Case No: 2026 CR19

COUNTY OF BACA)
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STATE OF COLORADO)

IN THE COMBINED COURT

DATE FILED
August 25, 2026

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT

BEFORE THE HONORABLE Mab David
JUDGE / MAGISTRATE

Your Affiant, Special Agent Joy Moss, a commissioned law enforcement officer, being duly sworn, deposes and says that I have probable cause to believe that the person known as:

Dustin Dwayne Martin
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Age: 37 years
Race/Sex: White Male
Height/Weight: 6'0" / 250 lbs
Hair/Eyes: Brown / Blue
Driver's License:
Address: [redacted]

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has committed the following criminal offense(s), namely:

1. C.R.S. 18-3-306 (1) -Internet luring of a child, F5

The facts establishing probable cause to believe that a criminal offense was committed and that the above-named person committed that offense, and showing grounds for the issuance of an arrest warrant are as follows:

Your Affiant is Special Agent Joy Moss, a sworn law enforcement officer for the Colorado Bureau of Investigation, located in the State of Colorado. Your Affiant has been a Colorado Bureau of Investigation (CBI) Agent since February 2023 and is currently assigned to the Major Crimes Unit of the CBI Pueblo Field Office Major Crimes Unit. Your Affiant is also assigned as a member of the Colorado Internet Crimes against Children (ICAC) Task Force, which investigates the sexual exploitation of children. I have received training and on-the-job training for cases involving the sexual exploitation of children and the trafficking of adults and children. As part of my duties, I investigate criminal violations involving child exploitation and child pornography, including violations pertaining to the illegal production, distribution, receipt, and possession of child pornography, and the enticement of a child to engage in illegal sexual activity, in violation of the Colorado Revised Statutes (CRS). I have had the opportunity to observe and review numerous examples of child pornography in all forms of media, including computer media.

This affidavit is submitted in support of an application for an arrest warrant for the person described in Attachment A (Dustin Dwayne Martin), there being probable cause to believe that the subject is in violation of the Colorado Revised Statutes.

Because this affidavit is being submitted for the limited purpose of securing an arrest warrant, I have not included each and every fact known to me concerning this investigation. I have set forth facts that I believe are necessary to establish probable cause to believe that violations of the Colorado Revised Statutes have occurred.

The information contained within the affidavit is based on my training and experience, as well as information imparted to me by other law enforcement officers involved in this investigation.

Definitions

The following definitions apply to this Affidavit.

"Chat," as used herein, refers to any kind of text communication over the Internet that is transmitted in real-time from sender to receiver. Chat messages are generally short in order to enable other participants to respond quickly and in a format that resembles a conversation. This feature distinguishes chatting from other text-based online communications such as Internet forums and email.

"Child erotica," as used herein, means materials or items that are sexually arousing to persons having a sexual interest in minors but that are not necessarily obscene or do not necessarily depict minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct.

"Child pornography," or "Child Sexual Abuse Material (CSAM)" is any visual depiction, including any photograph, film, video, picture, or computer or computer-generated image or picture, whether made or produced by electronic, mechanical or other means, of sexually explicit conduct, where the production of the visual depiction involved the use of a minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct or the visual depiction has been created, adapted, or modified to appear that an identifiable minor is engaged in sexually explicit conduct.

"Computer," as used herein, refers to "an electronic, magnetic, optical, electrochemical, or other high-speed data processing device performing logical or storage functions, and includes any data storage facility or communications facility directly related to or operating in conjunction with such device" and includes smartphones, other mobile phones, and other mobile devices.

"Computer hardware," as used herein, consists of all equipment that can receive, capture, collect, analyze, create, display, convert, store, conceal, or transmit electronic, magnetic, or similar computer impulses or data. Computer hardware includes any data-processing devices (including central processing units, internal and peripheral storage devices such as fixed disks, external hard drives, "thumb," "jump," or "flash" drives, which are small devices that are plugged into a port on the computer, and other memory storage devices); peripheral input/output devices (including keyboards, printers, video display monitors, and related communications devices such as cables and connections); as well as any devices, mechanisms, or parts that can be used to restrict access to computer hardware (including physical keys and locks).

"Computer passwords and data security devices," as used herein, consist of information or items designed to restrict access to or hide computer software, documentation, or data. Data security devices may consist of hardware, software, or other programming code. A password (a string of alpha-numeric characters) usually operates what might be termed a digital key to "unlock" particular data security devices. Data security hardware may include encryption devices, chips, and circuit boards. Data security software may include programming code that creates "test" keys or "hot" keys, which perform certain pre-set security

functions when touched. Data security software or code may also encrypt, compress, hide, or "booby-trap" protected data to make it inaccessible or unusable, as well as reverse the process to restore it.

"Computer-related documentation," as used herein, consists of written, recorded, printed, or electronically stored material that explains or illustrates how to configure or use computer hardware, computer software, or other related items.

"Computer software," as used herein, is digital information that can be interpreted by a computer and any of its related components to direct the way it works. Computer software is stored in electronic, magnetic, or other digital form. It commonly includes programs to run operating systems, applications, and utilities.

The "Internet" is a global network of computers and other electronic devices that communicate with each other. Due to the structure of the Internet, connections between devices on the Internet often cross state and international borders, even when the devices communicating with each other are in the same state.

"Child," as defined in CRS 18-6-403 (2) (a), refers to any person who is less than eighteen years of age.

"Records," "documents," and "materials," as used herein, include all information recorded in any form, visual or aural, and by any means, whether in handmade, photographic, mechanical, electrical, electronic, or magnetic form.

"Sexually explicit conduct," means actual or simulated (a) sexual intercourse, including genital-genital, oral-genital, anal-genital, or oral-anal, whether between persons of the same or opposite sex; (b) bestiality; (c) masturbation; (d) sadistic or masochistic abuse; or (e) lascivious exhibition of the anus, genitals, or pubic area of any person.

Initial Assignment

On August 19, 2026, I was assigned to assist the Orange County Sheriff's Office (OCSO) with the investigation of OCSO Case No. 26-041586, which was an investigation being conducted by Detective Jeffrey Payne (Badge 7576) of the Orange County Sheriff's Office (OCSO), Sex Crimes Unit, Ninth Judicial Circuit, Orange County, Florida.

I began reviewing the content and information Detective Payne sent me. The summary below was generated with assistance from an artificial intelligence tool. I have reviewed the document in detail, made any necessary edits, and believe it accurately represents the reported events.

1. UNDERCOVER OPERATION

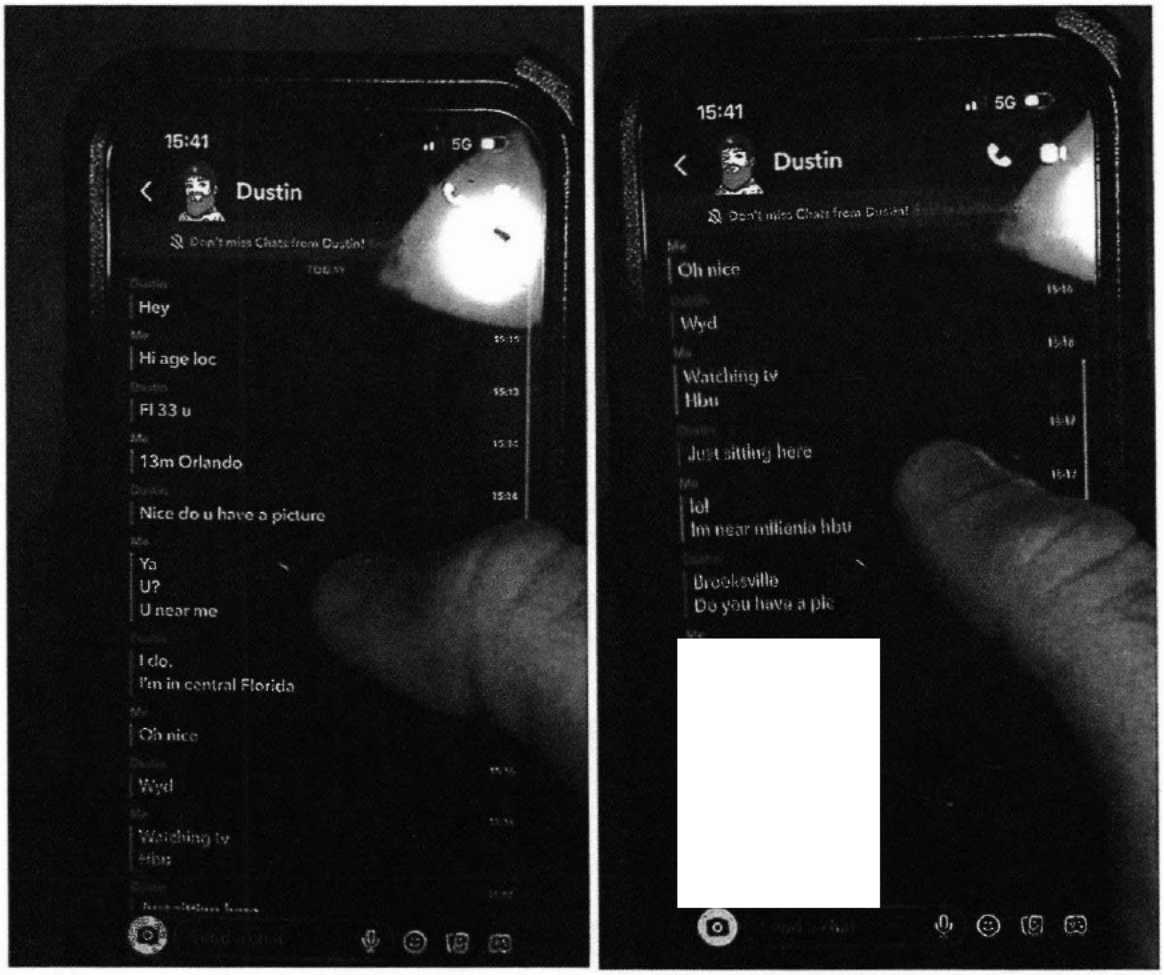
On July 17, 2026, Detective Jeffrey Payne (Badge 7576) of the Orange County Sheriff's Office Sex Crimes Unit was operating an undercover Snapchat account as part of an ongoing investigation into the online solicitation of minors. At approximately 05:51:25 UTC, the Snapchat user "unclepopo88" (Display Name: Dustin) added the undercover account from an IPv4 address that resolved to T-Mobile.

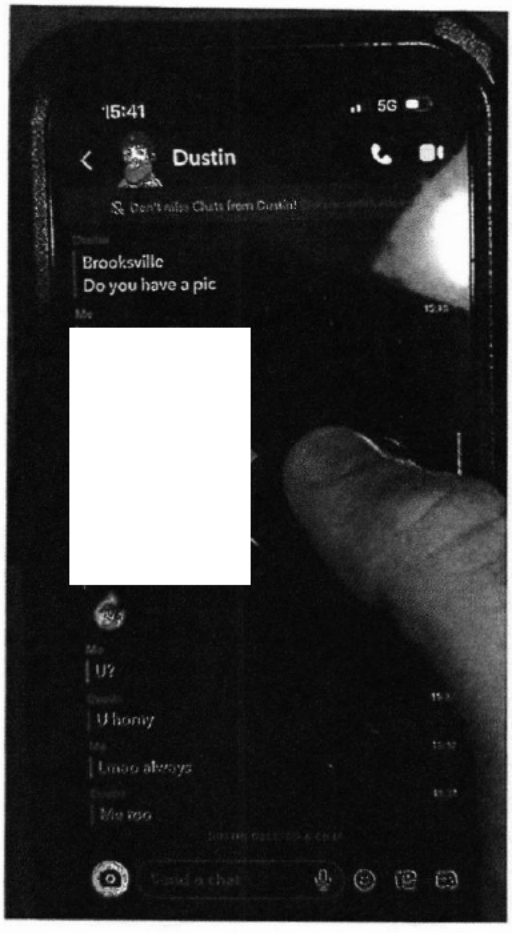
The user "unclepopo88" initiated a conversation with the undercover account. The suspect identified himself as a thirty-three (33) year old male living in Brooksville, Florida. Detective Payne, in his undercover capacity, identified himself as a thirteen (13) year old male in Orlando, Florida. Upon learning the undercover's stated age of thirteen years, the suspect continued the conversation and responded, "Nice do u have a picture."

The suspect then asked the undercover if he was "horny" and if he was "hard." The suspect transmitted several Snapchat images ("snaps") depicting the crotch area of an adult white male in khaki pants. The suspect then asked the undercover if he wanted the suspect to come "fuck" him, and continued to engage in explicit sexual conversation with the undercover.

These communications constitute knowingly communicating over a computer network or data network to a person the actor believed to be under fifteen years of age, describing explicit sexual conduct, and making a statement inviting the person to meet the actor, in violation of C.R.S. 18-3-306. The suspect, DOB [redacted] is thirty-seven (37) years of age — more than four years older than the thirteen (13) year old age the suspect believed the undercover to be.

The following are still images from Detective Payne's conversation. The images sent by "Dustin" were not included.

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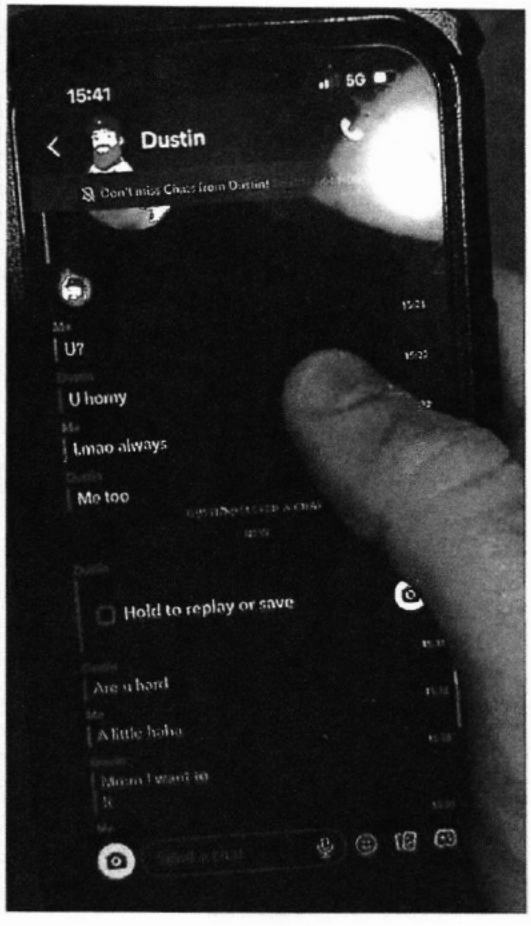
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U horny
Lmao always
Me too
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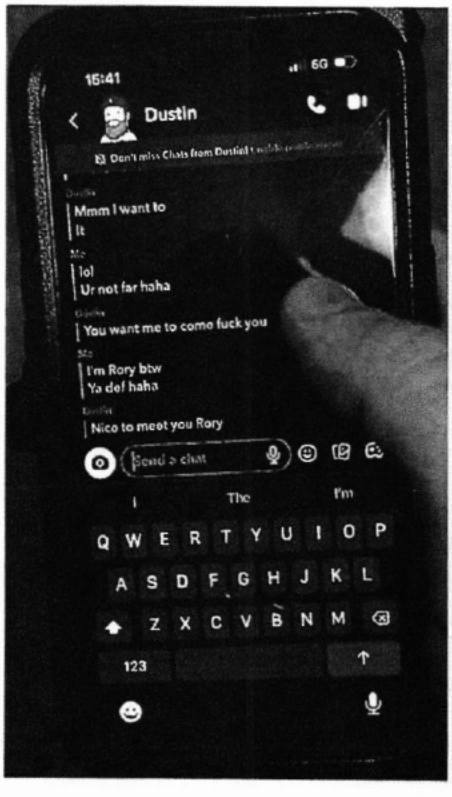
Are u hard
A little haha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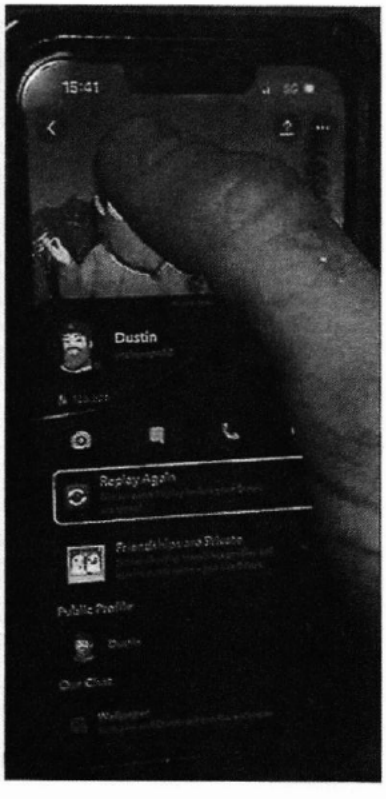
Ya def haha
Nice to meet you Rory
Send a chat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2. SNAPCHAT SEARCH WARRANT RETURN

On July 18, 2026, Detective Payne authored an Affidavit for Search Warrant targeting Snapchat account "unclepopo88," which was signed by the Honorable Judge Christine E. Arendas, Ninth Judicial Circuit, Orange County, Florida.

On August 3, 2026, Detective Payne received the Snapchat search warrant return, which revealed the following:

- The account "unclepopo88" was created on February 9, 2018.
- The phone number 1-719-353-1459 and email address ddmartin88@gmail.com are associated with this account.
- The account is operating on an iOS device, version 14.12.0.
- The birthdate May 10, 1952, is associated with the account — an apparently fictitious date used to obscure the account holder's true identity.
- Records of communications between the undercover account and "unclepopo88" were recovered; however, the message content itself was not recovered, consistent with Snapchat's ephemeral messaging architecture.
- The photograph sent by the undercover to the suspect was recovered from the account, corroborating that the communication occurred.
- In communications with other Snapchat users, the account holder identified himself as a thirty-six (36) year old male living in Colorado.
- Numerous photographs of an adult white male, presumed to be the account owner, were recovered. Several of these photographs depicted this individual dressed in law enforcement attire.

3. T-MOBILE SUBPOENA RETURN

On August 4, 2026, the State Attorney's Office, Ninth Judicial Circuit, issued a Witness Subpoena (Duces Tecum) to T-Mobile for records associated with phone number (719) 353-1459. On August 8, 2026, T-Mobile provided subscriber records (Tracking ID:). On August 11, 2026, T-Mobile Custodian of Records Darius Simmons certified the records under penalty of perjury, confirming the following:

- Subscriber Name: Dustin Martin
- [redacted]
- [redacted]
- [redacted]
- Billing Account Number (BAN): (Activated 06/24/2021)
- Device IMEI:
- Device IMSI:
- SIM ICCID:
- Rate Plan: Go5G Plus 1 Line
- Ported In from TMUS

The T-Mobile subscriber records corroborate the Snapchat subscriber data, confirming that the phone number associated with the "unclepopo88" account belongs to Dustin Dwayne Martin of 757 Santa Fe Street, Springfield, Colorado 81073.

4. BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION AND IDENTITY CORROBORATION

A Law Enforcement Support Packet (LESP) was prepared by CBI Analyst K. Bacon on August 19, 2026, which further corroborates the identity of the suspect as Dustin Dwayne Martin, DOB 12/09/1988, of 757 Santa Fe Street, Springfield, Colorado 81073. The LESP confirms:

- The suspect holds a Colorado Class A Commercial Driver's License, No. expiring

12/09/2029.

- The suspect is employed as a law enforcement officer with the Town of Springfield, Colorado (748 Main St, Springfield, CO 81073). This corroborates the photographs of the suspect in law enforcement attire recovered from his Snapchat account.
- The suspect's Snapchat username "unclepopo88" is corroborated by a photograph of the suspect with his niece, Brooklyn Dawn Freed (DOB 10/25/2012), in which the niece is identified as calling the suspect "Popo" — possibly explaining the origin of the username.
- The suspect operates a 2018 Toyota Camry, Colorado Tag CO FJFG45, registered to an address on Santa Fe Street, Springfield, Colorado.
- The suspect has no prior criminal history, no active warrants, and is not registered as a sex offender as of the date of the LESP.

5. ELEMENTS OF C.R.S. 18-3-306 ESTABLISHED

Based on the foregoing, your affiant submits that probable cause exists to believe that Dustin Dwayne Martin committed Internet Luring of a Child in violation of C.R.S. 18-3-306, in that:

a) The suspect knowingly communicated over a computer network and data network (Snapchat) to a person he believed to be under fifteen (15) years of age (the undercover identified himself as thirteen (13) years old);
b) In that communication, the suspect described explicit sexual conduct, including transmitting images depicting the crotch area of an adult male and asking the undercover if he was "horny" and "hard";
c) In connection with that description, the suspect made a statement inviting the person to meet the actor, specifically asking the undercover if he wanted the suspect to come "fuck" him;
d) The suspect, [redacted] is thirty-seven (37) years of age, more than four (4) years older than the thirteen (13) year old age the suspect believed the undercover to be;
e) It is not a defense that a meeting did not occur.

CONCLUSION

Based upon the foregoing facts and circumstances, your affiant respectfully submits that there is probable cause to believe that Dustin Dwayne Martin, [redacted] has committed Internet Luring of a Child in violation of Colorado Revised Statutes Section 18-3-306, and respectfully requests that this Court issue an arrest warrant for the arrest of Dustin Dwayne Martin.

I am a peace officer pursuant to C.R.S. § 16-2.5-102, 103, certified by the peace officers standards and training board pursuant to part 3 of article 31 of Title 24, C.R.S., and have the authority to enforce all laws of the State of Colorado while acting within the scope of my authority and in the performance of my duties. I hereby swear and affirm that the information stated in this affidavit is true and accurate.

Approved 8/25/26

AFFIANT