

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN CIRCUIT COURT

COUNTY OF BROWN

FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

<p>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Plaintiff,</p> <p>vs.</p> <p>KENNETH RANDELL VANCE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Defendant.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">CRI23-248</p> <p style="text-align: center;">INDICTMENT FOR:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Count 1</p> <p>RAPE, FIRST DEGREE in violation of SDCL 22-22-1(1)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Count 2</p> <p>AGGRAVATED INCEST in violation of SDCL 22-22A-3(1)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Count 3</p> <p>SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR in violation of SDCL 22-22-24.3(1)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Count 4</p> <p>PURCHASING OR POSSESSING CHILD-LIKE SEX DOLL in violation of SDCL 22-24A-3.1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Count 5</p> <p>PURCHASING OR POSSESSING CHILD-LIKE SEX DOLL in violation of SDCL 22-24A-3.1</p>
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THE BROWN COUNTY GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT 1

That on or about the 11th day of November, 2022, in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, KENNETH RANDELL VANCE, did commit the public offense of RAPE, FIRST DEGREE, in that he did accomplish an act of sexual penetration with any person who is less than thirteen years of age, to-wit: Kenneth Randell Vance did accomplish an act of sexual penetration with [REDACTED], age [REDACTED] at the time, in violation of SDCL 22-22-1(1) (Cl. C felony);

COUNT 2

That on or about the 11th day of November, 2022, in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, KENNETH RANDELL VANCE, did commit the public offense of AGGRAVATED INCEST, in that he did knowingly engage in an act of sexual penetration with a person who is less than 18 years of age and is the [REDACTED] of the perpetrator or the [REDACTED] of a spouse or former spouse of the perpetrator, to-wit: Kenneth Randell Vance did knowingly engage in an act of sexual penetration with [REDACTED], age [REDACTED] at the time, and is his child, in violation of SDCL 22-22A-3(1), (Cl. 3 felony);

COUNT 3

That on or about the 11th day of November, 2022, in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, KENNETH RANDELL VANCE, did commit the public offense of SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR, in that he did cause or knowingly permit a minor to engage in an activity or the simulation of an activity that is harmful to minors, to-wit: Kenneth Randell Vance did cause or knowingly permit [REDACTED] age [REDACTED] at the time, to engage in an activity or in the simulation of an activity that is harmful to minors, in violation of SDCL 22-22-24.3(1), (Cl. 6 felony);

COUNT 4

That on or about the 11th day of November, 2022, in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, KENNETH RANDELL VANCE, did commit the public offense of PURCHASING OR POSSESSING CHILD-LIKE SEX DOLL, in that he did knowingly purchase or possess a child-like sex doll, to-wit: Kenneth Randell Vance did knowingly purchase or possess a child-like sex doll, in violation of SDCL 22-24A-3.1, (Cl. 1 Misd);

COUNT 5

That on or about the 11th day of November, 2022, in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, KENNETH RANDELL VANCE, did commit the public offense of PURCHASING OR POSSESSING CHILD-LIKE SEX DOLL, in that he did knowingly purchase or possess a child-like sex doll, to-wit: Kenneth Randell Vance did knowingly purchase or possess a child-like sex doll, in violation of SDCL 22-24A-3.1, (Cl. 1 Misd);

Dated this 8 day of March, 2023, at Aberdeen, South Dakota.

A True Bill
"A TRUE BILL"

THIS INDICTMENT IS MADE WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF AT LEAST SIX GRAND JURORS.

NAME REDACTED
Grand Jury Foreperson

WITNESSES WHO TESTIFIED BEFORE THE GRAND JURY IN REGARD TO THIS INDICTMENT:

[REDACTED]
Investigator Jon Lemke
Detective Jordan Majeske

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COUNTY OF BROWN)

REQUEST FOR WARRANT

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney in the above matter does hereby request a Warrant to be issued against the above Defendant.

Dated this 8 day of March, 2023 at Aberdeen, South Dakota.

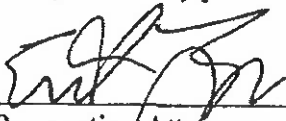


Prosecuting Attorney

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NOTICE OF DEMAND FOR
ALIBI DEFENSE

The undersigned, as prosecuting attorney in the above matter hereby state that the alleged offenses were committed on or about the 11th day of November, 2022 in Brown County, South Dakota. I hereby request that Defendant and his attorney serve upon me a written notice of his intention to offer a defense of alibi within ten days as provided in SDCL 23A-9-1. Failure to provide such notice of an alibi defense may result in exclusion of any testimony pertaining to an alibi defense.



Prosecuting Attorney