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IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MISSOULA
BEFORE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Keyron A. Orzech JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

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STATE OF MONTANA
Plaintiff.

-VS-

JUSTIN GALE WALKER

Defendant.

Cause No. CR-2013-11644-62

COMPLAINT

JASON MARKS, Assistant Chief Deputy County Attorney, deposes and says that on or about the 19th day of December, 2013, in Missoula County, the Defendant committed the offense of COUNT I: SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-625(h), punishable by Life or 100 years MSP and a \$10,000 fine. The facts constituting the offense are:

COUNT I: On or about the 19th day of December, 2013, the abovenamed Defendant committed the offense of sexual abuse of children by traveling within the state with the intention of meeting a person the Defendant believed to be a 12 year old child to engage in sexual conduct.

DATED this 19th day of December, 2013.

JASON MARKS

Assistant Chief Deputy County Attorney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_ day of December, 2013. JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COMPLAINT 13-2963 Missoula City Police Dept SHERMER 

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Cause No. CR-2013-/1644-CZ

AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

JASON MARKS, Assistant Chief Deputy County Attorney, Montana, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

I have read the official law enforcement reports regarding the investigation of JUSTIN GALE WALKER for allegedly committing the offense(s) set forth in the complaint in and based upon the information contained in the reports, if true, believe probable cause exists to justify charging the above-named defendant as specified in the accompanying complaint.

On or about the 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2013, the Montana Internet Crimes Against Children task force along with members of the Missoula Police Department, Missoula County Sheriff's Department, and Flathead

County Sheriff's Department began a sting operation targeting people seeking to have sex with underage girls. They posted ads on Craigslist and Backpage purporting to be posted by a woman willing to make a 12 year old female relative available for sexual encounters. Officers then posed as the woman and her 12 year old relative in text message exchanges and phone conversations with people responding to the ads.

On December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2013, Justin Walker responded to the ad. He expressed an interest in having sex with the 12 year old girl. He insisted on speaking to the girl and ended up having a phone conversation with an undercover detective posing as the 12 year old girl. He was given the address of the house being used for the operation in Missoula.

At approximately 2:45 p.m. Walker arrived at the house in Missoula. He was taken into custody and interviewed. He confessed that he had come tot eh house for the purpose of having sex with the person he believed to be a 12 year old girl.

JASON MARKS

Assistant Chief Deputy County Attorney

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this \_\_\_\_ day of December, 2013.

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6	<u>ORDER</u>
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8	Upon reading the foregoing Affidavit, the Court finds that there is
9	probable cause to believe the above-named Defendant committed the crimes
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