

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

VICTOR ALVELO,

Defendant.

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COMPLAINT

Violations of 18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(5)(B)
and (b)(2)

COUNTY OF OFFENSE:
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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, ss.:

Christopher Rumper, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a Special Agent with the Department of Homeland Security, Homeland Security Investigations (“HSI”) and charges as follows:

COUNT ONE
(Possession of Child Pornography)

1. From at least in or about August 2022 through on or about August 3, 2026, in the Southern District of New York and elsewhere, VICTOR ALVELO, the defendant, knowingly possessed and accessed with intent to view a book, magazine, periodical, film, videotape, computer disk, and other material that contained an image of child pornography that had been mailed, shipped and transported using a means and facility of interstate and foreign commerce and in and affecting interstate commerce by any means, including by computer, and that was produced using materials that had been mailed, shipped and transported in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce by any means, including by computer, to wit, ALVELO possessed sexually explicit images and videos of minors, including images of prepubescent minors and minors who had not attained 12 years of age, on at least two electronic devices in his residence in the Bronx, New York.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2252A(a)(5)(B) and (b)(2).)

Background

The bases for my knowledge and for the foregoing charge are, in part, as follows:

2. I am a Special Agent with the Department of Homeland Security, Homeland Security Investigations (“HSI”) and have been since approximately December 2024. I am currently assigned to the Child Exploitation Investigations Unit. In that position, I have investigated numerous cases involving child exploitation and the production, receipt, distribution, and possession of child pornography.

3. This affidavit is based upon my personal participation in the investigation of this matter, as well as on my conversations with other law enforcement officers and my examination of documents, reports, and records. Because this affidavit is being submitted for the limited

purpose of establishing probable cause, it does not include all the facts I have learned during the course of the investigation. Where the contents of documents or the actions, statements, or conversations of others are reported herein, they are reported in substance and in part, except where otherwise indicated.

4. As set forth below, the investigation revealed that VICTOR ALVELO, the defendant, a former General Superintendent of the New York City Department of Sanitation (“DSNY”), possessed approximately thousands of images and videos depicting child pornography at his residence in the Bronx, New York.

Child Pornography Found in ALVELO’s Residence and on ALVELO’s Devices

5. Based on my participation in this investigation, I know that on or about July 28, 2026, the Honorable Katharine H. Parker, United States Magistrate Judge, Southern District of New York, authorized a warrant to search, among other things, a particular address in the Bronx, New York, that is the current residence of VICTOR ALVELO, the defendant (the “ALVELO Residence”), and to seize and search any devices in the ALVELO Residence reasonably believed to be owned or used by ALVELO (the “Search Warrant”). The Search Warrant was based, in part, on information concerning a large amount of child pornography images and videos being shared over a peer-to-peer file network from an IP address that resolved to an internet provider account registered to ALVELO at the ALVELO Residence.

6. On or about August 3, 2026, I and other law enforcement agents participated in the execution of the Search Warrant at the ALVELO Residence. Neither VICTOR ALVELO, the defendant, nor his wife, whom I believe to be the only two residents of the ALVELO Residence, were present during the search. While inside the ALVELO Residence, law enforcement agents located and seized fourteen devices from the ALVELO Residence, including a Sandisk Cruzer USB Drive (“USB-1”) and a Seagate Hard Drive (“Hard Drive-1”) that, as explained below, contained images and videos depicting child pornography. Specifically, based on my involvement in this investigation, my review of reports and records, my participation in the execution of the Search Warrant, and my discussions with other law enforcement agents, I have learned, among other things, the following:

a. Law enforcement agents found USB-1 inside the front left pocket of a jacket bearing DSNY insignia (the “Jacket”) hanging in the closet inside an office room (the “Office”) within the ALVELO Residence. As noted above, I believe ALVELO to be the owner of the Jacket because I know ALVELO previously served as a General Superintendent of DSNY until he retired in or about August 2025. Additionally, as noted below, the Office closet contained other DSNY uniforms and distinctive men’s clothing consistent with what ALVELO has worn in social-media pictures. The contents of USB-1 included, among other things, photographs of ALVELO at social gatherings, as well as various documents relating to DSNY that included ALVELO’s name. Accordingly, I believe ALVELO to be the owner and user of USB-1 recovered from inside the Jacket.

b. I, along with other law enforcement personnel, including a computer forensic analyst, previewed the files and data found on USB-1, including by opening files, viewing files using the browser preview function, and reviewing file names and USB-1 metadata, and concluded, based on a preliminary analysis, that USB-1 contained at least approximately 154

images and videos depicting child pornography. The videos I have identified include, among other things, the following:

i. An approximately four minute and 31 seconds-long video with the file name “11yo latina girl anal fuck & creampie (full hd)”¹ that shows what appears to be a prepubescent female fully naked while an unknown adult male anally penetrates the female. When the male withdraws his penis, ejaculate is seen leaking from the female’s anus.

ii. An approximately three minute and thirty seconds-long video with the file name “14yo girl Suck and Fuck.flv” depicting what appears to be a prepubescent female performing oral sex on an adult male in what appears to be the woods outside a brick structure. Approximately two minutes into the video, the minor female removes her pants, turns around and the adult male sexually penetrates the minor victim both anally and vaginally.

iii. An approximately 15 seconds-long video with the file name “SUNP000.avi” depicting what appears to be an unknown adult male vaginally penetrating a prepubescent female.

iv. An approximately three minute and thirty seconds-long video with the file name “estefy en4 sentada y montada.wmv” depicting an unknown adult male anally penetrating a prepubescent female on a bed. The child begins the video wearing a red dress which the adult removes.

v. An approximately one minute and ten seconds-long video with the file name “test.avi” depicting a pubescent female minor being vaginally penetrated by an adult male wearing a condom.

c. Law enforcement agents found Hard Drive-1 on a shelf inside the Office in the ALVELO Residence inside a clear plastic container. I believe ALVELO to be the owner and user of Hard Drive-1 for several reasons:

i. The closet in the Office contained predominantly men’s clothing, including ALVELO’s DSNY Jacket and several DSNY uniforms. The Office closet also contained a biker jacket bearing the emblem “REDRUM NOMADS MOTHER CHAPTER,” which appears to be the same biker jacket that ALVELO posted an image of himself wearing on his publicly-available Instagram account.

ii. The Office contained several guitars, which appear to be the same guitars that ALVELO is shown playing in photographs that ALVELO posted on his publicly-available Instagram account. In those photographs, ALVELO appears to be inside the Office, which I recognize based on my presence there during the execution of the Search Warrant.

iii. Accordingly, I believe ALVELO to be the owner and user of Hard Drive-1, which was found inside the Office along with ALVELO’s other clothing and possessions.

¹ Based on my training and experience, I know that “yo” is a common abbreviation for child pornography files that is short for “years old,” referring to the age of the depicted victim.

d. I, along with other law enforcement personnel, including a computer forensic analyst, previewed Hard Drive-1, including by opening files, viewing files using the browser preview function, and reviewing file names and Hard Drive-1 metadata, and concluded, based on a preliminary analysis, that Hard Drive-1, which contains approximately 450-500 gigabytes of files, contains thousands of videos and images depicting child pornography. The videos I have identified include, among other things, the following:

i. An approximately seven minute and 35 seconds-long video with the file name “(~Pthc (227).avi” depicting an unknown adult male vaginally penetrating a prepubescent female who is wearing a pink shirt.²

ii. An approximately 58 seconds-long video with the file name “Michelle Princess Sita.mp4” depicting a nude prepubescent female wearing what appears to be a black bondage lingerie being anally and vaginally penetrated by an unknown adult male.

iii. An approximately four minute and one second-long video with the file name “Pfp.mp4” depicting a pre-pubescent female performing oral sex on an unknown adult male. The child begins crying while the adult continues to force his penis into the child’s mouth.

iv. An approximately 46 seconds-long video with the file name “video 5.mp4” depicting a prepubescent female wearing a black dress while being anally penetrated by an unknown adult male.

v. An approximately nine minute and 31 seconds-long video with the file name “DSC_7457.mp4” depicting female toddler performing oral sex on an adult male while an additional female takes turns performing oral sex on the adult male. The video appears to be filmed in a vehicle, while the adult male initially had what appears to be candy on his erect penis.

7. Based on my participation in the execution of the Search Warrant, as well as my analysis of the above-described child pornography files on USB-1 and Hard Drive-1, I have identified, among other things, metadata and file names indicating that the child pornography files were downloaded over online peer-to-peer file sharing networks. Based on my training and experience, the use of such file sharing networks requires access to, and use of, the Internet.

² Based on my training and experience, I know that the abbreviation “pthc” stands for “preteen hardcore” and is a common description for certain categories of child pornography.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that VICTOR ALVELO, the defendant, be imprisoned or bailed, as the case may be.

Christopher Rumper
Special Agent
Homeland Security Investigations

Sworn to before me this ____ day of August, 2026

THE HONORABLE GARY STEIN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK