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POLICE MAKE ARREST IN INDECENT EXPOSURE INCIDENT

SUFFOLK, Virginia (March 13, 2015) Suffolk Police have made an arrest following an indecent exposure incident which occurred earlier this morning.

Emergency Communications received a call at 8:16 a.m. from the Suffolk Public School Transportation Department following a report from a bus driver that she had been advised that an adult male had exposed his genitals to students on the bus in the area of Hawk Lane and Wren Road as it was transporting students to King's Fork High School.

Based on the description provided by the students police were able to locate the suspect, who has been identified as Seth Orlando Copeland, age 57, of Suffolk.

Copeland was arrested and charged with 6 counts of Indecent Exposure, based on the number of students on the bus, and 2 counts of Indecent Liberties with a Child, based on the age category of 2 of the students. All of the students were between 14 and 16 years of age. Copeland is currently being held at Western Tidewater Regional Jail.

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