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**PRESS RELEASE**

**Arrested: Lawrence Beaumont (AKA "Larry Beaumont")**  
**124 North Side Square, C**  
**Table Grove, Illinois 61482**  
**DOB: 6/24/51**

The above-named individual was arrested Friday, July 2, 2010, by members of the Fulton County Sheriff's Office in Fulton County, Illinois. He was arrested on three counts of Aggravated Sexual Assault (2C:14-2(a) (1) and ten counts of Sexual Assault by Contact (2C:14-2a (1). Aggravated Sexual Assault is a first degree crime and Sexual Assault by Contact is a second degree crime. The first degree charges carry a maximum sentence up to twenty years in the New Jersey State Prison, the second degree charges carry a maximum sentence up to ten years each in the New Jersey State Prison.

The charges allege that the defendant engaged in multiple acts of sexual penetration and sexual contact with a male and three females under the age of 13. The defendant was known to the victims. The acts allegedly occurred in the town of Belvidere, NJ between 10/20/85 and 12/28/93.

Bail was set by the Honorable Judge John Coyle, J.S.C., at \$200,000.00, with a no ten percent option. The defendant's bail also includes conditions that he not have contact with the victims, their families, and no contact with anyone under the age of eighteen.


Detective Sergeant Toni Latario of the Warren County Prosecutor's Office Special Victims Unit conducted the investigation along with assistance from Detective Darold Richardson of the Fulton County Sheriff's Office in Fulton County, Illinois.

The defendant is incarcerated awaiting an extradition hearing in Fulton County, Illinois.

Please be advised that the charges are merely accusations and that the defendant is presumed innocent until or unless proven guilty.

Approved by:

Date: July 6, 2010

  
THOMAS S. FERGUSON  
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