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SEXUAL ASSAULT ON A CHILD SUSPECT IN CUSTODY

On July 23, 2013, at about 3:30pm, Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office deputies were called to a residence in the 7000 block of South Blackhawk Street on a report of a child sexual assault. Deputies contacted a 14-year-old male victim who reported that he had met a male, known only to him as "Zach," on an internet chat site. The victim had continued conversation with the male, and on July 22, 2013, disclosed his home address. During the afternoon of July 22, 2013, the adult male suspect arrived at the victim's home. After a brief period of time, the juvenile was allegedly sexually assaulted.

On July 23, 2013, Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Investigators responded to the scene. Upon further investigation, the suspect was identified as:



Zachary Hamilton-Smith
Age: 19
Monument, Colorado

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Zachary Hamilton-Smith was contacted at his residence, and with the assistance of the Monument Police Department, the suspect was taken into custody without incident. The suspect is being held in the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office Detention Facility without bond.

Hamilton-Smith will be charged with violations of:

C.R.S. 18-3-405: Sexual Assault on a Child, a class 4 Felony - No Bond offense

If you have any information related to this incident, or other allegations of criminal behavior involving Zachary Hamilton-Smith, please contact the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office at 303.795.4711.

For additional information, please contact Undersheriff David Walcher at 720-874-4176.

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