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Sexual Assault Suspect Arraigned

On February 4, 2013 Troy Police officers responded to a residence in Troy for a reported “domestic” situation. The information relayed to the police department was that a female at the residence was being “attacked or beaten.” Officers arrived and found a 17-year-old female in the basement hiding. The victim had a bruise to her head and minor injuries to her neck and arms indicating a possible struggle. Officers also noted numerous sexual provocative materials around the home along with a camera/tri-pod set up. Officers talked to the owner of the residence – Christopher George Hill, age 48, who made admissions he knew the victim to be 17-years-old, she was a runaway, and had been staying with him since November of 2012. Hill also later made admissions to taking nude photos of the victim and engaging in sexual activity with her while taking video images of the activities. Hill indicated he also transferred the images to a computer and a portable computer drive. The victim stated Hill had assaulted her on February 4 when she would not consent to sex. Officers obtained a search warrant and confiscated computers, computer drives, cameras, a smart-phone and sexual material. Troy police investigators conducted extensive forensic testing of confiscated computer equipment and found multiple images pertaining to improper sexual conduct by Hill and the victim. Hill was arraigned on March 15, 2013 before Judge William E. Bolle of the 52-4 District Court in Troy on the following charges along with bond information:

- **3 counts: Child Sexually Abusive Activity; each count a 20-year Felony; bond is set at \$20,000 cash or surety for each count.**
- **3 counts: Computers – Using to Commit a Crime; each count a maximum of 20 years, or more or life felony; bond is set at \$20,000 cash or surety for each count.**
- **2 counts: Criminal Sexual Conduct – Third Degree; each count is a 15-year felony and bond is set at \$20,000 cash or surety for each count.**
- **1 count: Domestic Violence; 93 day misdemeanor and bond is set at \$5,000 cash or surety.**

Next court date will be Monday March 18, 2013 at 8:30am before Judge William E. Bolle of the 52-4 District Court for a preliminary exam conference.

The Troy Police Department is seeking public assistance to locate any other possible victims of Christopher George Hill. Please call (248)524-3450 if anyone has information of potential victims.



Christopher George Hill, age 48 of Troy