH OF HER THREE-YEAR-OLD  
NOW BEING HELD WITHOUT BOND IN MARYLAND**

**ELKTON** – An agreement between the Governors of Delaware and Maryland allowed for Darrian Lynnelle Randle, 31 years old, to be transported from Delaware to Maryland to face charges brought against her for the June 2025 murder of her three-year-old daughter inside the North East home where they lived with Randle’s boyfriend, Cedrick Antoine Britten. The agreement between the Governors allows Randle to face her charges in Maryland prior to facing a Delaware charge of felony false report to law enforcement. The false report in Delaware resulted in the issuance of an Amber Alert for the child which further sparked an investigation in Maryland into the child’s whereabouts.

On September 25, 2025, Randle appeared virtually from the Cecil County Detention Center for her initial appearance in the Circuit Court for Cecil County after she was indicted by a Cecil County Grand Jury. Two of the eleven charges Randle faces are First Degree and Second-Degree Murder. Randle is also charged with Child Abuse First Degree resulting in the death of a child under the age of thirteen. Several of Randle’s charges carry a maximum penalty of life in prison. During the Circuit Court hearing, Judge Robert E. Sentman granted the State’s request for Randle to be held without bond.

Britten, Randle’s boyfriend at the time of the murder, was also charged with crimes related to the child’s death, and he remains incarcerated at the Cecil County Detention Center where he is being held without bond.

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