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Type of Case: Possession of Child Pornography Date Occurred: 10/18/2023

SUMMARY:

On 10/18/23, Detectives with the San Bernardino Police Department ICAC (Internet Crimes Against Children) Task Force and Specialized Crimes Unit served a residential search warrant/arrest warrant in the City of Claremont, referencing suspected producing, possessing, and disseminating child pornography (SBPD 23-113138).

ICAC Detectives discovered 60-year-old Rene Gregorio Estrella to be distributing and receiving child pornography in connection with the recent investigation regarding the Steven Frasher arrest (SBPD #23-103724). Multiple images of child pornography were shared among them.

Estrella was identified as being a teacher in the Los Angeles Unified School District. Estrella was taken into custody early this morning around 6:30 a.m. for the distribution of child pornography.

An additional search warrant was served later in the morning in the City of Los Angeles. Numerous electronic devices were taken throughout the service of these search warrants. The investigation remains ongoing.

The San Bernardino Police Department is a Los Angeles Regional ICAC Task Force member. The ICAC program is a part of a national network of 61 coordinated task forces comprised of over 4,500 federal, state, local law enforcement, and prosecutorial agencies. Nationally, task forces such as this engage in proactive and reactive investigations dedicated to the arrest and prosecuting of those involved in child abuse and exploitation on the Internet.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact Detective Walton of the ICAC Task Force at (909) 384-5644 or by email at Walton cl@sbcity.org.