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PRESS RELEASE

Arrested: **BRIAN E. HOLTON**
 36 SMITH STREET
 BLAIRSTOWN, NJ 07825

Date of Birth: **March 9, 1958**

On Tuesday, March 6, 2018, Brian Holton was arrested and charged with one count Third Degree Endangering the Welfare of a Child. The third degree offense carries a maximum term of imprisonment of five years in New Jersey State Prison and/or a fine of \$75,000.00. The defendant was lodged at Warren County Correctional Center pending a first appearance in Warren County Superior Court.

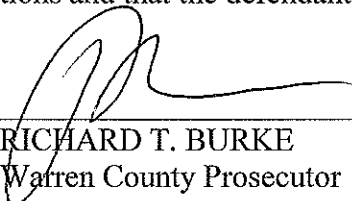
The charges stem from allegations that the defendant, Brian Holton was in possession of photographs depicting the sexual exploitation or abuse of a child. The victim in the photographs was between the ages of 14-16 when the photographs were taken. The victim was known to the defendant.

The defendant's first appearance took place on Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at Warren County Superior Court. The defendant was released at this time.

The Warren County Prosecutor's Office Cyber Crimes Unit, Special Victims Unit along with the Hackettstown Police Department, Mount Olive Police Department and Morris County Prosecutor's Office conducted the investigation.

Please be advised that the charges are merely accusations and that the defendant is presumed innocent until or unless proven guilty.

Approved by:



RICHARD T. BURKE
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DATE: March 9, 2018