

ARREST WARRANT

2018A1010900241

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [] Municipality of

Charleston

THE STATE against

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr

Address: 1 Hobonny Ln

Charleston, SC 29407-9609

Phone: (843)224-0221 SSN: 248-08-4036

Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 11 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: 004736880

DOB: 11/25/1955 Agency ORI #: SC0100000

Prosecuting Agency: Charleston County Sheriff

Prosecuting Officer: J Bowen - 0784

Offense: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Second degree

Offense Code: 0380

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-15-0405(A)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the

[] County/ [] Municipality of

The accused

is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to

defendant Donald Gresh on 7.23.2018

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions Charleston County Judicial Center 100 Broad Street, Suite 106 Charleston, SC 29401

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) [X] County/ [] Municipality of) Charleston)

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Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003 SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant J Bowen who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Donald Edward Gresh, Jr did within this county and state on or about 7/28/2016 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Second degree

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

See Attached Affidavit

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) [X] County/ [] Municipality of) Charleston)

Affiant's Address 3691 Leeds Avenue North Charleston, SC 29405- Affiant's Telephone (843)202-1700

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 7/28/2016 defendant Donald Edward Gresh, Jr

did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of

[X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston) as set forth below:

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on July 23, 2018 Ellen S. Steinberg (L.S.) Signature of Issuing Judge Ellen Soffar Steinberg Judge Code: 7280

Judge's Address 1720 Sam Rittenberg Blvd, Unit 11 Charleston, SC 29417- Judge's Telephone (843)-76-6-65 x 31

Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [] Municipal [] Circuit

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BAIL set by
Friscilla B. Baldwin

Judge _____
on 7-24-2018
Type and Amount: \$25,00
Name of Surety: _____

PRELIMINARY HEARING held by

Judge _____
on _____
Defendant Attorney: _____
Decision: _____

DISPOSITION before

Judge _____
on _____
by _____
(indicate jury trial, bench trial, plea, nol. pros., etc.)
Disposition: _____
Sentence: _____

JURORS

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AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me, a magistrate of this County, one J. Bowen, who, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

did, within this County and State on or about July 28, 2016, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 2nd Degree
16-15-405**

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on or about **July 28, 2016**, the above named defendant, **Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.**, did commit the offense of violation section **16-15-405** of the South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, **Second Degree Sexual Exploitation Of A Minor**, in that he did willfully, unlawfully, and knowing the character or content of the material, distribute material that contained a visual representation of a minor engaging in sexual activity or appearing in a state of sexually explicit nudity when a reasonable person would infer the purpose of said material is sexual stimulation.

On 10/17/2016 Detective Bowen received referral through the SC Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) task force. This referral gave evidence that a subject located at 864 Savannah Hwy, Charleston, SC had used a peer to peer file sharing network on multiple occasions to distribute files that contained sexually explicit images of children. Two such files had been distributed on July 28, 2016. These files were downloaded by another ICAC investigator as part of a proactive investigation. One file, named 000010.mpg, was a video that depicted a pre-pubescent female, aged approximately 11 to 13, being made to have intercourse with an older male. Another video, named 000018.avi, was a video that depicted a fully nude female child that appeared to be between 11-13 years old. The child appeared to be taking direction on how to pose and touch her own vagina. The camera zoomed in to the child's nude vagina multiple times making it the central focal point of the scene. On 3/14/2018 a search warrant was served at 864 Savannah Hwy. The location is the defendant's business location. The defendant acknowledged ownership of several computers and loose hard drives that were seized from the location. During subsequent forensic processing multiple hundreds of exploitative images were discovered on the defendant's devices that were seized. The defendant confessed to using file trading software and networks. Evidence of the peer to peer file sharing software was discovered on the defendant's computer devices.

This information is known through the investigation of Detective J. Bowen of the Charleston County Sheriff's Office, and of the South Carolina ICAC task force, and he is witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

23 day of July, 2018

Ellen S. Hinberg
Signature of Judge

J. Bowen
Detective J. Bowen
Charleston County Sheriff's Office
3691 Leeds Ave.
North Charleston, SC 29405
843-554-2475

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POWER AMOUNT

\$250,000.00

POWER OF ATTORNEY

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION

126 Seven Farms Drive, Suite 170, Charleston, SC 29492

PSC.250 03209

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: that PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION, a corporation duly authorized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina, does constitute and appoint the below named agent its true and lawful Attorney-In-Fact for it and in its name, place and stead, to execute and deliver for and on its behalf, as surety, a bail bond only.

Authority of such Attorney-In-Fact is limited to appearance bonds. No authority is provided herein for the execution of surety immigration bonds or to guarantee alimony payments, fines, wage law claims or other payments of any kind on behalf of below named defendant. The named agent is appointed only to execute the bond consistent with the terms of this power of attorney. The agent is not authorized to act as agent for receipt of service of process in any criminal or civil action.

This power is void if altered or erased or used in any combination with other powers of attorney of this company or any other company to obtain the release of the defendant named below or to satisfy any bond requirement in excess of the stated face amount of this power. This power can only be used once. The obligation of the company shall not exceed the sum of

Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) DOLLARS

and provided this Power Of Attorney is filed with the bond and retained as a part of the court records. The said Attorney-In-Fact is hereby authorized to insert in this Power Of Attorney the name of the person on whose behalf this bond was given.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer, proper for the purpose and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 24th day of July, 2018.

Bond Amount \$ 105,000.00 Appearance Date 14 September, 2018

Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh

Court Charleston H/S

Case # 2018A1010900237, 2018A1010900236, 2018A1010900238

Case # 2018A1010900239, 2018A1010900240, 2018A1010900241

Case #

County Charleston City Charleston St. SC Zip 29463

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 2nd degree X 3 IVP

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 3rd degree X 3 IVP

Executing Agent [Signature] IVP

Expires MAR 31 2019

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION



[Signature of James B. Willis]

Chief Executive Officer

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American BailBonding, LLC

P.O.Box 71946

Charleston, SC 29415

Phone: (843) 532-1760 Fax: (843) 388-0357

Michael Heyward

DEFENDANT: Donald Croesh

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Michael Heyward

DEFENDANT: _____

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CRIMINAL CHARGING DOCUMENT NO.

**BAIL PROCEEDING
FORM II**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ORDER SPECIFYING METHODS AND CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

v.

DONALD EDWARD GRESH

NAME OF DEFENDANT

Offense Charged: SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 2ND DEGREE X3/SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 3RD DEGREE X3

At a bail proceeding conducted by the undersigned judge, for the defendant named above, it was determined by the court (check one or both):

- The release of the defendant on recognizance will not reasonably assure his appearance as required.
 The release of the defendant on recognizance will result in an unreasonable danger to the community.

This determination was based upon the following findings of fact:

[Considerations: Nature and circumstances of the offense charged, the defendant's family ties, employment, financial resources, character and mental condition, the length of his residence in the community, his record of convictions, and any record of flight to avoid prosecution or failure to appear at other court proceedings.]

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the above named defendant be released from custody on the condition that he will personally appear before the designated court at the place, date and time required to answer the charge made against him and do what shall be ordered by the court and not depart the State without the permission of the court and be of good behavior.
2. That the above named defendant be released from custody provided as follows (check all that apply):

CASH IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledges himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the sum of _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, this sum of money is subject to being forfeited to the State.

CASH PERCENTAGE IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledging himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the full amount of _____, his release to be obtained by payment to the court of _____ % (not to exceed 10%) of the full amount of the bond, deposits _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to perform the conditions of this Order, the full amount shall be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

The defendant will provide good and sufficient surety approved by the court, in the form hereinafter set forth in this Order, acknowledging an indebtedness to the State in the amount of \$105,000.00.

3. That the defendant shall appear at (check one):

the term of COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS beginning on Friday, September 14, 2018 at 2:00 o'clock, P.M. at CHARLESTON COUNTY JUDICIAL CENTER, 100 BROAD STREET, CHARLESTON and remain there throughout that term of court. If no disposition is made during that term, the defendant shall appear and remain throughout each succeeding term of court until final disposition is made of his case, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

the session of _____ beginning on _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ at _____
If no final disposition is made during that session, the defendant shall appear at such other times and places as ordered by the court.

INITIALS OF DEFENDANT

4. That the defendant will notify the court promptly if he changes his address from the one contained in this order and he will comply with those conditions described hereinafter in the Order.

July 24, 2018

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY DEFENDANT

I understand that if I violate any condition of this Order, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

I understand and have been informed that I have a right and obligation to be present at trial and should I fail to attend the court, the trial will proceed in my absence.

It has been explained to me that if I fail to appear before the court as required, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

Form with fields for ADDRESS, CITY/STATE/ZIP, TELEPHONE, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID NUMBER, SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT: DONALD EDWARD GRESH, DATE: July 24, 2018, No Attorney on Record, ATTORNEY REPRESENTING ACCUSED (IF KNOWN)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

a. [] Placement in custody. The defendant is placed in the custody of: NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

Form with fields for ADDRESS, CITY/STATE, ZIP, TELEPHONE, SIGNATURE OF CUSTODIAN (IF APPROVED), DATE

b. [] Restrictions on Travel, Association or Residence. The defendant will comply with each of the following conditions:

c. [] Part-time Release. The defendant will be released from custody from o'clock, to o'clock, on on condition that he return to the custody of at as designated.

d. [] Other Conditions. The defendant will comply with the following other conditions of release: DEFENDANT IS NOT ALLOWED TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THE STATE OF SC, SURRENDER PASSPORT TO ATTORNEY, NO INTERNET ACCESS, (SUPERVISED VISITS ONLY) WITH HIS MINOR CHILDREN.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

On the 24 day of July, 2018, personally appeared before the undersigned judge the surety named below who acknowledged himself indebted to the State of South Carolina, in the sum of 105,000.00, such sum to be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State, should named defendant fail in performing the conditions of this Order.

The surety, being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and free holder within the State and is worth the sum acknowledged and underwritten herein, over all his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of property exempt from execution.

Form with fields for NAME OF SURETY BONDSMAN COMPANY, TELEPHONE, ADDRESS OF SURETY BONDSMAN, CITY/STATE/ZIP, NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANY, ADDRESS OF INSURANCE COMPANY, CITY/STATE/ZIP

Form with fields for SIGNATURE OF SURETY BONDSMAN, SIGNATURE OF JUDGE, DATE

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
vs.
DONALD E. GRESH, JR.,
Defendant

**PROSECUTIVE REQUEST
FOR DISCOVERY &
NOTICE OF DEFENSES**

Warrant No(s):
2018A1010900236 thru -241

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TO: Jerry Theos, Attorney for Defendant

WHEREAS, the State of South Carolina, by and through the Office of the Attorney General, has complied with the Defendant's request for the disclosure of evidence by the prosecution as provided under Rule 5, SCRCrimP, the State requests that the Defendant's attorney make the following immediately available to the Office of the Attorney General for inspection and copying:

- (A) All books, papers, documents, photographs, tangible objects, or copies thereof which are within the possession, custody and control of the defendant and which the defendant intends to introduce in chief at trial.
- (B) The results or reports of physical or mental examinations of scientific tests or experiments made in connection with this case, or copies thereof, within the possession or control of the defendant which the defendant intend to introduce in chief at trial or which were prepared by a witness whom the defendant intends to call at trial where the results or reports relate to his/her testimony.

The State further requests all reciprocal discovery to which it is entitled under Rule 5, the disclosure of which is a continuing duty up to and during trial.

The State also requests pursuant to Rule 5 SCRCrimP., that Defendant furnish the State with notice of:

- (A) an insanity defense;
- (B) an intention to plead guilty but mentally ill;

(C) an intention to offer an alibi defense; or

(D) an intention to offer a necessity defense

to the alleged offenses of **3 counts each** of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 2nd Degree, and Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree, which are alleged to have occurred on or about July 28, 2016 thru March 14, 2018.

If the Defendant intends to offer an alibi defense, please state the specific place or places the Defendant claims to have been at the time of the alleged offense(s) and the names and addresses of the witnesses upon whom the Defendant intends to rely in establishing such alibi.

If the Defendant intends to offer the affirmative defense of necessity, please state the nature of the act or occurrence, which constituted the necessity and the names and addresses of witnesses upon whom the Defendant intends to rely in establishing the defense of necessity.

(State vs. Cole, 403 S.E. 2d 117 (1991)).

Respectfully submitted,

ALAN WILSON
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By: Stephen J. Ryan (SR)
Stephen J. Ryan
Assistant Attorney General

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Columbia, South Carolina

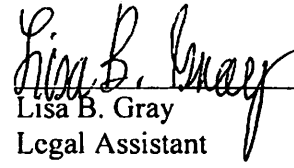
December 11, 2018

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa B. Gray, an employee of the S.C. Attorney General's Office, on behalf of Assistant Attorney General, Stephen J. Ryan, Attorney for the State of South Carolina, do hereby certify that on the 11th day of December, 2018, I served the Attorney for the Defendant with a Request for Discovery and Notice of Defenses, by mailing a copy of same by the United States Mail, with sufficient postage attached to:

Mr. Jerry Theos, Esquire
17 ½ Broad Street
Charleston, South Carolina 29401

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Lisa B. Gray
Legal Assistant

Plea Acknowledgement Sheet

Name of Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

Solicitor Name: Sherrie Butterbaugh, AAG

Defense Counsel Name: Jerry N. Theos Appointed Retained

Plea Offer Accepted Rejected No Offer As Indicted

Total length of time for Guilty Plea: 15 minutes

Pleading to Indictment(s):

Indictment Number(s):

2018A1010900236 - 241

True Bill Waiver

Offense(s):

Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree (2018A1010900240)

Penalty Range(s):

0-10 years, mandatory sex offender registry

Offense(s) to which Defendant is pleading if different:

if penalty is different than Indicted list penalty:

Plea Recommendation: _____

Plea Negotiated: _____

Restitution: Yes No

Term requested for Plea: April 7, 2022 PM list Conflict Dates: _____

Has client agreed to accept this plea Yes No _____

Defense Counsel Signature & Date

Solicitor Signature & Date: s/Sherrie Butterbaugh

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CLERK OF COURT
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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

INDICTMENT/WARRANT STATUS CHANGE FORM
(One Defendant and One Warrant/Indictment per Form)

Name: Donald Edward Gresh, Jr. Indictment #: _____
Race: W Sex: M Warrant Number: 2018A1010900241
Year of Birth: 1955 Case Number: _____

Disposition (Check One)

- Dismissed (4A)
- Nolle Prosequi (4B)

*REASON (4A OR 4B):
plea to other charges

Remanded (7)
Charge: _____
Municipal Court: _____
Magistrate Court: _____
Judge: _____

Failure to Appear (9)
Date Bench Warrant Issued: _____

Trial/Plea Docket Week:

PROSECUTOR'S SIGNATURE: _____ Date: 5/17/2022

PROSECUTOR'S NAME (Typed or Printed): Sherrie Butterbaugh

PROSECUTOR'S TITLE: Assistant Attorney General

CODE:

CLERK OF COURT'S DATE/TIME STAMP:	RECEIVED BY: _____
	DATE: _____

Defense Attorney: Jerry Theos

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(L.S.)

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defendant

on

Donald Gresh 7-23-18

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

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Signature of Issuing Judge Ellen Soffar Steinberg (L.S.)

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Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003 SCCA 518

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WITNESSES



Judge Friscilla B. Baldwin
on 7-24-2018
Type and Amount: \$10,000
Name of Surety: [Signature]

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did, within this County and State on or about March 14, 2018, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree
16-15-410**

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on or about **March 14, 2018**, the above named defendant, **Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.**, did commit the offense of violation section **16-15-410** of the South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, **Third Degree Sexual Exploitation Of A Minor**, in that he did willfully, unlawfully, and knowing the character or content of the material, possess material that contained a visual representation of a minor engaging in sexual activity or appearing in a state of sexually explicit nudity when a reasonable person would infer the purpose is sexual stimulation.

On March 14, 2018, pursuant to an active investigation of Second Degree Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Charleston County Sheriff's Deputies executed a search warrant at 864 Savannah Hwy, Charleston, SC. This address was identified as the business address of the defendant. The defendant acknowledged ownership of several computers and loose hard drives that were seized from the location. During subsequent forensic processing, multiple hundreds of exploitative images were discovered on the defendant's devices that were seized. The defendant had confessed during an interview at the search warrant to using file trading software and networks. Evidence of the peer to peer file sharing software was discovered on the defendant's computer devices. One such file located during the forensic processing was named, "20F2E0D19A47C3CF_1472050429.jpg". This file was a photo that depicted a child, of unknown sex because of a side view, who was approximately 3-4 years old. The child was blindfolded, bent over a small table, and bound to the table by the wrists. A nude adult male is seen inserting his penis into the child from behind.

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Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh

Court Charleston 6/5

Case # 2018A1010900237, 2018A1010900236, 2018A1010900238

Case # 2018A1010900239, 2018A1010900240, 2018A1010900241

Case #

County Charleston City Charleston St. SC Zip 29463

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 2nd degree x 3 IVP

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 3rd degree x 3 IVP

Executing Agent [Signature] IVP

Expires MAR 31 2019

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION



[Signature of James B. Miller]

Chief Executive Officer

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CRIMINAL CHARGING DOCUMENT NO.

**BAIL PROCEEDING
FORM II**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ORDER SPECIFYING METHODS AND CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

v.

DONALD EDWARD GRESH

NAME OF DEFENDANT

Offense Charged: SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 2ND DEGREE X3/SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 3RD DEGREE X3

At a bail proceeding conducted by the undersigned judge, for the defendant named above, it was determined by the court (check one or both):

- The release of the defendant on recognizance will not reasonably assure his appearance as required.
 The release of the defendant on recognizance will result in an unreasonable danger to the community.

This determination was based upon the following findings of fact:

[Considerations: Nature and circumstances of the offense charged, the defendant's family ties, employment, financial resources, character and mental condition, the length of his residence in the community, his record of convictions, and any record of flight to avoid prosecution or failure to appear at other court proceedings.]

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the above named defendant be released from custody on the condition that he will personally appear before the designated court at the place, date and time required to answer the charge made against him and do what shall be ordered by the court and not depart the State without the permission of the court and be of good behavior.
2. That the above named defendant be released from custody provided as follows (check all that apply):

CASH IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledges himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the sum of _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, this sum of money is subject to being forfeited to the State.

CASH PERCENTAGE IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledging himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the full amount of _____, his release to be obtained by payment to the court of _____ % (not to exceed 10%) of the full amount of the bond, deposits _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to perform the conditions of this Order, the full amount shall be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

The defendant will provide good and sufficient surety approved by the court, in the form hereinafter set forth in this Order, acknowledging an indebtedness to the State in the amount of \$105,000.00.

3. That the defendant shall appear at (check one):

the term of COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS beginning on Friday, September 14, 2018 at 2:00 o'clock, P.M. at CHARLESTON COUNTY JUDICIAL CENTER, 100 BROAD STREET, CHARLESTON and remain there throughout that term of court. If no disposition is made during that term, the defendant shall appear and remain throughout each succeeding term of court until final disposition is made of his case, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

the session of _____ beginning on _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ at _____
If no final disposition is made during that session, the defendant shall appear at such other times and places as ordered by the court.

INITIALS OF DEFENDANT



4. That the defendant will notify the court promptly if he changes his address from the one contained in this order and he will comply with those conditions described hereinafter in the Order.

July 24, 2018

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY DEFENDANT

I understand that if I violate any condition of this Order, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

I understand and have been informed that I have a right and obligation to be present at trial and should I fail to attend the court, the trial will proceed in my absence.

It has been explained to me that if I fail to appear before the court as required, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

Form with fields for ADDRESS, CITY/STATE/ZIP, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID NUMBER, SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT: DONALD EDWARD GRESH, DATE: July 24, 2018, No Attorney on Record, ATTORNEY REPRESENTING ACCUSED (IF KNOWN)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

a. [] Placement in custody. The defendant is placed in the custody of: NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

Form with fields for ADDRESS, CITY/STATE, ZIP, TELEPHONE, SIGNATURE OF CUSTODIAN (IF APPROVED), DATE

b. [] Restrictions on Travel, Association or Residence. The defendant will comply with each of the following conditions:

c. [] Part-time Release. The defendant will be released from custody from TIME o'clock, AM/PM to TIME o'clock, AM/PM on DATE(S) on condition that he return to the custody of NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION at LOCATION as designated.

d. [] Other Conditions. The defendant will comply with the following other conditions of release: DEFENDANT IS NOT ALLOWED TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THE STATE OF SC, SURRENDER PASSPORT TO ATTORNEY, NO INTERNET ACCESS, (SUPERVISED VISITS ONLY) WITH HIS MINOR CHILDREN.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

On the 24 day of July, 2018, personally appeared before the undersigned judge the surety named below who acknowledged himself indebted to the State of South Carolina, in the sum of 105,000.00, such sum to be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State, should named defendant fail in performing the conditions of this Order.

The surety, being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and free holder within the State and is worth the sum acknowledged and underwritten herein, over all his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of property exempt from execution.

American Bail Bonding 843532-1760 NAME OF SURETY BONDSMAN COMPANY TELEPHONE

Signature of Surety Bondsman

158 oakview Ln ADDRESS OF SURETY BONDSMAN

Waco, SC 29492 CITY/STATE/ZIP

Signature of Judge: E L Edwards

Palmetto Surety Corp NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANY

DATE: 7.24.18

126 seven Farms Drive suite 170 ADDRESS OF INSURANCE COMPANY

Charleston, SC 29492 CITY/STATE/ZIP

URICCHIO, HOWE, KRELL, JACOBSON, TOPOREK, THEOS & KEITH, P.A.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
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August 31, 2018

Julie J. Armstrong, Clerk of Court
Court of General Sessions
Ninth Judicial Circuit
100 Broad Street
Charleston, South Carolina 29401

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BY 

RE: State of South Carolina v. Donald E. Gresh, Jr.
Date of Arrest: July 23, 2018
Warrant Number: 2018A1010900236 - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor (2nd Degree)
2018A1010900237 - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor (2nd Degree)
2018A1010900238 - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor (3rd Degree)
2018A1010900239 - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor (3rd Degree)
2018A1010900240 - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor (3rd Degree)

Dear Julie:

Enclosed please find Brady and General Discovery motions for filing in the above-referenced matter. Please return three filed copies in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided.

By copy of this letter, I am furnishing a copy of these motions to Stephen Ryan, Assistant Attorney General.

Sincerely,

URICCHIO, HOWE, KRELL, JACOBSON,
TOPOREK, THEOS & KEITH, P.A.

Jerry N. Theos 

JNT/jsh

Enclosures

cc: Stephen Ryan, Assistant Attorney General

Plea Acknowledgement Sheet

Name of Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

Solicitor Name: Sherrie Butterbaugh, AAG

Defense Counsel Name: Jerry N. Theos Appointed Retained

Plea Offer Accepted Rejected No Offer As Indicted

Total length of time for Guilty Plea: 15 minutes

Pleading to Indictment(s):

Indictment Number(s):

2018A1010900236-241

True Bill Waiver

Offense(s):

Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree (2018A1010900240)

Penalty Range(s):

0-10 years, mandatory sex offender registry

Offense(s) to which Defendant is pleading if different:

If penalty is different than indicted list penalty:

Plea Recommendation: _____

Plea Negotiated: _____

Restitution: Yes No

Term requested for Plea: April 7, 2022 PM list Conflict Dates: _____

Has client agreed to accept this plea Yes No _____

Defense Counsel Signature & Date

Solicitor Signature & Date: s/Sherrie Butterbaugh

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BY [Signature]

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON) IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

State of South Carolina,

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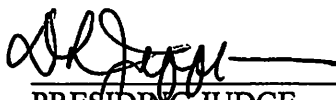
v.

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.,
Defendant.

CONSENT ORDER FOR FORFEITURE
OF SEIZED EQUIPMENT

As part of his guilty plea to Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree, S.C. Code Ann. § 16-15-410, on April 7, 2022, Defendant acknowledges the items on the following page seized by the Charleston County Sheriff's Office to be instrumentalities of the crimes committed. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 16-15-445(A), the State may seek forfeiture of such equipment in the court where a conviction for Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree, is obtained. By his signature below, Defendant acknowledges he owns the seized items and no third party has a property interest in them. Defendant also acknowledges the State's authority to move for forfeiture of the items, and consents to the transfer of ownership of such equipment to the seizing law enforcement agency, the Charleston County Sheriff's Office.

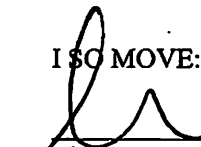
Therefore, it is ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED the seized electronic equipment is forfeited to the Charleston County Sheriff's Office for destruction, or for the use of that agency in the performance of its duties.



PRESIDING JUDGE
Ninth Judicial Circuit

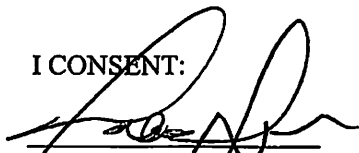
April 7, 2022
Charleston, South Carolina

I SO MOVE:



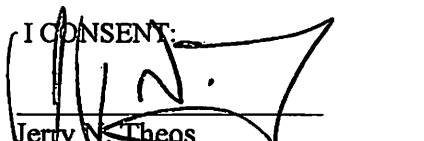
Sherrie Butterbaugh
Assistant Attorney General

I CONSENT:



Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.
Defendant

I CONSENT:



Jerry N. Theos
Attorney for Defendant

ITEMS FOR FORFEITURE

Seagate Barracuda 2 TB hard drive, s/n 9WM03PF6;
Seagate Barracuda 500 GB hard drive, s/n Z2AL5DDH;
Seagate Desktop 3 TB hard drive, s/n W500FS5L;
Dell FD-05PUB floppy, s/n 19308803-74;
Toshiba 1 TB external hard drive, s/n 774FTXGMTTT1;
Toshiba 1 TB hard drive, s/n 953JW5VCT;
Samsung 320 GB hard drive, s/n S25WJ9FZ825546;
HGST 750 GB hard drive, s/n 131120JD13021X0R392K;
Kingston Hyper X 120 GB SSD drive, s/n 50026B721C061218;
HGST 500 GB hard drive, s/n 130304TM8512ZJDGZGP;
Stickbuilt desktop computer with SanDisk 240 GB SSD drive, s/n 174786802584;
Dell XPS with Toshiba 512 GB NVMe drive, s/n 37CB709XKSHU

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Charleston

STATE

VS.

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2022-GS-10-02254

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

A/W#: 2018A1010900240

AKA: _____

Date of Offense: 3/14/2018

Race: W Sex: M Age: lol

S.C. Code §: 16-15-410(A)

DOB: 11/25/1955 SS#: 248-08-4036

CDR Code #: 0381

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

DL#* SC 004736880 SID# _____

SENTENCE SHEET

*CDL Yes No CMV Yes No Hazmat Yes No

In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was CONVICTED OF or PLEADS

TO: Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree

In violation of § 16-15-410(A) of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0381

NON-VIOLENT VIOLENT SERIOUS MOST SERIOUS Mandatory GPS § 17-25-45
(CSC w/minor 1st or CSC w/minor 3rd)

The charge is: As indicted, Lesser Included Offense, Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury. _____ (def.'s initials)

The plea is: Without Negotiations or Recommendation, Negotiated Sentence, Recommendation by the State.

ATTEST:

[Signature] 101477 [Signature] 5518
Assistant Attorney General SC Bar # Defendant Attorney for Defendant SC Bar #

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the State Department of Correction County Detention Center,

for a determinate term of _____ days/months/years/Time Served Youthful Offender Act not to exceed _____ years

and/or to pay a fine of \$_____; provided that upon the service of _____ days/months/years/Time Served and or payment

of \$_____; plus costs and assessments as applicable*; the balance is suspended with probation for _____

months/years and subject to South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services standard conditions of probation, which are incorporated by reference.

The sentence shall run

CONCURRENT or CONSECUTIVE to sentence on: _____

The Defendant is to be given credit for time served pursuant to S.C. Code § 24-13-40 to be calculated and applied by SCDOC. _____ days/months

To include time spent on monitored house arrest prior to trial and sentencing.

The Defendant Shall be Released from County Detention Center.

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 922 and § 16-25-30 it is unlawful for a person convicted of a violation of § 16-25-20 or § 16-25-65 (Domestic Violence) to ship, transport, possess, or receive a firearm or ammunition.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- PTUP** after _____ months/years
And Other Terms Listed Below:
- Substance Abuse Counseling Completion of GED Random Drug/Alcohol Testing
- Attend Voc. Rehab. Or Job Corp No Contact with Victim Domestic Violence Intervention Program
- Mental Health Counseling May serve W/E beginning: _____
- Sex Offender Registry pursuant to S.C. Code § 23-3-430 Public Service Employment _____ days/hours
- Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect pursuant to S.C. Code § 17-25-135.
- Other: _____

RESTITUTION: **Deferred** **Def. Waives Hearing** **Ordered**

Total \$ _____ plus 20% fee: _____ \$ _____

Payment Terms: _____ Set by SCDPPPS

Recipient: _____

*Fine:		\$	_____
Fine may be pd. in equal consecutive weekly/monthly pmts. of	\$	_____	Beginning _____
§14-1-206 (Assessments 107.5%)		\$	_____
§14-1-211 (A)(1)(Conv. Surcharge)		\$100	_____
§14-1-211 (A)(2)(DUI Surcharge)		\$100	_____
§56-5-2995 (DUI Assessment)		\$12	_____
§56-1-286 (DUI Breath Test)		\$25	_____
§14-1-212 (Law Enforce. Funding)		\$25	_____
§14-1-213 (Drug Court Surcharge)		\$150	_____
§34-11-70(b)and(c), and 34-11-90(c)and(d) (Admin Fraud Check Court Costs)		\$41	_____
§50-21-114 (BUI Breath Test Fee)		\$50	_____
§56-5-2942(J) (Vehicle Assessment)		\$40/ea	_____
3% to County (if paid in installments)		TBD	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointed PD or appointed other counsel, Proviso requires \$500 be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees		\$500	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> § 17-3-30(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund		TBD	_____
	TOTAL	\$	_____

Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk: James Malone Presiding Judge: _____
 Court Reporter: Karen Ambrozuski Judge Code: 2128
 Sentence Date: _____

WITNESSES
Inv. Jason Bowen – Charleston Co. Sheriff's Office

ARREST WARRANT NUMBER
2018A1010900240

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Foreperson of Grand Jury
Date:

VERDICT

Foreperson of Petit Jury
Date:

DOCKET NO. 2022-GS-10-02254

The State of South Carolina
County of Charleston

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
April 2022 TERM

THE STATE
vs.
DONALD EDWARD GRESH, JR
D.O.B. 11/25/1955

Indictment for
SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR,
THIRD DEGREE

SC Code: 16-15-410(A)
CDR Code: 0381

After being fully advised as to my legal rights, I hereby waive presentment to the Grand Jury.

Defendant

I hereby appear in my own proper person and plead guilty to the within indictment or to

Defendant

Witness:
C.C.C. PLS. AND G.S.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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)
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON)

INDICTMENT

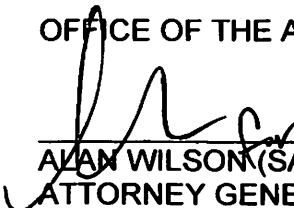
**SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR,
THIRD DEGREE**

At a Court of General Sessions, convened on April, 2022, the
Grand Jurors of Charleston County present upon their oath:

That Donald Edward Gresh, Jr., did in Charleston County, on or about March 14, 2018, willfully and knowingly commit the crime of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree. To wit: Donald Edward Gresh, Jr., while knowing the character or content of the material, did possess, a file named "20F2E0D19A47C3CF_1472050429.jpg" on a digital device that contains a visual representation of a minor engaging in sexual activity or depicted in a state of sexually explicit nudity, in Charleston County, as defined by South Carolina Code Section 16-15-375(5) and 16-15-375(6), in direct violation of Section 16-15-410(A) of the South Carolina Code of Laws (1976), as amended.

Against the peace and dignity of the State, and contrary to the statute in such case made and provided.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL


ALAN WILSON (SAB)
ATTORNEY GENERAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSSIONS
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON) NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
) INDICTMENT NO. 2022-GS-10-02254
) WARRANT NO. 2018A1010900240
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
))
VS.)
))
Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.) EVALUATION ORDER
))
DEFENDANT.)

Presiding Judge: Hon. Deadra L. Jefferson
State's Attorney: Sherrie Butterbaugh, Esq.
Defendant's Attorney: Jerry N. Theos, Esq.
Date of Hearing: April 7, 2022
Court Reporter: Karen Ambroziak

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On or about March 24, 2018, pursuant to an active investigation of Second Degree Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Charleston County Sheriff's Deputies executed a search warrant at 864 Savannah Hwy, Charleston, SC, which was identified as the business address of the Defendant. The Defendant acknowledged ownership of several computers and loose hard drives that were seized from the location. During subsequent forensic processing, multiple hundreds¹ of exploitative images were discovered on the Defendant's devices that were seized. The Defendant had confessed during an interview at the search warrant to using file trading software and networks as well as IP Vanish software to avoid detection. Evidence of the peer to peer file sharing software was discovered on the Defendant's computer devices. One such file located during the forensic processing was named, "20F2E0D19A47C3CF_1472050429.jpg". This file was one of many graphic photo images depicting children with adults and animals. The Defendant was arrested on July 23, 2018 and charged with Sexual Exploitation of a minor, Third Degree. On July 24, 2018, Judge Priscilla B. Baldwin set a \$10,000 surety bond on the above captioned charge with the following conditions: "Defendant is not allowed to travel outside the State of SC, surrender passport to attorney, no internet access, (supervised visits only) with his minor children."² The Defendant bonded out on the above captioned charge on July 24, 2018.

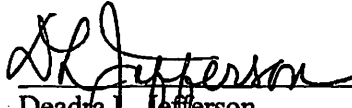
The Defendant entered a plea of guilty on April 7, 2022 to the charge of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor in the third degree,³ and is currently awaiting sentencing. The Court has elected to defer sentencing. Prior to issuing sentence, the Court has requested an evaluation be performed by Donna Maddox, M.D. in order to determine the appropriate disposition of the Defendant's sentence. According to Standard 14-3.3, Pleas of Guilty, Responsibilities of the Trial Judge (b), "[i]f a plea agreement has been reached by the parties which contemplates the granting of a charge or sentence concessions by the judge, the judge should: (i) order the preparation of a preplea or presentence report, when needed for determining the appropriate disposition; . . ." Harden v. State, 276 S.C. 249, 254, 277 S.E.2d 692, 694 (1981). Therefore, it is hereby:

ORDERED, AJUDGED, AND DECREED, that the above-named Defendant, Donald

¹ Approximately 1900 images were discovered. The average is 400-500 images.
² The Defendant and his wife have a twelve and fourteen year old female residing in the residence.
³ On May 17, 2022, pursuant to the Defendant's April 7, 2022 guilty plea, the State dismissed the following charges: Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900236); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900237); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree (2018A1010900238); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree (2018A1010900239); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900241).

Edward Gresh, Jr., shall submit to an Evaluation to be performed by Donna Maddox, M.D. Upon completion of the evaluation Dr. Maddox shall submit her report and findings to the Court and counsel.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED!



Deadra L. Jefferson
Chief Administrative Judge
General Sessions
Ninth Judicial Circuit

Charleston, South Carolina
July 19, 2022

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Charleston

STATE

VS.

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2022-GS-10-02854

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

A/W#: 2018A1010900240

AKA: _____

Date of Offense: 3/14/2018

Race: W Sex: M Age: 66

S.C. Code §: 16-15-410(A)

DOB: 11/25/1955 SS#: 248-08-4036

CDR Code #: 0381

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

DL#* SC 004736880 SID# _____

SENTENCE SHEET

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ATTEST:

[Signature] 101477 [Signature] 5513
Assistant Attorney General SC Bar # Defendant Attorney for Defendant SC Bar #

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the State Department of Correction County Detention Center,

for a determinate term of 7 days/months/years/Time Served Youthful Offender Act not to exceed _____ years

and/or to pay a fine of \$ _____; provided that upon the service of 1 days/months/years/Time Served and or payment of \$ _____; plus costs and assessments as applicable*; the balance is suspended with probation for 5

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- Random Drug/Alcohol Testing
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- Domestic Violence Intervention Program
- Mental Health Counseling *strict compliance and all medications*
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- Public Service Employment _____ days/hours
- Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect pursuant to S.C. Code § 17-25-135.

Other: No contact with victim unsupervised. Continued treatment with Dr. James Martin.
Zero tolerance for non-compliance with financial obligations.

RESTITUTION: Deferred Def. Waives Hearing Ordered

Total \$ _____ plus 20% fee: _____ \$ _____

Payment Terms: _____ Set by SCDPPPS

Recipient: _____

*Fine:		\$	_____
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§50-21-114 (BUI Breath Test Fee)	\$50	\$	_____
§56-5-2942(J) (Vehicle Assessment)	\$40/ea	\$	_____
3% to County (if paid in installments)	TBD	\$	3.75
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointed PD or appointed other counsel, Proviso requires \$500 be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees	\$500	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> § 17-3-30(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund	TBD	\$	_____
	TOTAL	\$	128.75

Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk: James Milonel / Cherale Gray
 Court Reporter: Karen Ambrosek / Carissa Johnson
 Presiding Judge: Dr. Jeff
 Judge Code: 2128
 Sentence Date: 4/11/23
Sentence imposed

AA plea qualified April 7, 2022. Sentence deferred.
Dr. Jeff - 2128 April 7, 2022.

ARREST WARRANT

2018A1010900239

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

[X] County/ [] Municipality of

Charleston

THE STATE against

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr

Address: 1 Hobonny Ln Charleston, SC 29407-9609

Phone: (843)224-0221 SSN: 248-08-4036 Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 11 Weight: 230 DL State: SC DL #: 004736880 DOB: 11/25/1955 Agency ORI #: SC0100000 Prosecuting Agency: Charleston County Sheriff Prosecuting Officer: J Bowen - 0784 Offense: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Third degree

Offense Code: 0381 Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-15-0410(A)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the [] County/ [] Municipality of The accused is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Donald Gresh on 7-23-18

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions Charleston County Judicial Center 100 Broad Street, Suite 106 Charleston, SC 29401

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA [X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston

AFFIDAVIT

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Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003 SCCA 518

Personally appeared before me the affiant J Bowen who being duly sworn deposes and says that defendant Donald Edward Gresh, Jr did within this county and state on or about 3/14/2018 violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston) in the following particulars:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Third degree

I further state that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime set forth and that probable cause is based on the following facts:

See Attached Affidavit

Signature of Affiant

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA [X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston

Affiant's Address 3691 Leeds Avenue North Charleston, SC 29405- Affiant's Telephone (843)202-1700

ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

It appearing from the above affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that

on or about 3/14/2018 defendant Donald Edward Gresh, Jr did violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina (or ordinance of [X] County/ [] Municipality of Charleston) as set forth below:

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Third degree

Having found probable cause and the above affiant having sworn before me, you are empowered and directed to arrest the said defendant and bring him or her before me forthwith to be dealt with according to law. A copy of this Arrest Warrant shall be delivered to the defendant at the time of its execution, or as soon thereafter as is practicable

Sworn to and subscribed before me on 7/23/2018 Judge's Address 1720 Sam Rittenberg Blvd, Unit 11 Charleston, SC 29417- Judge's Telephone (843)-76-6-65 x 31 Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [] Municipal [] Circuit

Signature of Issuing Judge Ellen Soffar Steinberg (L.S.) Judge Code: 7280

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BAIL set by

Judge Friscilla B. Baldwin
on 7-24-2018
Type and Amount: \$10,000
Name of Surety: [Signature]

PRELIMINARY HEARING held by

Judge _____
on _____
Defendant Attorney: _____

Decision: _____

DISPOSITION before

Judge _____
on _____
by _____
(indicate jury trial, bench trial, plea, nol. pros., etc.)

Disposition: _____
Sentence: _____

JURORS

WITNESSES

Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

OCA# 2016-016417
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AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me, a magistrate of this County, one J. Bowen, who, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

did, within this County and State on or about March 14, 2018, violate the criminal laws of the State of South Carolina in the following particulars:

**Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree
16-15-410**

The affiant states that there is probable cause to believe that the defendant named above did commit the crime(s) set forth, and that such probable cause is based on the following facts:

That on or about **March 14, 2018**, the above named defendant, **Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.**, did commit the offense of violation section **16-15-410** of the South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976 as amended, **Third Degree Sexual Exploitation Of A Minor**, in that he did willfully, unlawfully, and knowing the character or content of the material, possess material that contained a visual representation of a minor engaging in sexual activity or appearing in a state of sexually explicit nudity when a reasonable person would infer the purpose is sexual stimulation.

On March 14, 2018, pursuant to an active investigation of Second Degree Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Charleston County Sheriff's Deputies executed a search warrant at 864 Savannah Hwy, Charleston, SC. This address was identified as the business address of the defendant. The defendant acknowledged ownership of several computers and loose hard drives that were seized from the location. During subsequent forensic processing, multiple hundreds of exploitative images were discovered on the defendant's devices that were seized. The defendant had confessed during an interview at the search warrant to using file trading software and networks. Evidence of the peer to peer file sharing software was discovered on the defendant's computer devices. One such file located during the forensic processing was named, "31B7878A07324642_1471631632.jpg". This file was a photo that depicted a child, of unknown sex because of a side / rear view, who was approximately 3-4 years old. The child was bent over a piece of furniture and bound to the furniture by the ankles. A nude adult male is seen inserting his penis into the child from behind while holding down on the child's back.

This information is known through the investigation of Detective J. Bowen of the Charleston County Sheriff's Office, and of the South Carolina ICAC task force, and he is witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

23 day of July, 2018

Allen S. Heimberg
Signature of Judge

J. Bowen
Detective J. Bowen
Charleston County Sheriff's Office
3691 Leeds Ave.
North Charleston, SC 29405
843-554-2475

THE FACE OF THIS DOCUMENT HAS A COLORED SECURITY BACKGROUND AND MICROPRINTING

POWER AMOUNT

\$250,000.00

POWER OF ATTORNEY

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION

126 Seven Farms Drive, Suite 170, Charleston, SC 29492

PSC 250 03209

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: that PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION, a corporation duly authorized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina, does constitute and appoint the below named agent its true and lawful Attorney-In-Fact for it and in its name, place and stead, to execute and deliver for and on its behalf, as surety, a bail bond only.

Authority of such Attorney-In-Fact is limited to appearance bonds. No authority is provided herein for the execution of surety immigration bonds or to guarantee alimony payments, fines, wage law claims or other payments of any kind on behalf of below named defendant. The named agent is appointed only to execute the bond consistent with the terms of this power of attorney. The agent is not authorized to act as agent for receipt of service of process in any criminal or civil action.

This power is void if altered or erased or used in any combination with other powers of attorney of this company or any other company to obtain the release of the defendant named below or to satisfy any bond requirement in excess of the stated face amount of this power. This power can only be used once. The obligation of the company shall not exceed the sum of

Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) DOLLARS

and provided this Power Of Attorney is filed with the bond and retained as a part of the court records. The said Attorney-In-Fact is hereby authorized to insert in this Power Of Attorney the name of the person on whose behalf this bond was given.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer, proper for the purpose and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 24th day of July 2018

Bond Amount \$ 105,000.00 Appearance Date 14, September, 2018

Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh

Court Charleston H/S

Case # 2018A1010900237, 2018A1010900236, 2018A1010900238

Case # 2018A1010900239, 2018A1010900240, 2018A1010900241

Case #

County Charleston City Charleston St. SC Zip 29463

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 2nd degree X 3 IVP

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 3rd degree X 3 IVP

Executing Agent [Signature] IVP

Expires MAR 31 2019

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION



[Signature of James B. Weller]

Chief Executive Officer

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BY

American BailBonding, LLC

P.O.Box 71946

Charleston, SC 29415

Phone: (843) 532-1760 Fax: (843) 388-0357

Michael Heyward

DEFENDANT: Donald Croesh

American BailBonding, LLC

P.O.Box 71946

Charleston, SC 29415

Phone: (843) 532-1760 Fax: (843) 388-0357

Michael Heyward

DEFENDANT: _____

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CRIMINAL CHARGING DOCUMENT NO.

**BAIL PROCEEDING
FORM II**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ORDER SPECIFYING METHODS AND CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

v.

DONALD EDWARD GRESH

NAME OF DEFENDANT

Offense Charged: SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 2ND DEGREE X3/SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 3RD DEGREE X3

At a bail proceeding conducted by the undersigned judge, for the defendant named above, it was determined by the court (check one or both):

- The release of the defendant on recognizance will not reasonably assure his appearance as required.
 The release of the defendant on recognizance will result in an unreasonable danger to the community.

This determination was based upon the following findings of fact:

[Considerations: Nature and circumstances of the offense charged, the defendant's family ties, employment, financial resources, character and mental condition, the length of his residence in the community, his record of convictions, and any record of flight to avoid prosecution or failure to appear at other court proceedings.]

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the above named defendant be released from custody on the condition that he will personally appear before the designated court at the place, date and time required to answer the charge made against him and do what shall be ordered by the court and not depart the State without the permission of the court and be of good behavior.
2. That the above named defendant be released from custody provided as follows (check all that apply):

CASH IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledges himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the sum of _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, this sum of money is subject to being forfeited to the State.

CASH PERCENTAGE IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledging himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the full amount of _____, his release to be obtained by payment to the court of _____ % (not to exceed 10%) of the full amount of the bond, deposits _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to perform the conditions of this Order, the full amount shall be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

The defendant will provide good and sufficient surety approved by the court, in the form hereinafter set forth in this Order, acknowledging an indebtedness to the State in the amount of \$105,000.00.

3. That the defendant shall appear at (check one):

the term of COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS beginning on Friday, September 14, 2018 at 2:00 o'clock, P.M. at CHARLESTON COUNTY JUDICIAL CENTER, 100 BROAD STREET, CHARLESTON and remain there throughout that term of court. If no disposition is made during that term, the defendant shall appear and remain throughout each succeeding term of court until final disposition is made of his case, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

the session of _____ beginning on _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ at _____
If no final disposition is made during that session, the defendant shall appear at such other times and places as ordered by the court.

INITIALS OF DEFENDANT



4. That the defendant will notify the court promptly if he changes his address from the one contained in this order and he will comply with those conditions described hereinafter in the Order.

July 24, 2018

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY DEFENDANT

I understand that if I violate any condition of this Order, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

I understand and have been informed that I have a right and obligation to be present at trial and should I fail to attend the court, the trial will proceed in my absence.

It has been explained to me that if I fail to appear before the court as required, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

ADDRESS		SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT: DONALD EDWARD GRESH	
CITY/STATE/ZIP		July 24, 2018	DATE
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER		No Attorney on Record	
DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID NUMBER		ATTORNEY REPRESENTING ACCUSED (IF KNOWN)	

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

a. Placement in custody. The defendant is placed in the custody of: _____
NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

ADDRESS	CITY/STATE	ZIP	TELEPHONE
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who agrees (1) to supervise the defendant as set forth by the court, (2) to use every effort to assure the appearance of the defendant at all scheduled hearings before the court, and (3) to notify the court immediately in the event the defendant violates any conditions of his release or disappears.

SIGNATURE OF CUSTODIAN (IF APPROVED)

DATE

b. Restrictions on Travel, Association or Residence. The defendant will comply with each of the following conditions:

c. Part-time Release. The defendant will be released from custody from _____ o'clock, _____ to _____ o'clock, _____
on _____ on condition that he return to the custody of _____
at _____ as designated.

TIME AM/PM TIME AM/PM

DATE(S) NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

LOCATION

d. Other Conditions. The defendant will comply with the following other conditions of release: **DEFENDANT IS NOT ALLOWED TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THE STATE OF SC, SURRENDER PASSPORT TO ATTORNEY, NO INTERNET ACCESS, (SUPERVISED VISITS ONLY) WITH HIS MINOR CHILDREN.**

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

On the 24 day of July, 2018, personally appeared before the undersigned judge the surety named below who acknowledged himself indebted to the State of South Carolina, in the sum of 105,000.00, such sum to be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State, should named defendant fail in performing the conditions of this Order.

The surety, being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and free holder within the State and is worth the sum acknowledged and underwritten herein, over all his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of property exempt from execution.

American Bail Bonding
NAME OF SURETY BONDSMAN COMPANY

843.532-1760
TELEPHONE

158 oakview Ln
ADDRESS OF SURETY BONDSMAN

Wando, SC 29492
CITY/STATE/ZIP

Palmetto Surety Corp
NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANY

126 Seven Farms Drive suite 170
ADDRESS OF INSURANCE COMPANY

Charleston, SC 29492
CITY/STATE/ZIP

[Signature]
SIGNATURE OF SURETY BONDSMAN

[Signature]
SIGNATURE OF JUDGE:

7.24.18
DATE



OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

INDICTMENT/WARRANT STATUS CHANGE FORM
(One Defendant and One Warrant/Indictment per Form)

Name: Donald Edward Gresh, Jr. Indictment #: _____

Race: W Sex: M Warrant Number: 2018A1010900239

Year of Birth: 1955 Case Number: _____

Disposition (Check One)

Dismissed (4A)

Nolle Prosequi (4B)

*REASON (4A OR 4B):

plea to other charges

Remanded (7)

Charge: _____

Municipal Court: _____

Magistrate Court: _____

Judge: _____

Failure to Appear (9)

Date Bench Warrant Issued: _____

Trial/Plea Docket Week:

PROSECUTOR'S SIGNATURE: [Signature] Date: 5/17/2022

PROSECUTOR'S NAME (Typed or Printed): Sherrie Butterbaugh

PROSECUTOR'S TITLE: Assistant Attorney General

CODE:

CLERK OF COURT'S DATE/TIME STAMP:	RECEIVED BY: _____
	DATE: _____

Defense Attorney: Jerry Theos

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ARREST WARRANT

2018A1010900240

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County/ Municipality of

Charleston

THE STATE against

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr

Address: 1 Hobonny Ln

Charleston, SC 29407-9609

Phone: (843)224-0221 SSN: 248-08-4036

Sex: M Race: W Height: 5 11 Weight: 230

DL State: SC DL #: 004736880

DOB: 11/25/1955 Agency ORI #: SC0100000

Prosecuting Agency: Charleston County Sheriff

Prosecuting Officer: J Bowen - 0784

Offense: Sex / Sexual exploitation of a minor, Third degree

Offense Code: 0381

Code/Ordinance Sec: 16-15-0410(A)

This warrant is CERTIFIED FOR SERVICE in the County/ Municipality of The accused is to be arrested and brought before me to be dealt with according to the law.

(L.S.)

Signature of Judge

Date:

RETURN

A copy of this arrest warrant was delivered to defendant Donald Gresh on 7-23-18

Signature of Constable/Law Enforcement Officer

RETURN WARRANT TO:

General Sessions Charleston County Judicial Center 100 Broad Street, Suite 106 Charleston, SC 29401

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA County/ Municipality of Charleston

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Form Approved by S.C. Attorney General April 21, 2003 SCCA 518

AFFIDAVIT

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Signature of Affiant

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ARREST WARRANT

TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR MUNICIPALITY OR ANY CONSTABLE OF THIS COUNTY:

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on 7/23/2018 Signature of Issuing Judge Ellen Soffar Steinberg Judge Code: 7280

Judge's Address 1720 Sam Rittenberg Blvd, Unit 11 Charleston, SC 29417- Judge's Telephone (843)-76-6-65 x 31

Issuing Court: [X] Magistrate [] Municipal [] Circuit

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BAIL set by

WITNESSES

Judge Friscilla B. Baldwin
on 7-24-2018
Type and Amount: \$10,000
Name of Surety: _____

Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____



PRELIMINARY HEARING held by

Judge _____
on _____
Defendant Attorney: _____
Decision: _____

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DISPOSITION before

Judge _____
on _____
by _____
(indicate jury trial, bench trial, plea, nol. pros., etc.)

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BY _____

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

OCA# 2016-016417

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Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

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16-15-410**

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This information is known through the investigation of Detective J. Bowen of the Charleston County Sheriff's Office, and of the South Carolina ICAC task force, and he is witness to prove the same against the form of the statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

23 day of July, 2018

Wm. S. Steinbock
Signature of Judge

J. Bowen
Detective J. Bowen
Charleston County Sheriff's Office
3691 Leeds Ave.
North Charleston, SC 29405
843-554-2475

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POWER AMOUNT

\$250,000.00

POWER OF ATTORNEY

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION

126 Seven Farms Drive, Suite 170, Charleston, SC 29492

PSC.250 03209

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and provided this Power Of Attorney is filed with the bond and retained as a part of the court records. The said Attorney-In-Fact is hereby authorized to insert in this Power Of Attorney the name of the person on whose behalf this bond was given.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer proper for the purpose and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 24th day of July 2018

Bond Amount \$ 105,000.00 Appearance Date 14 September 2018

Defendant: Donald Edward Gresh

Court Charleston S/S

Case # 2018A1010900237, 2018A1010900236, 2018A1010900238

Case # 2018A1010900239, 2018A1010900240, 2018A1010900241

Case #

County Charleston City Charleston St. SC Zip 29463

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 2nd degree X 3 IVP

Offense Sexual exploitation of a minor 3rd degree X 3 IVP

Executing Agent Michael H. [Signature] IVP

Expires MAR 31 2019

PALMETTO SURETY CORPORATION



[Signature of James B. Weller]

Chief Executive Officer

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DEFENDANT: Donald Croesh

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Michael Heyward

DEFENDANT: _____

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CRIMINAL CHARGING DOCUMENT NO.

**BAIL PROCEEDING
FORM II**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ORDER SPECIFYING METHODS AND CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

v.

DONALD EDWARD GRESH
NAME OF DEFENDANT

Offense Charged: SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 2ND DEGREE X3/SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR 3RD DEGREE X3

At a bail proceeding conducted by the undersigned judge, for the defendant named above, it was determined by the court (check one or both):

- The release of the defendant on recognizance will not reasonably assure his appearance as required.
 The release of the defendant on recognizance will result in an unreasonable danger to the community.

This determination was based upon the following findings of fact:

[Considerations: Nature and circumstances of the offense charged, the defendant's family ties, employment, financial resources, character and mental condition, the length of his residence in the community, his record of convictions, and any record of flight to avoid prosecution or failure to appear at other court proceedings.]

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the above named defendant be released from custody on the condition that he will personally appear before the designated court at the place, date and time required to answer the charge made against him and do what shall be ordered by the court and not depart the State without the permission of the court and be of good behavior.
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The defendant, acknowledges himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the sum of _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, this sum of money is subject to being forfeited to the State.

CASH PERCENTAGE IN LIEU OF BOND

The defendant, acknowledging himself to be indebted to the State of South Carolina in the full amount of _____, his release to be obtained by payment to the court of _____ % (not to exceed 10%) of the full amount of the bond, deposits _____ to secure his release from custody. Should the defendant fail to perform the conditions of this Order, the full amount shall be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State.

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

The defendant will provide good and sufficient surety approved by the court, in the form hereinafter set forth in this Order, acknowledging an indebtedness to the State in the amount of \$105,000.00.

3. That the defendant shall appear at (check one):

the term of COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS beginning on Friday, September 14, 2018 at 2:00 o'clock, P.M. at CHARLESTON COUNTY JUDICIAL CENTER, 100 BROAD STREET, CHARLESTON and remain there throughout that term of court. If no disposition is made during that term, the defendant shall appear and remain throughout each succeeding term of court until final disposition is made of his case, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

the session of _____ beginning on _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ at _____
If no final disposition is made during that session, the defendant shall appear at such other times and places as ordered by the court.

INITIALS OF DEFENDANT



4. That the defendant will notify the court promptly if he changes his address from the one contained in this order and he will comply with those conditions described hereinafter in the Order.

July 24, 2018

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY DEFENDANT

I understand that if I violate any condition of this Order, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

I understand and have been informed that I have a right and obligation to be present at trial and should I fail to attend the court, the trial will proceed in my absence.

It has been explained to me that if I fail to appear before the court as required, a warrant for my arrest will be issued.

ADDRESS

[Handwritten Signature]

SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT: DONALD EDWARD GRESH

CITY/STATE/ZIP

TELEPHONE

July 24, 2018

DATE

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

DRIVER'S LICENSE OR ID NUMBER

No Attorney on Record

ATTORNEY REPRESENTING ACCUSED (IF KNOWN)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

a. Placement in custody. The defendant is placed in the custody of: _____ NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

ADDRESS CITY/STATE ZIP TELEPHONE
who agrees (1) to supervise the defendant as set forth by the court, (2) to use every effort to assure the appearance of the defendant at all scheduled hearings before the court, and (3) to notify the court immediately in the event the defendant violates any conditions of his release or disappears.

SIGNATURE OF CUSTODIAN (IF APPROVED)

DATE

b. Restrictions on Travel, Association or Residence. The defendant will comply with each of the following conditions:

c. Part-time Release. The defendant will be released from custody from _____ o'clock, _____ to _____ o'clock, _____ on _____ on condition that he return to the custody of _____ at _____ as designated. DATE(S) NAME OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION LOCATION

d. Other Conditions. The defendant will comply with the following other conditions of release: **DEFENDANT IS NOT ALLOWED TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE THE STATE OF SC, SURRENDER PASSPORT TO ATTORNEY, NO INTERNET ACCESS, (SUPERVISED VISITS ONLY) WITH HIS MINOR CHILDREN.**

APPEARANCE RECOGNIZANCE WITH SURETY

On the 24 day of July, 2018, personally appeared before the undersigned judge the surety named below who acknowledged himself indebted to the State of South Carolina, in the sum of 105,000.00, such sum to be levied on his real and personal property for the use of the State, should named defendant fail in performing the conditions of this Order.

The surety, being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and free holder within the State and is worth the sum acknowledged and underwritten herein, over all his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of property exempt from execution.

American Bail Bonding 843532-1760
NAME OF SURETY BONDSMAN COMPANY TELEPHONE

[Handwritten Signature]
SIGNATURE OF SURETY BONDSMAN

158 Oakview Ln
ADDRESS OF SURETY BONDSMAN

Wade, SC 29492
CITY/STATE/ZIP

EL Edwards
SIGNATURE OF JUDGE:

Palmetto Surety Corp
NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANY

7-24-18
DATE

126 Seven Farms Drive Suite 170
ADDRESS OF INSURANCE COMPANY

Charleston, SC 29492
CITY/STATE/ZIP

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Charleston

STATE

VS.

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2022-GS-10-02254

Donald Edward Gresh, Jr.

A/W#: 2018A1010900240

AKA: _____

Date of Offense: 3/14/2018

Race: W Sex: M Age: lol

S.C. Code §: 16-15-410(A)

DOB: 11/25/1955 SS#: 248-08-4036

CDR Code #: 0381

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

DL#* SC 004736880 SID# _____

SENTENCE SHEET

*CDL Yes No CMV Yes No Hazmat Yes No

In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was CONVICTED OF or PLEADS

TO: Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, 3rd Degree

In violation of § 16-15-410(A) of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0381

NON-VIOLENT VIOLENT SERIOUS MOST SERIOUS Mandatory GPS § 17-25-45
(CSC w/minor 1st or CSC w/minor 3rd)

The charge is: As indicted, Lesser Included Offense, Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury. _____ (def.'s initials)

The plea is: Without Negotiations or Recommendation, Negotiated Sentence, Recommendation by the State.

ATTEST:

[Signature] 101477 [Signature] 5518
Assistant Attorney General SC Bar # Defendant Attorney for Defendant SC Bar #

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the State Department of Correction County Detention Center,

for a determinate term of _____ days/months/years/Time Served Youthful Offender Act not to exceed _____ years

and/or to pay a fine of \$_____; provided that upon the service of _____ days/months/years/Time Served and or payment of \$_____; plus costs and assessments as applicable*; the balance is suspended with probation for _____

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The Defendant is to be given credit for time served pursuant to S.C. Code § 24-13-40 to be calculated and applied by SCDOC. _____ days/months

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And Other Terms Listed Below:
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- Sex Offender Registry pursuant to S.C. Code § 23-3-430 Public Service Employment _____ days/hours
- Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect pursuant to S.C. Code § 17-25-135.
- Other: _____

- RESTITUTION:** **Deferred** **Def. Waives Hearing** **Ordered**

Total \$ _____ plus 20% fee: _____ \$ _____

Payment Terms: _____ Set by SCDPPPS

Recipient: _____

*Fine:		\$
Fine may be pd. in equal consecutive weekly/monthly pmts. of	\$ _____	Beginning _____
§14-1-206 (Assessments 107.5%)		\$ _____
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<input type="checkbox"/> Appointed PD or appointed other counsel, Proviso requires \$500 be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees		\$500 \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> § 17-3-30(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund		TBD \$ _____
	TOTAL	\$ _____

Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk: James Milone / Presiding Judge: _____
 Court Reporter: Karen Ambrosius / Judge Code: 2128
 Sentence Date: _____

*plea qualified April 7, 2022. Sentence deferred.
 all judge — ~~2128~~ 2128 April 7, 2022.*

DOCKET NO. 2022-GS-10-02254

The State of South Carolina
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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

April 2022 TERM

THE STATE

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DONALD EDWARD GRESH, JR
D.O.B. 11/25/1955

Indictment for

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THIRD DEGREE

SC Code: 16-15-410(A)
CDR Code: 0381

WITNESSES

Inv. Jason Bowen - Charleston Co. Sheriff's Office

ARREST WARRANT NUMBER

2018A1010900240

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Foreperson of Grand Jury

Date:

VERDICT

Foreperson of Petit Jury

Date:

After being fully advised as to my legal rights, I hereby waive presentment to the Grand Jury.

Defendant

I hereby appear in my own proper person and plead guilty to the within indictment or to

Defendant

Witness:

C.C.C. PLS. AND G.S.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSSIONS
 COUNTY OF CHARLESTON) NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
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EVALUATION ORDER

DEFENDANT.

Presiding Judge: Hon. Deadra L. Jefferson
 State's Attorney: Sherrie Butterbaugh, Esq.
 Defendant's Attorney: Jerry N. Theos, Esq.
 Date of Hearing: April 7, 2022
 Court Reporter: Karen Ambroziak

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On or about March 24, 2018, pursuant to an active investigation of Second Degree Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Charleston County Sheriff's Deputies executed a search warrant at 864 Savannah Hwy, Charleston, SC, which was identified as the business address of the Defendant. The Defendant acknowledged ownership of several computers and loose hard drives that were seized from the location. During subsequent forensic processing, multiple hundreds¹ of exploitative images were discovered on the Defendant's devices that were seized. The Defendant had confessed during an interview at the search warrant to using file trading software and networks as well as IP Vanish software to avoid detection. Evidence of the peer to peer file sharing software was discovered on the Defendant's computer devices. One such file located during the forensic processing was named, "20F2E0D19A47C3CF_1472050429.jpg". This file was one of many graphic photo images depicting children with adults and animals. The Defendant was arrested on July 23, 2018 and charged with Sexual Exploitation of a minor, Third Degree. On July 24, 2018, Judge Priscilla B. Baldwin set a \$10,000 surety bond on the above captioned charge with the following conditions: "Defendant is not allowed to travel outside the State of SC, surrender passport to attorney, no internet access, (supervised visits only) with his minor children."² The Defendant bonded out on the above captioned charge on July 24, 2018.

The Defendant entered a plea of guilty on April 7, 2022 to the charge of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor in the third degree,³ and is currently awaiting sentencing. The Court has elected to defer sentencing. Prior to issuing sentence, the Court has requested an evaluation be performed by Donna Maddox, M.D. in order to determine the appropriate disposition of the Defendant's sentence. According to Standard 14-3.3, Pleas of Guilty, Responsibilities of the Trial Judge (b), "[i]f a plea agreement has been reached by the parties which contemplates the granting of a charge or sentence concessions by the judge, the judge should: (i) order the preparation of a preplea or presentence report, when needed for determining the appropriate disposition; . . ." Harden v. State, 276 S.C. 249, 254, 277 S.E.2d 692, 694 (1981). Therefore, it is hereby:

ORDERED, AJUDGED, AND DECREED, that the above-named Defendant, Donald

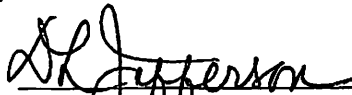
¹ Approximately 1900 images were discovered. The average is 400-500 images.

² The Defendant and his wife have a twelve and fourteen year old female residing in the residence.

³ On May 17, 2022, pursuant to the Defendant's April 7, 2022 guilty plea, the State dismissed the following charges: Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900236); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900237); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree (2018A1010900238); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Third Degree (2018A1010900239); Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, Second Degree (2018A1010900241).

Edward Gresh, Jr., shall submit to an Evaluation to be performed by Donna Maddox, M.D. Upon completion of the evaluation Dr. Maddox shall submit her report and findings to the Court and counsel.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED!



Deadra L. Jefferson
Chief Administrative Judge
General Sessions
Ninth Judicial Circuit

Charleston, South Carolina
July 19, 2022

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101477 Assistant Attorney General SC Bar # _____ Defendant Jerry N. Treas Attorney for Defendant SC Bar # 5513

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Other: No contact with victim unescorted. Continued treatment with Dr. James [unclear].
Zero tolerance for non-compliance with financial orders.

RESTITUTION: Deferred Def. Waives Hearing Ordered

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Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk: James Malone / Cherale Gray Presiding Judge: DR Jesse
 Court Reporter: Karen Ambrose / Carissa Johns Judge Code: 2128
 Sentence Date: 1/11/23
Sentence imposed

My plea qualified April 7, 2022. Sentence deferred.
DR Jesse - 2128 April 7, 2022.