

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
PANAMA CITY DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

v.

**INDICTMENT**

**MICHAEL SHAWN GARRETT**  
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**THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:**

**COUNT ONE**

On or about May 15, 2017, in the Northern District of Florida, the defendant,

**MICHAEL SHAWN GARRETT,**

using a facility and means of interstate commerce, did knowingly attempt to persuade, induce, and entice an individual, who had not attained the age of 18 years, to engage in sexual activity for which any person can be charged with a criminal offense.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2422(b).

**CRIMINAL FORFEITURE**

The allegations contained in Count One of this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture, pursuant to the provisions of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2428. From his engagement in the violation alleged in Count One of this Indictment, the defendant,

**MICHAEL SHAWN GARRETT,**

shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 2428, all of his interest in:

A. Any property, real or personal, used or intended to be used to commit or facilitate the commission of the violation alleged in Count One of this Indictment; and

B. Any property, real or personal, constituting or derived from any proceeds traceable to, or proceeds obtained directly or indirectly as a result of, the violation alleged in Count One of this Indictment.

C. If, as the result of any act or omission of the defendant, any of the property described above as being subject to forfeiture:

- i. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- ii. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;
- iii. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- iv. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- v. has been commingled with other property that cannot be divided without difficulty,

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), as incorporated by Title 18, United States Code, Section 2428(2),

and by Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of any forfeitable property described above.

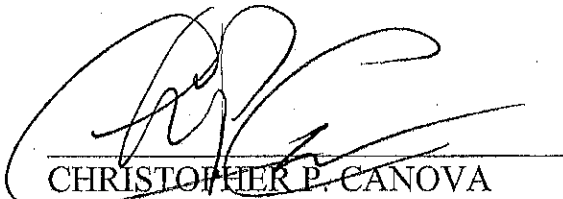
A TRUE BILL:

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