

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CASE NO. 3:20-cr-142-J-32 MCR
18 U.S.C. § 2422(b)
18 U.S.C. § 2251(a)

ARTHUR JAY TRAXLER, JR.
a/k/a "BRONZE_WOW"

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNT ONE

From on or about July 21, 2020, through on or about August 4, 2020, in the Middle District of Florida, and elsewhere, the defendant,

ARTHUR JAY TRAXLER, JR.
a/k/a "BRONZE_WOW,"

using a facility and means of interstate commerce, did knowingly attempt to persuade, induce, entice, and coerce an individual who the defendant believed had not attained the age of 18 years to engage in sexual activity for which any person could be charged with a criminal offense, specifically: production of child exploitation material, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a).

In violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b).

COUNT TWO

From on or about July 21, 2020, through on or about August 4, 2020, in the Middle District of Florida, and elsewhere, the defendant,

ARTHUR JAY TRAXLER, JR.
a/k/a "BRONZE_WOW,"

did attempt to employ, use, persuade, induce, entice, and coerce a minor to engage in any sexually explicit conduct for the purpose of producing a visual depiction of such conduct, knowing and having reason to know that such visual depiction would be transported and transmitted in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce.

In violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a) and (e).

FORFEITURE

1. The allegations contained in Counts One through Two are incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture, pursuant to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 2428.

2. Upon conviction of a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b), the defendant shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2428:

a. any property, real or personal, that was used or intended to be used to commit or to facilitate the commission of such violation; and

b. any property, real or personal, constituting or derived from any proceeds that such person obtained, directly or indirectly, as a result of such violation.

3. Upon conviction of a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a), the defendant shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2253:

a. Any visual depiction described in 18 U.S.C. §§ 2251, 2251A, or 2252, 2252A, 2252B, or 2260 of chapter 110 of Title 18, or any book, magazine, periodical, film, videotape, or other matter which contains any such visual depiction, which was produced, transported, mailed, shipped, or received in violation of chapter 110;

b. Any property, real or personal, constituting or traceable to gross profits or other proceeds obtained from such offense; and

c. Any property, real or personal, used or intended to be used to commit or to promote the commission of such offense or any property traceable to such property.

4. If any of the property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;

b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;

c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;

d. has been substantially diminished in value; or

e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

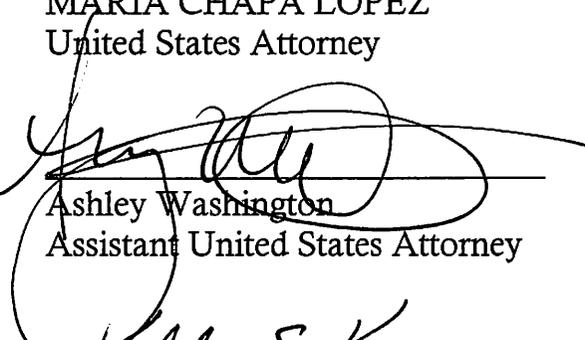
the United States shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c) and 18 U.S.C. § 2253(b).

A TRUE BILL,

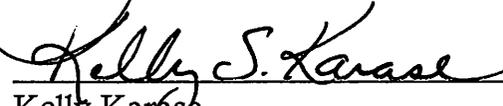

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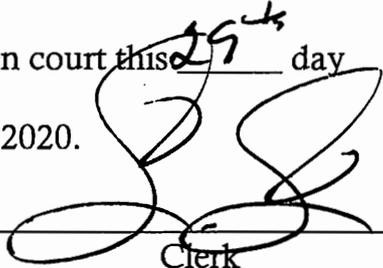
INDICTMENT

Violations: 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b)
18 U.S.C. § 2251(a)

A true bill,


Foreperson

Filed in open court this 29th day
of October, 2020.


Clerk

Bail \$ _____
