



BOONE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT CYBER CRIMES TASK FORCE

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Incident: Child Pornography Conviction

Location: Boone County, Missouri

Case Number: 2012-2848

Details:

On Wednesday, May 22, 2013 a 29 year old Boone County man was sentenced to 25 years in the Missouri Department of Corrections on charges stemming from a child pornography investigation.

The investigation began in late May 2012 when the Boone County Sheriff's Department received information the defendant was in possession of child pornography. As a result of the subsequent investigation several electronic devices owned by the suspect were seized. A subsequent examination of the devices by Task Force investigators located over five hundred photographs of child pornography some of which involved children as young as infants and toddlers. Additionally Task Force investigators located sexually graphic photographs and videos of a two year old child that were taken by the suspect while the child was at the suspect's residence.

On Wednesday, June 13, 2012 the defendant was arrested at the Boone County Jail where he was incarcerated on an unrelated stealing charge. The defendant was subsequently charged by the Boone County Prosecuting Attorney's Office for the Sexual Exploitation of a Child and the Possession of Child Pornography. On March 26, 2013 the defendant entered a guilty plea in Boone County Circuit Court for both charges. On the morning of May 22, 2013 the defendant

was sentenced to 25 years in for the Sexual Exploitation of a Child and 10 years for the Possession of Child Pornography both to be served in the Missouri Department of Corrections. Both sentences will be served concurrently. The defendant is identified as 29 year old Patrick Drury. The defendant has remained in the Boone County Jail since his arrest.

The Boone County Sheriff's Department Cyber Crimes Task Force is comprised of investigators from the Boone County Sheriff's Department, the University of Missouri Police Department, and the Federal Bureau of Investigations.

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