

ARREST / NOTICE TO APPEAR

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JUVENILE

Agency ORI Number <b>0500800</b>	Agency Name <b>West Palm Beach Police Department</b>	Agency Report Number (N.T.A.'s only) <b>9, 4   2019-0013675</b>
Charge Type Check as many as apply: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Felony <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Traffic Felony <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Misdemeanor <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Traffic Misdemeanor <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> 6 Other	If Weapon Seized Enter Type	Multiple Clearance Indicator
Location of Arrest (Including Name of Business)		Location of Offense (Business Name, Address) <b>8201 FRESH CREEK, WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33407</b>
Date of Arrest	Time of Arrest	Booking Date
Booking Time	Jail Date	Jail Time
Name (Last, First, Middle) <b>EARLY, MICHAEL</b>		Alias (Name, DOB, Soc. Sec. #, Etc.)
Race W - White B - Black	Sex M	Date of Birth <b>05/20/1981</b>
Height <b>5'10"</b>	Weight <b>180</b>	Eye Color <b>BROWN</b>
Hair Color <b>BROWN</b>	Complexion	Build
Local Address (Street, Apt. Number) <b>8201 FRESH CREEK, WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33411</b>		Phone <b>(561) -</b>
Permanent Address (Street, Apt. Number) <b>8201 FRESH CREEK, WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33411</b>		Phone <b>(561) -</b>
Business Address (Name, Street) <b>ZEBRA ENVIRONMENTAL,</b>		Phone <b>(813) 655-1717</b>
DL Number, State	Soc. Sec. Number	INS Number
Place of Birth (City, State)	Citizenship	
Co-Defendant Name (Last, First, Middle)	Race	Sex
Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Arrested <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Felony <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Juvenile	
Co-Defendant Name (Last, First, Middle)	Race	Sex
Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Arrested <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Felony <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Juvenile	
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Name (Last, First, Middle)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Legal Custodian	Residence Phone	
Address (Street, Apt. Number)	(City)	(State) (Zip)
Business Phone		
Notified by: (Name)	Date	Time
Released To: (Name)	Relationship	Date
The above address was provided by <input type="checkbox"/> defendant and/or <input type="checkbox"/> defendant's parents. The child and/or parent was told to keep the Juvenile Court Clerk's Office (Phone 355-2526) informed of any change of address.		Grade
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, by: <input type="checkbox"/> No	Property Crime? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Description of Property
Value of Property		
Drug Activity N. N/A P. Possess	S. Sell B. Buy T. Traffic	R. Smuggle D. Deliver E. Use
K. Disperses/ Distribute	M. Manufacture/ Produce/ Cultivate	Z. Other
Drug Type N. N/A A. Amphetamine	B. Barbiturate C. Cocaine E. Heroin	H. Hallucinogen M. Marijuana O. Opium/Derv.
P. Paraphernalia/ Equipment	U. Unknown Z. Other	
Charge Description <b>POSSESS PHOTOGRAPH OF SEXUAL PERFORMANCE BY CHILD</b>	Statute Violation Number <b>827.071(5)</b>	Violation of ORD #
Drug Activity	Drug Type <b>N</b>	Amount / Unit
Offense #	Counts <b>11</b>	Domestic Violence <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N
Warrant / Capias Number	Bond	
Charge Description	Statute Violation Number	Violation of ORD #
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Health / Apparent Physical Condition of Defendant		Any knowledge of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> Mental <input type="checkbox"/> Escape Risk <input type="checkbox"/> Medication <input type="checkbox"/> Deformities <input type="checkbox"/> Injuries
Explain		
Check which applies: <input type="checkbox"/> Released O.R. <input type="checkbox"/> Posted Bond	<input type="checkbox"/> Released to Parent/Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> South County Mental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> T.O.T. County Jail
PROPERTY - Received By	Released By	Released To
Transported By	Date Transported	Time Transported
Other		
<input type="checkbox"/> INSTRUCTION NO. 1 - Mandatory appearance in court <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INSTRUCTION NO. 2 - You need not appear in Court but must comply with instructions on Page 2.		Location (Court, Room)
		Court Date and Time
I AGREE TO APPEAR AT THE TIME AND PLACE DESIGNATED TO ANSWER THE OFFENSE CHARGED OR TO PAY THE FINE SUBSCRIBED. I UNDERSTAND THAT SHOULD I WILLFULLY FAIL TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COURT AS REQUIRED BY THIS NOTICE TO APPEAR, THAT I MAY BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND A WARRANT FOR MY ARREST SHALL BE ISSUED.		
Signature of Defendant (or Juvenile and Parent/Custodian)		Date Signed
HOLD For Other Agency		Name Verification (Printed by Arrestee)
<input type="checkbox"/> Dangerous <input type="checkbox"/> Suicidal	<input type="checkbox"/> Resisted Arrest <input type="checkbox"/> Other	(PRINT)
Intake Deputy	I.D. #	Pouch #
Signature of Arresting Officer <b>COGNETTI, CATHY</b>	I.D. # <b>01821</b>	Agency
Transferring Officer	I.D. #	Agency
Witness here if subject signed with an "X".		

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JUVENILE COURT CLERK  
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**City of West Palm Beach  
Police Department  
PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT**



OBTS # FL0500800

CASE #2019-13675

DEFENDANT: Michael Andrew Early

Race: W Sex: M

DOB: 05/20/1981

VICTIM: Society

Local Address: 8201 Fresh Creek, West Palm Beach, Florida

Phone: 952-361-2479

I am part of a National Task Force known as the South Florida Internet Crimes against Children (ICAC). This task force investigates internet crimes against children, child exploitation, and related cases.

Between the dates of May 2019 to June 2019, FBI Special Agent Sharp, located an Internet Protocol (IP) address 66.229.164.44 Port 24088 in a database maintained by law enforcement, and utilized by federal and state law enforcement agencies in child exploitation investigations nationwide. This database maintains a log of IP addresses that have been previously involved in the possession and distribution of videos/images involving the sexual conduct of a child.

At that time, I reviewed a number of files from approximately 285 videos Special Agent Sharp downloaded directly from the user at the above IP address. Many of these files depicted child pornography as defined by Florida Statute.

A search of a publicly available online database indicated that the target IP address was registered to Comcast Internet Services. On August 14, 2019, I sent a subpoena issued to Comcast Internet Services for the identity of the subscriber assigned to IP address 66.229.164.44 Port 24088 on the date the files were indicated as being in the defendant's possession and available for sharing to other users.

On August 15, 2019, Comcast revealed that on the dates the child pornography was available for sharing, the IP address was assigned to the following Comcast customer, Diane Early at 8201 Fresh Creek, West Palm Beach, Florida.

I located Diane Early in the Driver and Vehicle Information Database reported to reside at 8201 Fresh Creek, West Palm Beach, FL.

On April 22, 2019, Honorable Judge Daliah Weiss granted a residential Search Warrant for address 8201 Fresh Creek. West Palm Beach, FL.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me

Malory Wildove  
OFFICER (F.S.S. 117.10)  
PBSO Detective Malory Wildove  
September 27, 2019

[Signature] 1821  
SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING OFC  
Detective C. Cognetti #1821  
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On August 28, 2019, the search warrant was executed and contact was made with Michael Early. Post Miranda Michael admitted to using file sharing program(s), but could not remember which one he used. Michael stated he received a letter from one of the companies stating "don't download our stuff." Michael stated he used the file sharing network(s) on his laptop, which is now broken. This laptop was currently located in Michael's bedroom closet. Michael also uses a Samsung cellphone and the Dell PC located in the living room.

A forensic examination on the electronic devices revealed the file names that Special Agent Sharp were directly downloaded from the user and viewed were located on the Dell PC to include, uTorrent, Frostwire and search terms indicative to child pornography. Child pornography videos and images were located on the Dell PC. Child erotica "Russianbare" was located on Michaels cellular telephone, to include the search of "Frostwire new PTHC" (PTHC stands for Preteen hardcore) and researching criminal case law where defendants were charged with child pornography. It should be noted that child erotica "Russianbare" was also located on the Dell PC and HP laptop. Forensic review of the HP laptop located in Michaels closet revealed Michael did have access to this laptop between the years of 2015 and 2016 and hundreds of images/videos of child pornography that were accessed in 2016.

When I spoke to other family members in the home, Michael's brother, Sebastian stated "It's not me. I have an idea, but why do I have to say it? Can't you figure it out if that's what is going on? No, I am not going to say." When I spoke to Michael's mother, Diane, she stated "it must be Michael." Homeland Security verified that Diane Early, Douglas Early and Sebastian Early were out of the country between May 2019 to June 2019, which was during the time that the child pornography was downloaded and viewed.

Michael Early did possess 11 images and videos containing the sexual conduct of a child violating FSS 827.071(5) and one video depicted child bestiality. (This number of files is not a final calculation and may increase upon completion of digital forensic analysis of the devices found in the home.)

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