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Former Fulton County Sheriff's Deputy Arrested

Atlanta, GA – Fulton County Sheriff Patrick "Pat" Labat announces the arrest of a former Fulton County Sheriff's Office deputy.

Gloria Franklin, age 30, is accused of failing to provide aid, or request assistance, for an inmate following an incident on February 7, 2023.

She is facing multiple charges including Cruelty to Inmates, Reckless Conduct, Tampering with Evidence, four counts of Violation of Oath by Public Officer and Simple Assault.

Franklin, who began employment with the Fulton County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy Sheriff on May 30, 2018 and demoted to a Detention Officer in 2019. Franklin was arrested on February 28, 2023 and transported to the Fulton County Jail.

"We are all responsible for our actions and if you break the law, you will be held accountable," Sheriff Labat said. "I expect my deputies to hold themselves to a much higher standard. These inexcusable actions simply will not be tolerated."

ABOUT THE FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE: The mission of the Fulton County Sheriff's Office is Service; through laser-focused efforts to protect the citizens of Fulton County with coordinated law enforcement operations, special strategic teams, and community outreach methods. The Sheriff's Office is constitutionally responsible for the security of all courtrooms, executing arrest warrants, and serving civil papers. In addition, the Sheriff's Office is responsible for the administration and operation of the Fulton County Jail.

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