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Springfield Man Sentenced to 48 Months for Possessing Child Pornography

Eugene, Ore. — Roger Allen Dickerson, 41, of Springfield, Oregon was sentenced to serve a 48 month term of imprisonment today by United States District Judge Ann Aiken for possessing child pornography. Dickerson pled guilty on September 27, 2007, to knowingly possessing video tapes, computer disks, and data storage media which contained visual depictions of actual minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct.

In pleading guilty, Mr. Dickerson admitted that he knowingly possessed over 600 images of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct on video tapes, computer disks and data storage media which had been mailed as well as transferred by computer via the Internet. He admitted some of the images portrayed sadistic and masochistic conduct and other depictions of violence.

Upon release from custody, Dickerson will serve a three year period of supervised release. During his supervised release he must abide by a number of conditions which include mental health counseling, restricted access to computers and the Internet, and registration as a sex offender.

The case was investigated by the United States Postal Inspection Service. For more information, contact Assistant United States Attorney Sean B. Hoar at 541-465-6792.

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