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### Abilene Man Arrested for Sexual Performance by Child

ABILENE, TX – The Abilene Police Department Cyber Crimes arrested a 32-year-old Abilene man for sexual crimes against children. Vinson Higginbotham (32 yoa), was contacted during an investigation regarding his failure to comply with his sex offender registry. On Monday, July 6, 2020, Higginbotham was contacted at a home located in North Abilene. He was cooperative with the investigation and was found to be in possession of child pornography to include a nude image of a child under the age of 14. He was arrested and charged with Second Degree Felony Sexual Performance of a Child, and Third Degree Felony Possession of Child Pornography. He was transported to the Taylor County Jail and being held on bonds totaling \$70,000.



Vinson Higginbotham

Respectfully,

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