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Solicitation of Prostitution of Person Younger than 18 Years of Age

COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS – On Thursday, July 7, 2022 through Friday, July 8, 2022, the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) Criminal Investigation Division with the assistance from the Copperas Cove Police Department, conducted a prostitution operation targeting individuals seeking to exploit and victimize minors online, as well as to identify and apprehend individuals suspected of using websites to solicit sexual acts from minors.

As a result of the operation, the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) Criminal Investigation Division with the assistance of the Copperas Cove Police Department, arrested nine suspected child predators. The following individuals listed below were arrested and charged with Solicitation of Prostitution of a Person Younger than 18 Years of Age:



Maycroft, Allen Ward – 53-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas
Date of Arrest: July 7, 2022
Solicitation of Prostitution of Person Younger than 18 Years of Age
\$25,000 Surety Bond





Kpazahi, Andre Mikael – 27-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas

Date of Arrest: July 7, 2022

Solicitation of Prostitution of a Person Younger than 18 Years of Age / Abandon Endanger Child with
Intent to Return x2
\$55,000 Surety Bond



Alford, Sterling Ray – 24-year-old resident of Gatesville, Texas

Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022

Solicitation of Prostitution of a Person Younger than 18 Years of Age
\$25,000 Surety Bond





O'Rourke, Joseph Brian – 51-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas
Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022
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\$25,000 Surety Bond



Prado-Perez, Hermenegildo – 38-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas
Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022
Solicitation of Prostitution of Person Younger than 18 Years of Age
\$25,000 Surety Bond





Pullom, Jayden Christopher – 20-year-old resident of Conyers, Georgia
Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022
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\$25,000 Surety Bond



Patel, Darshan Jitendrabhai 24-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas
Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022
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\$25,000 Surety Bond





Harris, Quincy Dandre – 36-year-old resident of Killeen, Texas

Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022

Solicitation of Prostitution of Person Younger than 18 Years of Age / Unlawful Carrying of Weapon
\$25,000 & \$4,000 Surety Bond



Zupancic, Benjamin Joseph – 42-year-old resident of Colorado Springs, Colorado

Date of Arrest: July 8, 2022

Solicitation of Prostitution of Person Younger than 18 Years of Age
\$25,000 Surety Bond

