



# News Release

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**Media Advisory: Alachua County Sheriff's Office Detectives Arrest ACSO Detention Deputy for Sexual Assault**

Detectives with the Alachua County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division arrested 34-year-old Donald A. Dixon, of Gainesville, today on a warrant for Sexual Assault on a Victim 12-18 Years of Age and Use of a Computer to Seduce, Solicit or Lure a Child. Bond was set at \$350,000.

Mr. Dixon had been employed as a Detention Deputy at the Alachua County Department of the Jail since June 1, 2015.

Sheriff Darnell suspended Dixon after allegations came to light earlier this week. Upon his arrest today Mr. Dixon's employment with the Alachua County Sheriff's Office has been terminated.

Additional charges are pending as the investigation continues.

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