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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA  
IN AN FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

STATE OF ARIZONA,  
Plaintiff,

v.

KENNETH LYLE PALMER,  
Defendant.

Case No: **CR2018-141257-001**

**83 SGJ 185**

**INDICTMENT**

CHARGING VIOLATIONS OF:

**COUNT 1: LURING A MINOR FOR  
SEXUAL EXPLOITATION**, a Class 3  
Felony, in violation of A.R.S. §13-3554

**COUNT 2: CHILD SEX  
TRAFFICKING**, a Class 2 Felony, in  
violation of A.R.S. § 13-3212

**COUNT 3: SEXUAL ABUSE**, a Class 5  
Felony, in violation of A.R.S. § 13-1404

**COUNT 4: MONEY LAUNDERING**, a  
Class 3 Felony, in violation of A.R.S. § 13-  
2317

The Arizona State Grand Jury accuses **KENNETH LYLE PALMER**, charging on this  
4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018, that in or from Maricopa County, Arizona:

**COUNT 1**

**LURING A MINOR FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION**

On or about August 21, 2018 **KENNETH PALMER**, knowingly offered or solicited sexual conduct with a person knowing or having reason to know that the person was a minor, in violation of A.R.S. §§ 13-3501, 13-3551, 13-3554, 13-701, 13-702, and 13-801.

**COUNT 2**

**CHILD SEX TRAFFICKING**

On or about August 21, 2018, **KENNETH PALMER**, a person who is at least eighteen years of age, knowingly enticed or recruited a minor who he knew or had reason to know was under 15 years of age, with the intent that the minor would engage in prostitution, to wit offering to exchange money for sexual conduct, in violation of A.R.S. §13-3212, 13-3211, 13-701, 13-702, and 13-801.

**COUNT 3**

**SEXUAL ABUSE**

On or about August 21, 2018, **KENNETH PALMER**, a person who is at least eighteen years of age, intentionally or knowingly engaged sexual contact with a law enforcement officer in an undercover role without consent of that officer, in violation of A.R.S. §13-1401, 13-1404, 13-701, 13-702, and 13-801

**COUNT 4**

**MONEY LAUNDERING**


On or about August 21, 2018, **KENNETH PALMER**, knowingly made property available to another by transaction or transportation knowing that the property was intended to

be used to facilitate racketeering, to wit, prostitution, in violation of A.R.S. §13-2317, 13-3211, 13-701, 13-702, and 13-801.

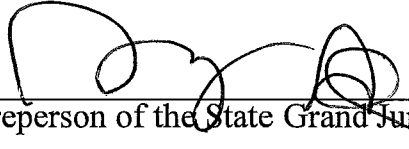
Pursuant to A.R.S. § 21-425, the State Grand Jurors find that the offenses described above were committed in Maricopa County, Arizona.

TRUE BILL  
(A "True Bill")

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Dated: 9.4.18

  
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Foreperson of the State Grand Jury

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