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Re: Possession of Child Pornography Arrest – Alexander Medina – 2024-00129404

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On 04-01-2024, Hernando County Sheriff's detectives received information regarding the possession of child pornography.

Subsequent investigation revealed a possible suspect, identified as Alexander Medina.

Detectives authored a search warrant for Medina's on-line accounts. The search warrant was subsequently served to Medina's social media provider. The search warrant yielded the contents of Medina's account.

Upon reviewing the contents of Medina's account, detectives located two files of Child Sexual Abuse Material (CSAM).

On 05-09-2024, detectives responded to Medina's residence, located at 3081 Stanton Avenue in Spring Hill to speak to him.

During the interview, Medina admitted to owning the social media account in question, and to viewing and possessing the files of CSAM.

Alexander Medina DOB/10-06-2000 was arrested and charged as follows:

- Possession of Child Pornography (Three counts)
- Possession of a Sexual Performance by a Child with Intent to Promote
- Unlawful Use of a Two-Way Communication Device
- No bond.

The investigation continues.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis has a zero tolerance for possession of Child Sexual Abuse Material. Any and all tips are, and will be, meticulously investigated, no stone will be left unturned. Any person who possesses material of this nature will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Hernando County Crime Stoppers / Anonymous Tips

If you have information on this case, please contact Hernando County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous!

Hernando County Crime Stoppers can be reached by phone at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or **TIPS from a cell phone.

You may also submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> .

You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000 cash!