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## Johns Island man charged with six counts of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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**NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C.** – The Charleston County Sheriff's Office arrested James Francis Halpin, 77, of Johns Island, on Friday, October 11, 2024, after a search warrant was conducted on his residence in the 1500 block of Thin Pine Drive after the South Carolina Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) task force received a cyber tip.

Halpin is charged with six counts of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor in the Third Degree. Enclosed in this release are the affidavits with each charge.

He was booked at the Sheriff Al Cannon Detention Center. Booking photos can be found online at https://inmatesearch.charlestoncounty.org/. For photos of people already released, click the "Show Past Bookings" box.

Assisting agencies include the Mount Pleasant Police Department, the Charleston Police Department, and Homeland Security Investigations.

