

**WARRANT OF ARREST**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS  
397-2025-0021246-2**

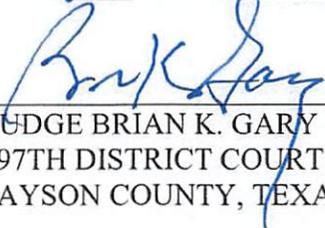
TO ANY SHERIFF, CONSTABLE, OR PEACE OFFICER OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO ARREST **DALTON JOE MCCASLIN** IF FOUND TO BE IN YOUR COUNTY AND BRING HIM/HER BEFORE ME, A MAGISTRATE IN AND OF GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS AT MY OFFICE IN SHERMAN, TEXAS IN SAID COUNTY. IMMEDIATELY, THEN AND THERE TO ANSWER THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR AN OFFENSE AGAINST THE LAWS OF SAID STATE, TO-WIT:

- **COUNT 1: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011(a)(2)(A); Second Degree Felony)**
- **COUNT 2: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011 (a)(2)(B); Second Degree Felony)**
- **COUNT 3: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011 (a)(2)(C); Second Degree Felony)**

OF WHICH OFFENSE, **DALTON JOE MCCASLIN**, IS ACCUSED BY THE WRITTEN COMPLAINANT, UNDER OATH, OF **TEXAS RANGER HEATH PEACOCK**, FILED BEFORE ME AND INCORPORATED HEREIN FOR ALL PURPOSES. HEREIN FAIL NOT, BUT OF THIS WRIT MAKE DUE RETURN, SHOWING HOW YOU EXECUTED THE SAME.

WITNESS MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE, THIS 24<sup>th</sup> DAY OF March, 2026.

  
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 JUDGE BRIAN K. GARY  
 397TH DISTRICT COURT  
 GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS

**RETURN**

CAME TO HAND ON THE \_\_\_ DAY OF MARCH, 2026, AT \_\_\_ O’CLOCK PM, AND EXECUTED ON THE \_\_\_ DAY OF MARCH, 2026, AT \_\_\_ O’CLOCK, AM, BY ARRESTING THE WITHIN NAMED **DALTON JOE MCCASLIN**, AND PLACING HIM/ HER IN JAIL AT GRAYSON COUNTY JAIL UNDER LISTED WARRANT CHARGES.

BY \_\_\_\_\_  
TEXAS PEACE OFFICER

**IDENTIFIERS OF ACCUSED**

**D.O.B.: 10/19/2001, SEX: MALE, HT: 6’01”, WT:190, RACE: WHITE, HAIR: BROWN, EYES: HAZEL, LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: . VAN ALSTYNE, TX**

# COMPLAINT

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
VS  
DALTON JOE MCCASLIN  
397-2025-0021246-2

**IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

**BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED HEATH B. PEACOCK WHO, AFTER BEING SWORN, UPON OATH DEPOSES AND SAYS,**

I have good reason and do believe based upon the following information:

THE SWORN AFFIDAVIT OF TEXAS RANGER HEATH B. PEACOCK OF THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED A PART HEREOF FOR ALL PURPOSES AND IS INCORPORATED HEREIN FOR ALL PURPOSES,

and I charge that heretofore, and before the making and filing of this complaint, that on or about December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, in Grayson County and The State of Texas, **DALTON JOE MCCASLIN**, Defendant, did then and there commit the following felony offenses:

- **COUNT 1: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011; Second Degree Felony)**
    - o A person commits an offense if the person: (1) intentionally or knowingly causes the penetration of the sex organ (vagina) of the victim . a child who was younger than 17 years of age, by the Defendant's sexual organ (penis).
    - o (f) An offense under this section is a felony of the second degree...
  
  - **COUNT 2: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011; Second Degree Felony)**
    - o A person commits an offense if the person: (2) intentionally or knowingly causes the penetration of the mouth of the victim . a child who was younger than 17 years of age, by the defendant's sexual organ (penis).
    - o (f) An offense under this section is a felony of the second degree...
  
  - **COUNT 3: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011; Second Degree Felony)**
    - o A person commits an offense if the person (3) intentionally or knowingly causes the sexual organ (vagina) of a child who was younger than 17 years of age, to come in contact with or penetrate the defendant's mouth and tongue.
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- o (f) An offense under this section is a felony of the second degree...

**AGAINST THE PEACE AND DIGNITY OF THE STATE.**

  
AFFIANT

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME THIS 26<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2026.

  
JUDGE BRIAN K. GARY  
397TH DISTRICT COURT  
GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
**vs**  
**DALTON JOE MCCASLIN**  
**397-2025-0021246-2**

**MAGISTRATE'S DETERMINATION OF PROBABLE CAUSE**

On this, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026, I hereby acknowledge that I have examined the foregoing affidavit, to which AFFIANT HAS SWORN BEFORE ME (and is attached and/or incorporated herein for all purposes), and have determined that probable cause exists for the issuance of an arrest warrant for the individual accused therein for the counts and offenses alleged.

  
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JUDGE BRIAN K. GARY  
397TH DISTRICT COURT  
GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS

**AFFIDAVIT FOR WARRANT OF ARREST**  
**STATE OF TEXAS**  
**COUNTY OF GRAYSON**  
**397-2025-0021246-2**

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED THE UNDERSIGNED AFFIANT WHO, AFTER BEING DULY SWORN BY ME, ON OATH STATED:

"My name is Heath B. Peacock, and I am a Certified Peace Officer currently employed by the TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY as a Texas Ranger."

"I have good reason to believe and do believe that on or around December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, in Grayson County and The State of Texas, **DALTON JOE MCCASLIN**, Defendant, did then and there commit the felony offenses of:

- **COUNT 1: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011; Second Degree Felony)**
  - o A person commits an offense if the person: (1) intentionally or knowingly causes the penetration of the sex organ (vagina) of the victim \_\_\_\_\_, a child who was younger than 17 years of age, by the Defendant's sexual organ (penis).
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- **COUNT 3: SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD (Texas Penal Code §22.011; Second Degree Felony)**
  - o A person commits an offense if the person (3) intentionally or knowingly causes the sexual organ (vagina) of a child \_\_\_\_\_ who was younger than 17 years of age, to come in contact with or penetrate the defendant's mouth and tongue.
  - o (f) An offense under this section is a felony of the second degree...

MY BELIEF IS BASED ON THE FOLLOWING FACTS AND INFORMATION:

I, **HEATH PEACOCK**, AM A CERTIFIED PEACE OFFICER IN THE STATE OF TEXAS AND HAVE BEEN FOR APPROXIMATELY 28 YEARS. I AM EMPLOYED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AS A TEXAS RANGER. DURING THE COURSE OF MY NORMAL DUTIES, I RECIEVED THE FOLLOWING REPORT FOR INVESTIGATION.

My probable cause for said belief and accusation is as follows:

On Saturday, 05-15-2025, at approximately 11:22 AM, I contacted Howe Police Department by phone and was informed that HPD had been approached by a female who was claiming to have been victimized by several members of the Howe Fire Department while she was a Junior Fire Fighter. This victim identified herself to the Officer taking the report and requested a pseudonym for protection. In this affidavit, the victim will be referred to [REDACTED]. I arrived at HPD at approximately 7:00 PM and went over the details with HPD Lt. Sparks who had the bodycam videos and notes, gathered for my investigation, from the patrol officer who took the initial report/outcry.

On 05-16-2025, Ranger [REDACTED] and I conducted a victim interview of [REDACTED] at the Sherman Police Department (SPD). The interview was audio/video recorded. [REDACTED] was accompanied by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Prior to the interview, [REDACTED] gave consent for a forensic download of her cellphone. While interviewing [REDACTED] Ranger [REDACTED] took [REDACTED] phone to SPD Criminalist [REDACTED] to conduct a consent download while the interview was conducted and returned to the interview.

During the interview, [REDACTED] stated she was sixteen (16) years of age when she began working as a junior firefighter for the HFD in January of 2022. [REDACTED] said that she attended an HFD Monday training meeting held at the fire station with her parents, where she met the HFD volunteers and EMS staff and began participating as a junior firefighter. During this time, [REDACTED] began to become friends with many of the regular participants one of which was identified as DALTON JOE MCCASLIN.

While attending meetings and conducting HPD business, [REDACTED] was also sexually assaulted by another adult fire fighter while she was younger than 17 years of age. In her outcry she made accusations and admitted to having little evidence, other than her word, at the time. Through SnapChat search warrants and controlled phone calls/communications with the other suspect, [REDACTED] was able to solidify her credibility and develop evidence against the offenders.

[REDACTED] explained that on December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, which was the anniversary of her passing, she was upset and wanted to get away from her family. She contacted another fire fighter named [REDACTED] who came and picked her up in his pickup truck with McCaslin and they all went back to the apartment shared by [REDACTED] and McCaslin in Van Alstyne. While there, the three of them watched a movie in [REDACTED]'s room until he had fallen asleep. After that, [REDACTED] and McCaslin went into his bedroom and began having an intimate interaction during which McCaslin asked her if she was a virgin. When [REDACTED] told him yes, he began with using his hands to touch her body and it eventually lead to her performing oral sex on him and he performed oral sex on her.

[REDACTED] stated that she and McCaslin shared sexually explicit SnapChat communications while she was 16. [REDACTED] said that the communications contained sexually explicit conversations and photographs. [REDACTED] explained that if SnapChat conversations between her and McCaslin were obtained, there would be pornographic pictures of her as a minor on his phone. [REDACTED] was able to later identify McCaslin's SnapChat usernames (handle) as [REDACTED]. A following search warrant did not lead to the discovery of nude pictures of [REDACTED] or anything indicative of child pornography.

On 06-06-2025 at approximately 9:30 AM, Ranger [REDACTED] witnessed a forensic interview (FI) of [REDACTED] at the Grayson County Child Advocacy Center (CAC). [REDACTED] conducted the recorded interview. The statements made by [REDACTED] during the FI were consistent with the statements made during her interview with Ranger [REDACTED] 1 and I on 05-16-2025. During the FI, [REDACTED] went into more

detail about the sexual assault incidents involving the HFD fire fighters. According to '\_\_\_\_\_', the incidents of sexual assault all occurred before she turned the age of seventeen (17).

On March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026, Ranger \_\_\_\_\_ and I conducted a non-custodial interview/interrogation of McCaslin outside his residence in Van Alstyne. During that interview, McCaslin admitted to having a consensual sexual relationship with \_\_\_\_\_, whom he identified by name, and also admitted to knowing that \_\_\_\_\_ was younger than 17 years of age at the time she had been at his apartment. McCaslin could not recall the exact date but did remember it was cold outside. While together, McCaslin asked \_\_\_\_\_ if she was a virgin and she said yes. Because \_\_\_\_\_ claimed to be, they decided that they would not have intercourse. During the interview, he specifically admitted to having had oral sex performed on him by \_\_\_\_\_ at his residence which was located at 558 Nunnalee Ave in Van Alstyne, Texas 75495. McCaslin also stated that he had performed oral sex on \_\_\_\_\_. He also admitted to receiving a hand job and digitally penetrating \_\_\_\_\_'s sexual organ (vagina) with his fingers during the incident. McCaslin also stated that during his relationship with \_\_\_\_\_ he had received nude photographs of her through his SnapChat account but no longer had them because they were deleted in SnapChat.

Due to the interviews conducted with \_\_\_\_\_, the data from \_\_\_\_\_'s phone download, the corroboration of information gained from \_\_\_\_\_'s interviews, and the messages with McCaslin, your Affiant believes that there is probable cause for an arrest warrant for Dalton Joe McCaslin for Sexual Assault of a Child.

Further, on the facts of the case as presented above, I do believe that Dalton Joe McCaslin intentionally and knowingly committed multiple counts of SEXUAL ASSAULT of a CHILD, a violation of Texas Penal Code 22.011, a felony of the second degree against \_\_\_\_\_ as noted in the investigation and highlighted by McCaslin's own admissions.

WHEREFORE, AFFIANT REQUESTS THAT AN ARREST WARRANT BE ISSUED FOR THE ABOVE ACCUSED INDIVIDUAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW.

  
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AFFIANT

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 26<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2026.

  
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JUDGE BRIAN K. GARY  
397TH DISTRICT COURT  
GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS