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Press Release
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Man Arrested for Luring Minor Female

On Sunday, September 20, 2015, LEWIS, QUANDRE LAMAR, was arrested and charged with two counts of Contributing to the Delinquency of Minor. He was booked into the Blue Ridge Regional Jail in Bedford, Virginia, on \$5,000.00 secured bond. Mr. LEWIS was bonded out of the Regional Jail on Monday, September 21, 2015. LEWIS was communicating with a 15 year old female over a cell phone in an effort to have a sexual liaison and alcohol beverages.

The initial call to the sheriff's office was from the father of the juvenile alerting our office of an adult sending text messages to his daughter about drugs and sexual acts.

Deputy Kyle Marks, assisted by Corporal DeSilvey headed up the investigation and was successful in identifying and arresting the subject. Dispatch received the call from the father at 10:38PM and the subject was placed under arrest at 2:51AM...approximately 4.5 hours from start to finish!



Lewis, Quandre Lamar
DOB: 03/07/1995
BLK/Male 6'1" 280 Lbs
Resides 2098 Magnolia Dr
Bedford, VA 24523

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT SHOULD PUT EVERY PARENT ON ALERT

A teacher is accused of having sex with a student and, like many times before, cell phone calls and texting reportedly had a role in sexually abusing a minor.

In a recent case out of Pennsylvania police say a 26-year-old P.E. teacher admitted to having sex with a 14-year-old student in the school's parking lot. Detectives from the Moon Township Police Department said they found nude pictures of the 14 year old on the teacher's cell phone along with text messages.

A 24-year-old Escondido, CA, man was arrested and charged with 10 felony counts after police said he had sex with a 12-year-old girl he met on Skout.com, a network that allows users to interact with people who are geographically near them through GPS-enabled cell phone.

In reference to the GPS settings, young people don't always fully understand the privacy settings offered on social networking sites, including Facebook, and may be too quick to reveal their identity and location. Some youngsters may not even be aware that the geographical location services on their smart phones have been activated. "I don't think that is safe for anyone, especially young people." Sheriff Brown said.

Please see attached "Sheriff Brown's *Caution Sheet* for social media.