

## HOLLIS POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Press Release

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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On February 11, 2021 the Hollis Police Department, with assistance from the NH Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office, Nashua and Amherst Police Departments, executed a search warrant on a Hollis residence, concluding a 3 month-long investigation with the seizure of several electronic devices.

Resulting from the execution of this search warrant and the subsequent investigation, an arrest warrant was issued on April 9, 2021 for Richard E Charity (age 50) of Hollis for the violation of NH RSA 649-A:3,I(a) Possession of Child Sexual Abuse Images, and NH RSA 649-A:3-a,I(a) Distribution of Child Sexual Abuse Images.

Richard E Charity turned himself in on April 13, 2021, was booked and released on cash bail with an arraignment to be scheduled for a later date in the Hillsborough County Superior Court.

Anyone with information regarding the possession, distribution, or manufacture of Child Sexual Abuse Images should contact Detective Kurt Thompson at (603) 465-7637, or the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC) at 1-800-843-5678. Reports can also be made online at report.cybertip.org