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MEDIA RELEASE

ASSIGNED PIO: Sergeant Angela Goodwin

PPPD CASE NUMBER: 2018-008447

DATE: 02.05.18

TIME: 1:30 PM

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: 17019 NW 23 Street, Pembroke Pines, FL 33023

CHARGE/INCIDENT: Sexual Battery by Custodian with Victim 12 YOA or older but under 18 YOA

SUSPECT(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

- 1) Henry Jose Gonzalez W/M 10/22/81, 17019 NW 23 Street Pembroke Pines, FL 33027
- 2)

VICTIM(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

- 1) N/A
- 2)

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

The suspect sexually abused the victim (his niece) multiple times at his residence when she visited with her family. The victim visited the suspect's residence on several occasions from June 2017 through October 2017. The suspect had regular contact with the victim in between these visits using the WhatsApp cellular application. The suspect transmitted sexually explicit images to the victim via this app and also solicited the victim to provide him with nude images of herself, her friend, and her mother. The suspect was arrested at his residence and transported to the Pembroke Pines Police Department. The suspect initially provided a statement to the Detective, post his Miranda warnings. During his statement, the suspect admitted to sending the explicit images and sexual text messages, but then invoked his rights, ending the interview. The suspect was transported to BSO jail without incident. There will be no further information released at this time.