



# SHERIFF

## SEMINOLE COUNTY

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### Suspect arrested on 10 counts of Possessing Child Pornography

Seminole Co. – (June 21, 2017) – Today, Seminole County Sheriff's investigators arrested Benjamin Akers and charged him with 10 counts of Possession of a Photo/Movie Sexual Performance of a Child.

The investigation began on May 24, 2017, when investigators received information that Akers used electronic devices to download child pornography while at his residence located at 5118 Tangerine Avenue in unincorporated Winter Park. This morning, investigators executed a search warrant at the address. Akers was questioned and cooperated with the investigation. Based on his statements and evidence collected from an initial digital forensic examination of his computer, Akers was arrested and booked into the John E. Polk Correctional Facility. He currently remains incarcerated on a \$350,000 bond. This investigation is ongoing.

Arrestee:

Benjamin Akers (DOB 12/06/65), 5118 Tangerine Avenue, Winter Park

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