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MAN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AFTER SHORT STANDOFF

(April 30, 2026) Residents may have seen an increased law enforcement presence at the Georgetown Inn at 600 Church Street this morning. During an attempted warrant service by the US Marshals, assisted by the Georgetown County Sheriff's Office and Georgetown Police, a suspect barricaded himself in his hotel room. The situation was quickly resolved and Lorenzo Griffin was taken into custody on charges out of Horry County. He is charged with Armed Robbery, Assault, Kidnapping, and Felon in Possession of a Weapon and is currently housed in the Georgetown County Detention Center awaiting extradition.