

CASE NUMBER
DIVISION:

21-CF-15013

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE
STATE OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY
CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DIVISION

DEC 10 2021

FALL Term, 2021

STATE OF FLORIDA

v

PATRICK RUSSELL LALONE

DIRECT
INFORMATION FOR:

COUNT ONE
FAILURE TO REPORT
CHILD ABUSE
(PROFESSIONAL)
F.S. 39.205(1)

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, ANDREW H. WARREN, STATE
ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH,
CHARGES THAT:

COUNT ONE

PATRICK RUSSELL LALONE, between the 10th day of May, 2021, and the 21st day of May, 2021, inclusive,
in the County of Hillsborough and State of Florida, a person who is required to report known or suspected
child abuse, abandonment, or neglect pursuant to Florida Statute 39.201, did knowingly and willfully fail
to do so, or did knowingly and willfully prevent another person from doing so. Contrary to the form of the
statute in such cases made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Florida.

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

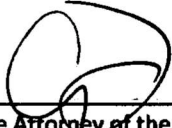
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Personally appeared before me the undersigned Assistant State Attorney of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, who, being first duly sworn, says that this prosecution is set forth in the foregoing INFORMATION are based upon facts that have been sworn to as true by the material witness or witnesses for the offense and which, if true, would constitute the offense therein charged, and that the prosecution is being instituted in good faith.


Assistant State Attorney of the
Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and
For Hillsborough County, Florida

Florida Bar #

41125

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Tampa, Florida

This 9th day of December, 2021



Signature of Notary Public, State of Florida



Commission # GG 906517

Expires August 22, 2023

Bonded Thru Troy Fain Insurance 800-385-7019

Print, Type or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary
And Date Commission Expires

Personally Known X or Produced Identification

Type of Identification Produced _____

December 09, 2021

STEFANIE C. SIMON/man

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Parent

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Includes: N/A

Consolidate: N/A

ISSUE CAPIAS

DEFENDANT: LALONE, PATRICK RUSSELL
DOB: 04/28/1970
RACE: White
GENDER: Male
SSN: N/A
DL#: L450676701480-FL
HAIR: N/A
EYES: N/A
ADDRESS: 5618 LARIMER DR, TAMPA FL 33615

Agency: Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office 2021-00545121

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ANDREW H. WARREN
Thirteenth Judicial Circuit
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**Notice to Clerk of Factors Relating to Division Assignment
in accordance with Circuit Criminal Administrative Order**

Date: December 09, 2021

To: Clerk of Court

From: SAO Personnel

Defendant's Name: PATRICK RUSSELL LALONE

Case Number:

Division Proposed by Clerk: E

Presumed Division per SAO Research: E

☒ Case should be assigned to the Proposed Division that has already been assigned by the Clerk because none of the following exceptions apply.

-----EXCEPTIONS-----

In accordance with the current administrative order governing assignment of cases in the Circuit Criminal Division, please assign a division based on the following exceptions to the proposed division case assignment:

_____ First-Degree Murder, Felony Capital Sexual Battery and RICO should be assigned by blind rotation.

_____ Defendant has multiple proposed divisions. Earliest assigned proposed division is _____.

_____ Defendant has Pending Case with lowest pending case #: _____; Division _____.

_____ Co-Defendant has multiple proposed divisions. Earliest assigned proposed division is _____.

_____ Co-Defendant has Pending Case with lowest pending case #: _____; Division _____.

_____ Case is re-filed after SAO dismissed it. Original case assigned to Division _____.

Associated Cases: _____

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CRIMINAL REPORT AFFIDAVIT/HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FL 7A

☐ Supplemental Page ☐ Plant City Courthouse ☐ Notice To Appear CRA #: HS21018358

☒ Fel ☐ Misd ☐ (APAD) Adult Pre-Arrest Div ☐ Traffic ☐ Tampa Ord ☐ Juv Delinq ☐ JAAP		Booking #:	
Arrest Type: ☐ PC ☐ Warrant ☐ PC VOP/VOCC		Request: ☐ Warrant ☒ SAO Review Direct File ☐ JUV Pick-Up Order	
Court Case #		Family #	
SOID #			
Agency: ☒ HCSO ☐ TPD ☐ PCPD ☐ TTPD ☐ FHP		Report # 21-0545121	
Other:		Report Written ☒ Yes ☐ No	
Offense Location:		Offense Date: 05/10/2021	
		Offense Time: 0900	
Arrest Location:		Arrest Date:	
		Arrest Time:	
Defendant: Last Name		First Name	
LALONE		PATRICK	
Middle Name		☐ Gang	
RUSSELL		Name:	
Race	Gender	DOB	DL#
White	☒ M ☐ F	04/28/1970	L450676701480
State	POB (City, State)		
FLORIDA	FLORIDA		
Address Street: 5618 LARIMER DR		City: TAMPA	State: FLORIDA
		Zip: 33615	
School (JUV)		Parent/Guardian (JUV)	

No Co-defendants Found

Statute	Level	Degree	Charge	Count	Citation #	DV
39.205(1)	Fel	T	FAILURE TO REPORT CHILD ABUSE (PROFESSIONAL) (CHAB2046)	1		☐

The undersigned swears there are reasonable grounds to believe that the above named defendant in Hillsborough County, Florida, did

On May 10, 2021, the defendant, while employed as the Principal of Davis Elementary School, and was provided with a video of an incident that occurred within a classroom at his school. The video depicts child abuse material. Your affiant observed the video which shows an educator and the eight year old victim, raising their voices while speaking to each other. The educator is standing in front of the victim's desk. The victim is sitting in a chair behind the desk. The video then shows the educator aggressively shoving the victim's desk into the victim. The victim is struck by the desk at which time he cries out in pain. During an interview with the victim, he describes being hurt and that his left hand and hip area were in pain. On August 13, 2021, during a non-custodial interview with the defendant, he advised he did not call the abuse hotline and instead contacted professional standards on May 10, 2021. After speaking to a witness, the incident was depicted to professional standards as a "verbal only" incident and also advised professional standards at that time that he would be giving the educator a written reprimand. Professional standards was later provided with the video and they noted the video was not "verbal only". Professional standards contacted the defendant and provided him with discipline and the educator with additional discipline. The defendant did not contact the abuse hotline until May 21, 2021 when directed to do so by Hillsborough County Public Schools, Professional Standards. On that day (5/21/2021) the defendant contacted the Abuse Hotline and provided them with information pertaining to the video, however, there is verbiage in the intake report regarding the victim not sustaining any injury and that the educator did not intend to harm the victim. A report was not taken at that time by the Abuse Hotline due to information provided regarding the victim not sustaining any injury. Your affiant noted the defendant also advised the parent of the victim was never contacted. On August 13, 2021, the parent was contacted by your affiant and advised of the incident. On August 16, 2021, the witness provided information regarding reporting additional inappropriate behaviors (verbal and physical) by the same educator. The witness advised those reports regarding other incidents were never addressed by the principal (defendant). The witness noted on one occasion the principal (defendant) came into the classroom and a student in the class advised the educator hits him. The witness noted the defendant did not speak to the student that made that allegation or investigate that incident, she did note the defendant sarcastically responded to the student. Due to the defendant not reporting the video incident in a timely manner, there is no way to determine if the victim sustained any visible physical injury. The defendant acknowledged he is a mandatory reporter. This hindered the possibility of a proper investigation by law enforcement and the defendant verbally identified himself. His identity was confirmed via D.A.V.I.D.

2021 SEP 23 AM 10:40

State Attorney

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Agency
Report # 21-0545121

**CRIMINAL REPORT AFFIDAVIT/
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

CRA #: HS21018358

Pursuant to Florida Statute §92.525 and under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing document and the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge. For Notices to Appear, I also certify that a complete list of witnesses and evidence known to me is attached.

Affiant:	DET C Carrero Digitally signed on 2021.09.20 13:45:51	Officer # 227355	DIST:	CID	SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS DATE CPL J O'Connor Digitally signed on 2021.09.20 16:30:30	Officer # 69588
			SOD:	560		

Judgment requested against defendant for agency investigative cost per Florida Statute 938.27: \$550.50

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