

ARREST AFFIDAVIT / FIRST APPEARANCE FORM

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CITRUS COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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OBTS NO 090107 2226	AGENCY Citrus County Sheriff's Office		ORI FL0090000					
COURT CASE NO. 2012 CF1038	AGENCY CASE NO. 2012-00172461							
ARREST TYPE: Felony								
DEFENDANT SALUTE, TARA LAINE ADDRESS 8537 W PINE BLUFF ST CRYSTAL RIVER, FL 34428- MAILING ADDRESS		DOB 07/20/1972	SEX F	RACE W	HGT 5ft 2in	WGT 100.0	HAIR BLN	EYES BLU
		SCARS-MARKS MARK PRCD E-Little Mark						
PHONE (352)302-8824		RESIDENCY Full-time		PLACE OF BIRTH				
PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT		OCCUPATION Unemployed						
		PHONE						
DRIVER LICENSE S430812727600		FL		SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [REDACTED]				
VEHICLE TOWED BY		☐ Vehicle Hold			HOLD AGENCY			
		TOW CO. PHONE						
DATE OF ARREST 09/28/2012 14:23		ARREST SUFFIX			LOCATION OF ARREST 8537 W PINE BLUFF ST, CRYSTAL RIVER			
ALCOHOL INFLUENCE No		DRUG INFLUENCE			JUVENILE DISPOSITION			
WEAPON SEIZED N		TYPE						
ACTIVITY F. Forgery T. Traffic R. Smuggle Z. Other O. Counterfeit P. Possess D. Deliver K. Dispense/Distribute A. Fraud S. Sell U. Use N. N/A X. Stolen Property B. Buy M. Manufacture/Produce/Cultivate		TYPE A. Amphetamine H. Hallucinogen Z. Other B. Barbituate M. Marijuana P. Paraphernalia/Equipment C. Cocaine O. Opium/Derivative U. Unknown R. Heroin S. Synthetic N. N/A						
CHARGES								
DESCRIPTION	COUNT	ACTIVITY	TYPE	NCIC	CIS	STATUTE	BOND	TO SCHED
Unlawful sexual activity with certain minors	1					794.05	\$5,000	error: - 31627

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Affidavit Continuation				DATE OF BIRTH 07/20/1972	
DEFENDANT NAME SALUTE, TARA LAINE				JAIL INMATE NUMBER ORIGINAL 12-3790	
JAIL LOG (to be completed by Booking Officer)					
DATE BOOKED	TIME BOOKED AM PM	BOOKING OFFICER	FINGERPRINTED BY	PHOTOGRAPHED BY	BIN NUMBER
ADIVISED OF RIGHTS BY		CHECK FOR WARRANT NCIC ☐ FCIC ☐ LOCAL ☐	HOLDS YES ☐ NO ☐	AGENCY OF HOLD	
ATTORNEY (if known)		RELIGION J ☐ PR ☐ C ☐ OTHER ☐	MARITAL S ☐ M ☐ D ☐ SEP ☐	TELEPHONE CALL LOGGED TIME AM PM #	
NEXT OF KIN / PARENTS OF JUVENILE (for emergency)		RELATION	ADDRESS	PHONE: (352) PHONE:	
BOND DATE	RETURNABLE COURT DATE	RETURNABLE COURT TIME	RELEASE DATE	RELEASE TIME AM PM	RELEASING OFFICER
BOND CHARGE A	BOND CHARGE B	BOND CHARGE C	BOND CHARGE D	BOND CHARGE E	
NAME AND ADDRESS OF BONDSMAN				BOND TYPE: ROR ☐ SURETY ☐ CASH ☐ BAIL BOND ☐ CERT ☐ OTHER ☐	
APPROVING OFFICER SIGNATURE					

PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT: (specify probable cause for each charge)

Before Me, the undersigned authority personally appeared Bryan Melhado who being duly sworn, alleges, on information and belief, that on the 28 day of Sept, 2012 in Citrus County, Florida the defendant did:

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SUBMITTED BY: DETECTIVE BRYAN MELHADO 0618 (AR12-2934) (12-172461)

UNLAWFUL SEXUAL ACTIVITY WITH CERTAIN MINORS A PERSON 24 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER WHO ENGAGES IN SEXUAL ACTIVITY WITH A PERSON 16 OR 17 YEARS OF AGE COMMITS A FELONY OF THE SECOND DEGREE TO WIT: THE DEFENDANT DID HAVE SEXUAL INTERCOURSE WITH A ■ YEAR OLD MINOR, IN VIOLATION OF FLORIDA STATE STATUTE 794.05(1)

ON 092712, THIS AGENCY BECAME INVOLVED IN A SEX OFFENSE CASE WITH THE NATURE OF THE ALLEGATIONS BEING THAT THE DEFENDANT, A FORTY YEAR OLD FEMALE, MS TARA SALUTE, HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE WITH A MINOR, ■ YEAR OLD MALE.

ON 092712 AND 092812 CONTACT WAS MADE WITH THE VICTIM. THE VICTIM PROVIDED THE CITRUS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WITH SWORN AUDIO RECORDED STATEMENTS. THE VICTIM ADVISED THAT HE HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE WITH THE DEFENDANT AT HER RESIDENCE AND THAT THIS OCCURRED ONE TIME IN CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA. HE ALSO ADVISED THAT THIS OCCURRED APPROXIMATELY THREE WEEKS AGO. THE VICTIM WAS ABLE TO PROVIDE GRAPHIC DETAILS OF THE SEXUAL ENCOUNTER.

ON 092812, I MADE CONTACT WITH THE DEFENDANT AT HER RESIDENCE. I ADVISED THE DEFENDANT OF THE ALLEGATIONS. DETECTIVE FARMER WAS ALSO PRESENT. THE DEFENDANT WAS READ HER RIGHTS FROM A PRE-PRINTED MIRANDA CARD THAT WAS ISSUED TO ME BY THIS AGENCY. AFTER EACH RIGHT WAS READ THE DEFENDANT ACKNOWLEDGED THAT SHE UNDERSTOOD. I ASKED IF SHE WISHED TO CONTINUE SPEAKING WITH ME AND SHE SAID YES. SHE WAS ASKED IF SHE HAS EVER HAD SEX WITH THE VICTIM (WHO I NAMED), AND SHE SAID NO. THE DEFENDANT INITIALLY DENIED THAT THE VICTIM WAS EVER IN HER HOME. HOWEVER, THE DEFENDANT LATER CHANGED THAT STATEMENT. SHE DID ADMIT THAT THE VICTIM AND A WITNESS WERE DRINKING ALCOHOL IN HER HOME AND SHE ADMITTED TO HAVING AT LEAST FOUR ALCOHOLIC DRINKS. SHE STATED IT IS POSSIBLE THAT SHE HAD SO MUCH TO DRINK THAT SHE BLACKED OUT AND COULD HAVE HAD SEX WITH THE VICTIM. THE DEFENDANT LATER ADMITTED THAT SHE DID HAVE SEX WITH THE VICTIM AT HER RESIDENCE, AND IF AFFORDED THE CHANCE TO APOLOGIZE TO HIM SHE WOULD.

AT THAT POINT, THE DEFENDANT WAS ADVISED OF HER CHARGES AND CHARGED WITH UNLAWFUL SEXUAL ACTIVITY WITH CERTAIN MINORS, A ■ YEAR OLD MALE. THE DEFENDANT WAS THEN PLACED UNDER ARREST, HANDCUFFED (DOUBLE LOCKED) AND TRANSPORTED TO THE CITRUS COUNTY DETENTION FACILITY FOR BOOKING AND PROCESSING.

THE DEFENDANT'S BOND WAS SET AT \$5,000.00 PER BOND SCHEDULE.

"If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450, Telephone (352) 341-6700, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711."

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SWORN to and SUBSCRIBED before me

this 28 day of Sept, 2012

[Signature] 0618

AFFIANT

Citrus County Sheriff's Department

ARRESTING AGENCY

[Signature] 131

Notary Public - Certified Officer

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FIRST APPEARANCE FINDINGS & ORDERS

Based upon the foregoing affidavit and/or Sworn Testimony of the undersigned finds and determines:

- [] As to charge(s) _____, that there was at the time of arrest and is probable cause to believe the defendant has committed the offense with which he/she is accused and it is hereby Ordered and Adjudged that defendant is to be detained or post bond as otherwise affixed pending further proceedings.
- [] As to charge(s) _____, that there is a lack of evidence that the defendant committed the offense with which he/she is accused, and it is hereby Ordered and Adjudged that the Sheriff or Chief of Police having custody is directed to forthwith release defendant from custody on defendant's own recognizance, subject to defendant appearing at all subsequent court proceedings upon proper notice.
- [] As to charge(s) _____, that it is hereby Ordered and Adjudged the matter of probable cause is hereby continued until the next First Appearance Hearing after date hereof, at which Hearing the Arresting Agency shall present any further proof of probable cause that it may possess.

RELEASE ORDER:

The above named Defendant was brought before the undersigned on this date at _____ o'clock, _____, for a first appearance hearing and the undersigned thereupon informed him/her of the charge against him/her and provided him/her with a copy thereof and also adequately advised him/her that (1) he/she was not required to say anything and that anything he/she did say might be used against him/her, (2) if he/she was financially unable to afford an attorney that the Court would appoint one to represent him/her, and (3) he/she had the right to communicate with his/her attorney, his/her family, or his/her friends and if necessary reasonable means would be provided to enable him/her to do so; and the undersigned having considered all available relevant factors necessary to determine whether bail is necessary to assure Defendant's future appearance, and found that same is _____ necessary, it is upon the consideration thereof ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the defendant

- [] Be released on his/her own recognizance upon the condition that he/she appear as agreed below.
- [] Be admitted to bail in the amount of \$ _____ as to charge A, \$ _____ as to charge B, \$ _____ as to charge C, \$ _____ as to charge D, \$ _____ as to charge E, upon the condition that he/she appear as agreed below.

Special Conditions of Bail:

- [] The defendant may not consume or possess alcohol.
- [] The defendant may not operate a motor vehicle.
- [] The defendant must comply with any other written provisions.

DETERMINATION OF SOLVENCY

- [] The undersigned determines that the Defendant is solvent, is not indigent within the meaning of Rule 3.111(b)(4)FRCP and is not entitled to the services of the Office of the Public Defender.

ORDER OF INDIGENCY AND APPOINTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENDER

- [] The above named Defendant appearing in Open Court, and the said Defendant having filed in this Court his Affidavit of Indigency; testimony having been taken before this Court; and the Court being otherwise fully advised in the premises, It is thereupon:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. That the Defendant be, and he/she is hereby declared to be indigent within the meaning of Rule 3.111(b)(4) of the Florida Rules of Criminal Procedure; and
2. That the office of the Public Defender for the fifth Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida or _____ a private counsel, is hereby appointed to represent said Defendant in the above styled cause and in any other controversy pending between the State of Florida and the said Defendant.

ORDERED this _____ day of _____, _____, at Citrus County, Florida

JUDGE

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