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## PRESS RELEASE

Indicted:

William A. Bundy, IV 6222 Manitoba Drive Lakeland, FL 33805 DOB: 08/21/1977

On June 3, 2020, a child, A.C., reported to the Warren County Prosecutor's Office that she had been sexually assaulted by her uncle, William Bundy, when she was six years old. A.C. explained that during Sunday family dinners, she would play video games with Bundy, during which time he would ask her to sit on his lap, reach under her clothing, and digitally penetrate her vagina. A.C. detailed another incident where Bundy unsuccessfully attempted to insert his penis into her vagina.

Further, A.C., and another child, J.O., disclosed that a few years later, they discovered a cell phone propped up in a bathroom where they were changing into swim clothes. On further examination, they discovered that the phone was recording while they had been nude and changing. When the children inquired after the ownership of the phone, Bundy claimed it as his own, suggesting that his then-three year old son was responsible for the recording.

On February 18, 2021, Bundy was charged by complaint, and on August 11, 2021, a Warren County Grand Jury issued a seven (7) count indictment against Bundy charging the following offenses:

- 1. Aggravated Sexual Assault, First Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-2(a)(1)
- 2. Sexual Assault, Second Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-2(b)
- 3. Endangering the Welfare of a Child, Second Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4(b)(4)
- 4. Endangering the Welfare of a Child, Second Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4(b)(4)
- 5. Invasion of Privacy, Third Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-9(b)(1)
- 6. Invasion of Privacy, Third Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-9(b)(1)
- 7. Endangering the Welfare of a Child, Third Degree, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4(a)

First Degree offenses carry a maximum penalty of twenty (20) years in New Jersey State Prison. Second Degree offenses carry a maximum penalty of ten (10) years in New Jersey State Prison. Third degree offenses carry a maximum penalty of five (5) years in New Jersey State Prison.

The defendant is presumed innocent unless and until he is proven guilty.

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Dated: August 11, 2021