

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS

STATE OF ARKANSAS

PLAINTIFF

V.

NO. CR 23CR-16-482

ROBERT BURL ROOK

DEFENDANT

10 Westin Circle
Conway, AR 72034

DOB 5/30/1955
RACE W
SEX Male
SSN
DL AR 91189224
CID
ATN

**AMENDED
INFORMATION**

Comes the Prosecuting Attorney for FAULKNER County, Arkansas, and in the name and by the authority of the State of Arkansas, charges **Robert Burl Rook** with the crime(s) of **RAPE, SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1)** and **SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE** as follows:

COUNT 1: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about September 28, 2015.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely C.F.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 2: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 5, 2015.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with

another person, namely C.F. :

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 3: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 19, 2015.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely C.F.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 4: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 12, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, H.A., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 5: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about September 28, 2016.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, C.F. , by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 6: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 5, 2016.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely C.F.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 7: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about September 16, 2015.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely M.J. :

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 8: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about September 16, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, M.J. , by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 9: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 21, 2015.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely H.S.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 10: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 21, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, H.S. , by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 11: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about May 3, 2016.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely P.M.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 12: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about May 3, 2016.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex-organs of another person namely, P.M., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 13: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about September 1, 2011.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely J.N.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 14: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about June 1, 2013 and June 30, 2013.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely D.H.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 15: RAPE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-103. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about January 1, 2016 and February 29, 2016.

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) (1) A person commits rape if he engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person, namely A.L.:

(A) By forcible compulsion; or

(B) Who is incapable of consent because she is physically helpless, mentally defective, or mentally incapacitated;

Thereby committing the offense of RAPE, said offense being a CLASS Y FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 16: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about January 1, 2016 and February 29, 2016.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, A.L., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 17: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 1, 2013 and November 30, 2013.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, S.M., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 18: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about June 1, 2015 and June 30, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

(1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, M.D., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 19: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about June 1, 2015 and October 31, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

- (1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, T.J., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 20: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1) ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-125. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about October 15, 2015.

5-14-125. Sexual assault in the second degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the second degree if the person:

- (1) Engages in sexual contact with the sex organs of another person namely, A.D., by forcible compulsion; or

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE (a)(1), said offense being a CLASS B FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

COUNT 21: SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE ARK. CODE ANN. § 5-14-126. The said defendant in FAULKNER COUNTY, did unlawfully and feloniously on or about January 1, 2014 and April 30, 2016.

5-14-126. Sexual assault in the third degree.

(a) A person commits sexual assault in the third degree if the person engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person namely S.G., not he person's spouse, and the person:

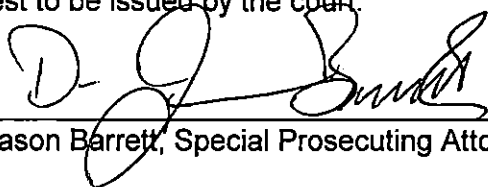
- (2) Is a professional under § 12-12-507(b), or a member of the clergy, and is in a position of trust or authority over the victim and uses the position to engage in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity.

(b) It is no defense to prosecution under this section that the victim consented to the conduct.

(c) Sexual assault in the third degree is a Class C felony.

Thereby committing the offense of SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, said offense being a CLASS C FELONY against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

There appearing reasonable grounds for believing the alleged offense(s) was committed by defendant, a warrant is therefore prayed for his arrest to be issued by the court.



Jason Barrett, Special Prosecuting Attorney


TO THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS

Based upon the sworn testimony of Det. Melissa Smith and other materials presented therewith, I am satisfied that there is probable cause to believe that the offense alleged in the above Felony Information was committed by the person above described and there exist probable cause for the issuance for a Warrant for Arrest.

Dated this 22 day of September, 20 16



CIRCUIT JUDGE



Jason Barrett, Prosecuting Attorney

BY: _____

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S
FORM AFFIDAVIT
D. Jason Barrett
Special Prosecuting Attorney
Faulkner County

Date: September 21, 2016

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS
AFFIDAVIT FOR WARRANT OF ARREST FOR THE FOLLOWING PERSON

DEFENDANT'S NAME: Robert Burl Rook

ADDRESS: 10 Westin Circle, Conway, Arkansas 72034

PHONE: (501) 329-2946

Race: White Sex: Male DOB: 05/30/1955

DL#: AR 911892124

VICTIM #1 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: M.J. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #2 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: H.S. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #3 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: P.M. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #4 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: A.L. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #5 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: J.N. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #6 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: D.H. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #7 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: S.M. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #8 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: M.D. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #9 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: T.J. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #10 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: A.D. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

VICTIM #11 INFORMATION

Victim's Name: S.G. *Sensitive Information – See Prosecutor*

DOB: *** Sex: White Race: Female

Victim's Address: ***

Victim's Phone: ***

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Arkansas Rules of Criminal Procedure, the undersigned Affiant(s) duly sworn deposes and states that he has reason to believe that the above named person has committed the offense(s) of violating Arkansas Code Section

Habitual Offender? No ☒ Small (2-3 Prior Felonies) ☐ Large (4+ Felonies) ☐

Currently Out On Bond? Yes ☒ No ☐

§5-14-103 (a)(1) or (a)(2)(C) – Rape – a Class Y Felony (Six Counts as they relate to MJ.,

H.S., P.M., A.L., J.N., and D.H.)
§5-14-125 (a)(1) or (a)(2)(C) – Sexual Assault in the Second Degree – a Class B Felony (Nine Counts as they relate to M.J., H.S., P.M., A.L., S.M., M.D., T.J., and A.D.)
§5-14-126 (a)(1)(C) – Sexual Assault in the Third Degree – a Class C Felony (One Count as it relates to S.G.)

beginning on or about September 2011 through May 2016, in Faulkner County, Arkansas, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Arkansas.

FACTS CONSTITUTING PROBABLE CAUSE:

On June 09, 2016, M.J. called CPD advising she needed to speak with someone with regards to an incident involving Dr. Robert Rook. A message was sent to me to call her. M.J. was unable to keep herself from crying when I introduced myself on the phone. She began to cry almost immediately. I told her that perhaps it would be easier for her to just come to the police department to talk to me. She arrived about a half hour later and I brought her to Interview Room Two, where our conversation was recorded.

M.J. said about eight or nine months ago, which was in September or October 2015, she had gone to see Dr. Rook and asked him about changing her medication. She explained that she had been going through a divorce and had been experiencing bouts of depression and difficulty sleeping. She said Dr. Rook abruptly told her that he needed to "do a physical". She said he put out a gown and told her to put it on and left the room. She said she stripped down to her bra and panties and put the gown on facing the rear. When Rook returned, he found that she was still wearing her undergarments and told her to take them off. He then left again.

M.J. said she found this strange, but, trusting the doctor, she took off her underwear and put on the gown, being naked underneath. She said when Rook returned this time, he told her to stand up and had her put her back to him. She said he immediately pushed the gown off of her shoulders, leaving her standing naked in the room in front of him. She said he felt down her back "down the usual landmarks", but then reached her buttocks and began "feeling on" her buttocks. She said this was like nothing she had ever seen or heard of in her medical training. She said he was just feeling of and squeezing her buttocks.

M.J. said Rook then had her face him, still being completely nude. She said he began feeling of her pelvic bones and her stomach and then between her hips. She said this was on her pubic region, just above her vagina. She said it was awkward and she did not know why he was touching her there. Then Rook began "fondling" and "manipulating" her breasts and nipples. She said this lasted for over a minute. She said it was not like any type of breast exam she had ever received by any doctor. She said he was just fondling her breasts. Then Rook had her sit on the examination table. She said she was still nude and this was very odd and uncomfortable for her and she tried to cover herself with her arms and legs as best she could. She said throughout all of this, Rook had been using his bare hands and had not been wearing examination gloves.

Rook turned his back to her and M.J. said she suddenly heard the "snap" of the latex gloves that Rook had put on. She said she suddenly had the horrifying thought that Rook was going to "do a pelvic" on her. She said he then put lubrication on his fingers and stuck his fingers inside of her. She said he was using at least two fingers and that it hurt. She said at first he was feeling inside of her with the fingers while pressing on her abdomen with his other fingers on the outside. She said then he just left his fingers inside of her while he used his other hand to manipulate and move around her outer labia.

M.J. said she could not look at Rook while all of this was going on and she just hoped and waited for it to be over. M.J. broke down and bawled while she recounted the ordeal and had to stop to compose herself while she told me about it. M.J. said she felt guilty about the ordeal. She said since she herself was in the medical field, this type of thing was not supposed to happen to her and she was not supposed to "allow" such a thing to happen. She also said such things were not supposed to happen at the doctor's office.

M.J. said after Rook had finished, he just said, "You're good. All done.", and gave her a script for Xanax. She said she left and went directly to a friend's house and told her she had "been molested". She said she later told a social worker at her workplace about the ordeal as well. The social worker told her this was "not okay" and that she should report what Rook had done. M.J. also told the Medical Director, who is a doctor, at her clinic about it all. He agreed that what had happened was not right. M.J. provided contact information for the social worker and the Medical Director and said they could both be contacted to verify the information she had told them.

M.J. said Dr. Rook had prescribed her 30 hydrocodone 10/325, 30 Xanax .25mg, Adderall, and had changed her anti-depressant from Zoloft to Effexor.

M.J. said she had gone back to Dr. Rook a couple of months ago. She said she had lost her job and her insurance and had been without insurance for a few months when things in her life became very complicated. She said this was when she began her divorce and had many other stresses come about in her life. M.J. said she had been without her antidepressant and felt very much that she needed it to get by. She said she called multiple other doctors and was unable to get in (since she would be a new patient) for at least a few months. She said this was already after she had waited the ninety days for her insurance to become accessible.

M.J. said she finally broke down and returned to Dr. Rook's office. She said she had called and told her then husband that she was going to return and that he needed to be on stand-by in case she needed him. M.J. said she also had her phone with her, ready to audio record anything strange that went on. M.J. said nothing odd happened in the appointment and she was able to go in and ask for her medication refill and then leave.

M.J. said she had made the countermeasures just because she did not want anything else strange to happen and she would not allow it. I made follow up contact with M.J.'s former husband and he confirmed the information M.J. had provided.

M.J. said she was contacted by the social worker when the coverage of Dr. Rook's arrest was aired on the news and social media. M.J. said the social worker told her that she was not alone and again encouraged her to go the police about what had happened. M.J. said knowing that she was not the only one made her feel more confident in confronting Dr. Rook and telling about what he had done to her.

On June 13, 2016, H.S. filed a report with CPD Officer Hayden King with regards to Dr. Robert Rook, alleging that he had sexually assaulted her. When I spoke to H.S., she stated the incident she had reported had occurred approximately one year prior. She said the incident occurred on her first or second visit as a patient of Dr. Rook's. She said she had gone to see Dr. Rook because her hair was falling out. She said she was also suffering from abdominal cramps. She said the doctor told her the hair issue was likely due to estrogen levels attributed to the recent birth of her son.

H.S. said she had arrived for her appointment and was brought to the exam room by one of the office staff. She said this had been the only appointment that she has ever been to that she was alone at and was not accompanied by her son or her

husband or someone else. She said the nurse took her blood pressure and gave her a robe to change in to. She said Dr. Rook came in and talked to her. She told him about her issues with the cramps. She said he pulled off her robe and felt of her breasts. She said it did not feel strange to her and he felt of her breasts by palpating them individually while she was standing up. She said he then palpated her abdomen. She said he then had her lay down on the exam table, where he performed a pelvic exam on her. She said he felt inside of her vagina, which she said felt normal.

H.S. said then Dr. Rook told her that he was going to "check the skin between (her) vagina and anus". H.S. said Dr. Rook then stuck one of his fingers inside of her anus and one inside of her vagina and pressed the two together to feel between them. H.S. said this was very odd to her. She said no one had ever done this before. She said she did not know why Dr. Rook had done this or what it had to do with her abdominal pain. She said it was also very odd to her because there was no nurse present while Dr. Rook was doing any of this. She said he told her while he was doing this that he was checking the "thickness" of the skin. H.S. said she thought that afterwards, Dr. Rook had someone take a blood sample from her.

After the appointment, H.S. said she told her husband about what had happened. She said she told him that Dr. Rook had put his finger in her rectum. She said she felt odd about the whole thing. She said there were three things that she felt odd about: that there was no nurse in the room while Dr. Rook did all of this, that he had put his finger in her rectum, and that he had made her stand completely nude in front of him while he examined her breasts. H.S. said she has talked with her mother, who is a nurse, and her mother said there is no reason for any of this and that what Dr. Rook did was not right. H.S. said she had trusted Dr. Rook since he was a doctor and that she had felt that he would not do anything sexual. She said since she felt weird about it all and since she saw the information about his arrest, she now feels that what happened to her and what happened to those other women is related.

On July 06, 2016, a local medical doctor reported a sexual assault that he had become aware of as a mandated reporter while performing his official duties as a physician. Detective Sergeant Mike Welsh and I went to his medical practice to speak with him and his patient, P.M.

The doctor said he had accepted P.M. as a new patient when he learned that she was a former patient of Dr. Robert Rook's. He said she was in need of a new doctor due to Dr. Rook no longer being able to see her since his license had been suspended. The doctor said he had reviewed P.M.'s medical history and seen that there was a history of "psychosis". She said that this had possibly been caused by the amount of prescription medication that P.M. had been taking. He said there were recommendations in the medical charts made by mental health professionals that she be taken off the medications. The doctor said according to P.M.'s PMP, Dr. Rook had been prescribing P.M. a lot of prescription narcotics for a while. The doctor said he had stopped the prescription narcotics based on the recommendations.

He said when he was talking with P.M. today, she told him that she had been given a lot of breast exams by Dr. Rook. She said there had never been a nurse in the room when any of the breast exams had taken place. The doctor said P.M. had been crying when she told him all of this information. She said she did not want Dr. Rook to get into trouble. The doctor said he had asked P.M. several questions about the exams and that the information she had told him had not made sense to him as a physician based on how he had been taught to perform breast exams. He said

P.M. had said that Dr. Rook had been seated in front of her and she had been standing up in front of him. She said she had asked the doctor how many breast exams she had to have and that Dr. Rook had told her she had to have four of them a year. P.M. had told him that she did not think that Dr. Rook had "charted" the breast exams on her medical records. She said that she thought he was a "nice guy" and did not want to get him into trouble.

The doctor said he explained to P.M. that due to her history of psychosis and that since she was in the group of people over age sixty-five, she was considered to be in a "venerable population". He said as a mandated reporter, he could not know this information and not report it. He said he felt compelled to report the information to law enforcement. He told P.M. he would like for her to speak with law enforcement about it, as well. She said she would speak with us about it, too.

Detective Sergeant Welsh and I spoke with P.M. alone in the patient room. She provided us with her pertinent information. P.M. seemed very meek and timid. She said she had begun to see Dr. Rook about 15 years ago for back pain and anxiety. She said the first time something odd had happened, he had asked her when she had had last had a mammogram. She said it had been a long time ago. Dr. Rook then asked her the last time it had been that she had checked her breasts. She said it had also been a long time. She said he told her he would check them. He pulled up her bra and was feeling on her breasts with both hands. She said this lasted about two minutes. She said there was no nurse in the room. She said this happened three or four times. She said this began about two years ago. She said he would check her breasts randomly after that.

P.M. said her last visit with Dr. Rook was on the day he was arrested, June 03, 2016. She said this was the only time there was ever a nurse in the room with Dr. Rook.

P.M. said she always had appointments with Dr. Rook on the 3rd of the month because that was the day she got paid. She said on her next to last exam with him, May 3rd, she had a breast exam that day. P.M. got very upset as she was speaking to us at that point. She said there was something else she needed to tell us about. She said she needed us to get the doctor because she had not told him about this. We got the doctor and brought him to the room with us and P.M..

P.M. looked so sad. She had large tears coming from her eyes as she told us that she stood with her back to Dr. Rook. She said he told her he was going to check her back. She said he pulled down her jeans and underwear. She said he rubbed his finger inside the lips of her vagina...on one side, then the other. She said he was not wearing gloves when this happened. P.M. said Dr. Rook said nothing while he did this. P.M. said she said nothing either. She said she did not know what to do or what to say. She said, when asked, that this lasted for about maybe a minute and a half. She said eventually he stopped, but she did not know what made him stop. P.M. said when he stopped, she pulled up her pants and underwear and sat down on the exam table. She said she tried to make light of the situation and ask if everything was okay, but she said she did not feel okay. P.M. said afterwards, Dr. Rook typed in her prescriptions on his iPad and she left. She later learned that he had been arrested after her last appointment with him. P.M. said she thinks he has done these bad things to many people. She seemed conflicted because she thought that Dr. Rook was supposed to be helping her and then she did not understand why he had done this to her.

Detective Sergeant Welsh wrote the following information in a report he took from A.L.:

"On June 6, 2016, I met with A.L. regarding her experiences with Dr. Robert Rook. A.L. advised that she was a patient of Dr. Rook from approximately October 2015 to February 2016. In that time, she visited him 5 to 6 times. She originally sought his help for stomach and back pains. Dr. Rook asked her to undress during each visit and during one of those visits, he inserted his finger into her "butt". She advised that she thought that the insertion of his finger in her anus was part of a normal exam but now believes that it is not. She was without a gown and laying on her stomach when this happened. A.L. advised that a nurse accompanied him during only one visit. During one of the visits, he examined her breasts and moved his hands along her sides. She advised that this exam covered more of her sides and hips than her regular gynecologist exam. He provided no reason for the extensive exam. A.L. stated that the breast exams would happen while she was in a sitting position, standing or while laying down on the exam table. While standing for the breast exam, he would stand behind her, touching her buttocks, down her hips and stomach. He would have her remove her gown during the exam. She did not elaborate any more on the touching other than the exams included more and longer touching than what a gynecologist does. Breasts exam occurred during each appointment. A.L. advised that Dr. Rook provided no explanation for the exams. Her vitals were taken by a nurse, the nurse would leave the room but not return, with the one mentioned exception.

She advised that she continued to see Dr. Rook because she thought the exam procedures were normal but unusual, especially the anal probing. She mentioned that no other doctor has examined her in this manner."

An additional supplement by Detective Sergeant Mike Welsh with regards to A.L. was added on September 19, 2016, and reads as follows:

"On Monday, September 19, 2016, I talked to A.L. on the phone. She confirmed that there was no inappropriate touching by Dr. Rook prior to 2016. She advised that she could not match the dates in her file to the exact actions taken by Dr. Rook but was sure that the unwanted touching, anal probe, and breast exam took place during each visit this year. I advised her that I only found two noted appointments for 2016 (Jan 18 and Jan 25). A.L. advised that although it may not be documented in her patient file, she had 3 or 4 office visits with Dr. Rook in 2016."

The charges sought for A.L. are based on incidents believed to have occurred from January 2016 through February 2016.

According to a report written by Detective Sergeant Mike Welsh, he met with J.N. on June 14, 2016, to discuss her experiences with Dr. Robert Rook. The report reads as follows:

"On June 14, 2016, I met with J.N. to discuss her experiences with Dr. Robert Rook. This interview was audio/video recorded and audio recorded using an additional recorder. Before beginning the interview, J.N. provided me with copies of her medical records. She advised that she was a patient of Dr. Rook's since she was 9 years old until September 2011. She attempted to go back to him after having her child but Dr. Rook's wife refused to accept any more appointments from her. She was not provided a reason but given her medical records. J.N. advised that while trying to make this appointment in hopes of getting a Methadone prescription, Dr. Rook's wife advised that they do not prescribe the medications J.N. was requesting. J.N. advised that this confused her because a friend had just been to the office the day before and received several prescriptions. J.N. advised me about the normal procedures for a Pap smear, wearing a gown, the doctor reaches under the gown and the test is completed while the patient is laying down. She advised that Dr. Rook performed this exam with her standing up and naked.

J.N. advised that while she stood for the exam, Dr. Rook would stand behind her, pressing his pelvis against her naked body, run his hands up and down her thighs, asking if "this hurt". The cupped and groped her buttocks, stepped in front of her and then "tickled" her genital piercing. Dr. Rook asked her "Does this ever give you any trouble"? She does not remember if he was wearing gloves during the exam. She advised that there was no bargaining of sex for drugs. She also advised that there had not been any inappropriate touching until she became dependent on drugs. Because she had been a patient for many years, Dr. Rook had performed Pap smears on her in the past. During those exams, she wore a gown and a nurse was present in the room. These were annual exams and there was nothing abnormal about the exams. J.N. advised that the breast exams he performed while standing behind her were sexual in nature as well as the touching of her genital piercing.

J.N. allowed me to photograph text messages between her and a friend after Dr. Rook's arrest. These texts mention sexual acts performed by the friend and Dr. Rook and the unnecessary touching of J.N. by Dr. Rook. There is also a mention of "hush money". J.N. was a little confused about the sequence of some of the events but advised that the touching of her buttocks, breasts, and the genital piercing tickling happened at the same time. An abnormal Pap smear could have happened during different visit.

Later this same date, I received an email from her with screen shots of text messages that she and her friend shared in June 2015. Copies of these texts and the texts I copied will be included in this case file."

On September 15, 2016, D.H. contacted CPD to file a report regarding Dr. Robert Rook. I took the report from her after her information was provided to me by CPD Dispatch.

D.H. said she had gone to see Dr. Rook at his medical practice in June 2013. She said, at the time, she had been seeking prescription medication and had been addicted to pain meds. She said she had faked having abdominal pains. She said a blonde nurse brought her to an exam room and took her blood pressure. She said the nurse never returned. when Dr. Rook came into the patient room, he told her to undress so that she was totally nude and gave her a gown to wear. She said he then gave her an "abnormal breast exam. She said he was cupping and squeezing on her breasts. She said he stood behind her while he did this and that it lasted for about ten to twenty seconds. She said exam had been "skin on skin" and he had at no point been wearing latex gloves. She said he then had her lay on the exam table. She said she had not been told to put her feet in the stirrups. She said they were just hanging down. She said Rook told her that he was going to do an "abdominal exam". She said he inserted two fingers into her vagina, still not wearing gloves. She said he began rubbing on her clitoris while his other fingers were still inside of her. She said Dr. Rook asked her if this "felt good". She said she did not reply and was just silent. She said this lasted for about thirty to sixty seconds. She said when Dr. Rook stopped, he told her he would wean her off of the Tramadol she had been taking and would put her on methadone (10 mg).

D.H. said she had been seen by several other doctors for her drug addiction problem. She said Dr. Rook was aware of her drug addiction problems and still agreed to write her prescription medications. She said he gave her antibiotics for an infection as well as the methadone. She said she saw Dr. Rook at his office two or three times but that the odd things had only happened on the first visit. She said on the other visits, she had brought her children along with her to the appointments. She said on her last visit, Dr. Rook had found out that she was on the Seboxone

program through another doctor via UAMS. She said Dr. Rook "cut (her) off" and was blunt in saying that she had agreed to only receive prescription medications from his office alone. She said Rook seemed upset and would not see her any further.

D.H. said she had told her mother-in-law about what had happened at Rook's office. She said her mother-in-law told her she should report what had happened to the police. D.H. said she also told her husband what had happened and he had not believed her. She said after Rook was arrested for other incidents of sexually assaulting patients, her husband now does believe her and feels very bad for doubting her.

D.H. says she has been clean and off drugs for a while now. She said she worries that her past drug abuse will affect the way she is viewed as a victim. She very much wishes to pursue charges against Dr. Rook for what he did to her.

S.M. called CPD and stated she had heard about the recent arrest of Dr. Robert Rook. She said she felt compelled to contact the department to file a report with regards to what she too had experienced at his office.

I spoke with S.M. on June 8th and arranged for her to come to CPD the following day to file the report. S.M. said the incident of subject had occurred on or approximately around six months prior to the 2014 tornado that struck the Mayflower and Vilonia areas. She said she had gone to Dr. Rook at the recommendation of an acquaintance because she needed a referral for a surgeon. She said she had been in an accident and had suffered neck and back injuries.

S.M. said at the office she was greeted by the nurse and taken to an exam room. She said the nurse took her blood pressure and told her to take off her clothing and put on an exam gown. Shortly after, Dr. Rook came into the room. S.M. said no nurse or other person was with him. She said she told him about the accident and the problems and pain she was having in her neck and back. She had brought with her the previous MRI from her other doctor and also told Dr. Rook about the current medications she was taking from her previous doctor. S.M. said she found it strange that Dr. Rook did not question anything about her taking any of the medications, although all of them were narcotics.

S.M. said Dr. Rook did some reflex tests on her knees and then had her stand up in the gown. She said he stood behind her and felt of her hip bones. She said he then began to run his fingers up and down her spine all the way to her neck while he stood uncomfortably close to her back. She said he had his chest pressed up against her back. She said this occurred for about one and a half to two minutes. Then suddenly, Dr. Rook untied the top of the gown where it was fastened at S.M.'s neck, causing it to fall off, exposing her bare breasts. S.M. said this shocked her. She said she reacted by grasping to catch the gown at her waist and pulled it back to cover her breasts. She said Dr. Rook had stepped around her body so that he was then standing in front of her. She said he pulled the gown down to again expose her breasts and then began "feeling of" her breasts. S.M. said she had had breast exams by gynecologists and other doctors in the past, but this was not a breast exam. She again said Dr. Rook was just "feeling of" her breasts, and indicated with her hands that he had been using both hands in a grasping, squeezing motion on both breasts at the same time. S.M. said the doctor said nothing during the one to two minutes while this was going on.

Then, Dr. Rook asked S.M. about when the last time she had had a pap. S.M. said it had been a while. Dr. Rook said they needed to go ahead and do a pap. S.M. said she was not ready. She said Dr. Rook told her that was okay and that they could do the pap on the next appointment. She said he began typing on his iPad to

enter her prescriptions. She said he prescribed her Percocet 10/325 and then asked her if she had had Xanax "bars". She said this was strange for a doctor to refer to medication a street name like that. She said she had been taking the 1mg pills and was fine with these. She said she wanted to stay on these and did not want anything stronger. She said it was also concerning to her that he was willing to give her such a high dose of Xanax so nonchalantly. She said he also renewed her prescription for Soma then told her to call if she needed anything.

S.M. said she left the appointment feeling weird about it all. She said Dr. Rook did give her the referral for a surgeon, which was good. She called her husband and told him about the bizarre appointment and all that had happened. She said the next appointment, she had clarified up front that she would not allow Dr. Rook to perform a pap on her and that she wanted to go to her gynecologist for that. She said from that point on, Dr. Rook was very short and rushed with her.

She said she only went to a few other appointments with him until she had her surgery. She said she talked to the receptionist about her insurance changing to another company. The receptionist told her that the office was supposed to accept that insurance soon. Then when she went called to make an appointment, the receptionist said she had to check with the doctor about the insurance. The receptionist came back and said they would not accept S.M.'s insurance. S.M. said she would pay cash until the insurance was accepted, and the receptionist also checked with the doctor on this, but he also denied to allow it. S.M. said she did not think much more about it until she saw the news coverage on the arrest of Dr. Rook. She said then she knew that what had happened to her was much more than her just thinking something was strange or just over-reacting. She said she knew she had to make a report to let others know that the other victims were telling the truth.

On June 06, 2016, I spoke with M.D. and her daughter-in-law when they reported a sexual assault that occurred at Conway Family Practice Clinic in June 2015. M.D. said Dr. Robert Rook had been her primary care physician for about four or five years prior to the incident of subject. She said she had gone to see him in June 2015 for a follow-up appointment after having had surgery to have her gallbladder removed. She said the nurse brought her to the exam room and took her blood pressure. She said she asked about the reason for the visit and then left the room. Dr. Rook came in shortly thereafter. He gave M.D. a gown and to her to get undressed to her panties.

M.D. said the doctor left the room and then came back in after she had changed into the gown. She said he had her lay down on the exam table and "mashed" on her stomach. He helped her off the table and he sat down on his rolling stool. M.D. said she had her back to him and he began to feel around on her back, all the way down to her "booty". After asking, M.D. indicated that Dr. Rook kind of tapped on her buttocks and then had her turn around. She said he then started to pull her gown off. She said he pulled it way down past her "boobs". She said he started to "feel around" on her breasts. M.D. said Dr. Rook had been kind of massaging around on her boobs. She said this lasted for about ten seconds. M.D. said when she had a breast exam from a doctor before, it had never been at all like what Dr. Rook had done. She said the doctors before had her lay down and had her lift her arm. She said Dr. Rook asked her if she had had a mammogram. M.D. said she said she had not but that Dr. Rook did not reply to this. Afterwards, Dr. Rook let the gown "go on down". He looked at where M.D. had had the surgery had on her abdomen for a short time and then told her she could get dressed and left the room.

M.D. said that after he had done all of this, she did not think it was very "appropriate". M.D. said she left the doctor's office and had decided to find a different doctor. She

did not return to Dr. Rook's office. M.D. told her daughters and her sisters about what had happened. She also told her daughter-in-law about it. Her daughter-in-law contacted an attorney, but they said they did not deal in such matters and that she should contact the medical board. Her daughter-in-law told me that all of them felt that no one would believe M.D. because it would be just her word against Dr. Rook's. She said when they heard about the accusations against Dr. Rook, they told M.D. that she had to "come forward".

M.D. said she knew of two other elderly females who had also been sexually assaulted by Dr. Rook. She said both of those women had since died. M.D. provided me with information on contacts who had spoken to the women directly and whom the women had allegedly told about the abuse.

On June 10, 2016, T.J. and her husband reported a sexual assault that occurred at Conway Family Practice Clinic approximately eight to twelve months prior.

T.J. and her husband met with Detective Sergeant Mike Welsh and me and the Morrilton Police Department to speak about the sexual assault. T.J. said she had heard about the recent arrest of Dr. Robert Rook in Conway and said she too had been a victim of a sexual assault that had occurred in his office.

T.J. said she had been a patient of Dr. Rook's for about nineteen years. She said she had begun seeing Dr. Rook when she had first learned that she was pregnant with her son, who is now a teenager. She said the incident of sexual assault occurred eight to twelve months ago. She said she had been experiencing a burning pain in her pelvic region. She said she had been sick to her stomach and "miserable". She said she had thought it was some type of chemical imbalance and attributed it to some type of women's issue. She said she had woken up in the middle of the night several times and told her husband that she needed to go to the emergency room because she felt like she was "going to die" due to the pain she was having. She said she scheduled an appointment with Dr. Rook and went to see him. As T.J. proceeded to tell us about what happened next, she began to get emotional and welled up with tears. She said she did not want to cry.

She said she was given an exam gown to change into and was left to wait for the doctor. T.J. said when Dr. Rook first came into the room, she remembers him turning and locking the door. She said she clearly remembers this because from where she was sitting on the exam table, she could see his hand was visibly shaking and she thought it was very strange. She said it was strange that he was shaking and also that he was locking the door. T.J. said she had the gown open to the front. She said she told him about the burning and he examined her pelvic region. She said he was wearing gloves. She said it was weird because no nurse was present at all. She said since he was shaky and he locked the door, it was weird, but she told herself, "He's a doctor. He's my doctor."

T.J. said Dr. Rook had her stand up in front of him while he sat in a chair that was by the door of the room. She said he then began to feel of her breasts. T.J. later clarified that Dr. Rook was not wearing gloves during this time and it was "skin to skin" contact. She showed us with her hands how he felt of her breasts. She indicated that it was like a squeezing motion while he was using both hands at the same time and she said it was not ever one hand at a time to examine each breast individually. T.J. said it was not like any kind of breast exam that she had had before, even from Dr. Rook. T.J. said she had breast exams performed by Dr. Rook in the past. She said before, when she had gone to see Dr. Rook for her "yearly" exams, Dr. Rook had her lay down for the breast exams and she showed me how he had her raise her arm and had pressed down a circular motion on her breasts individually. She said a nurse was also present during the previous exams.

T.J. said during this "breast exam", Dr. Rook was shaking and really red in the face. T.J. said she felt so awkward that she could not look at Dr. Rook and she had to turn her head so she was not looking toward him. She said this went on for more than thirty seconds but less than one minute. She said Dr. Rook did not say anything about why he was checking her breasts or what he was doing or checking them for. She said this was very weird. She said it did not feel like he was checking for lumps or nodes. T.J. said then Dr. Rook pressed on her abdomen and asked her if it hurt and she said no, that it did not. She said he had her turn around to where her back was to him and looked over her back. T.J. said the whole time Dr. Rook was "just really shaky and his face was turning really red". She said it was really awkward and it all just felt like it wasn't right. She said the problem she had was the burning in her lower pelvic region and she did not know why he was examining her breasts.

T.J. said Dr. Rook ended up prescribing her a cream before she left and this did not treat her issue. She said she ended up going to a different doctor and found that she needed estrogen treatment.

T.J. went home and told her husband about what had happened. Her husband said he recalls T.J. coming home and telling him about it. He said T.J. told him that she had told Dr. Rook that she was very uncomfortable about what was going on and that she would prefer for him to stop. T.J. said Dr. Rook had never ever been like that before with her and that was why it was so strange. T.J. said she had gone to a women's clinic for treatment for her female issues and her gynecological care after that. T.J. said she did not tell any other doctors about what had happened, but she did tell her best friend about it.

T.J. said it was shocking for her to be treated that way by Dr. Rook since he had treated her as a patient for so long and because he was such a respected doctor in Conway. She said when she and her husband had heard about his arrest, they were finally able to report the incident because they knew she was not alone.

In the initial interview with T.J., she said she had told her husband and also her best friend about what had happened at Dr. Rook's office. I called and spoke with her friend on September 20, 2016. She said T.J. had talked to her about the strange incident at Dr. Rook's office shortly after it had occurred. She said T.J. told her that she had been very uncomfortable throughout the visit. She said she did not recall the reason that T.J. had gone to see the doctor, but, in her opinion, there had been no reason for T.J. to have to take off her clothes. She said T.J. told her that when the doctor had come into the exam room, he had locked the door. T.J. said this had made her uncomfortable and that there was no nurse present during the exam. She said T.J. told her that the doctor had asked her to stand up and had been feeling of her breasts. T.J. said Dr. Rook had been shaking and "really red". T.J. told her that she had been uncomfortable with all of this, but that she had seen Dr. Rook "forever" and that she trusted him as her doctor. T.J. told her friend that she thought what the doctor had done "was not right". Her friend said she agreed and told T.J. that it indeed was not okay.

T.J.'s friend said she has really not talked to T.J. about the incident since it first happened. She said she had told T.J. that in her opinion what Dr. Rook had done was "against the medical code of ethics". She said T.J. came and told her that she had learned that Dr. Rook had been arrested for other sexual assault charges. She said she urged T.J. to go to the police and tell them what had happened to her.

On June 04, 2016, A.D. reported a sexual assault that occurred at Conway Family Practice Clinic in October 2015. A.D. said she had an appointment to see Dr. Robert Rook in October 2015. She said she remembered the date because it was her eighteenth birthday. She said she was seeking treatment for acne. She said she

had previously been seen by a dermatologist, but had decided to come to Dr. Rook since he was her primary care physician and since he was local and she would not have to drive to Little Rock. She said she was taken to an exam room and Dr. Rook came in. She told him she was there for treatment of acne. She said he looked over her face to assess the issue. She said he asked her if she was having any other problems. She said he had previously diagnosed her as having high blood pressure. She said this had started with her having chest pains. She told him that she was still having some chest pains associated with the high blood pressure. She said he told her he needed to do a physical. He told her to strip down to her bra and panties and to put on an exam gown. He then left the room.

A.D. changed and the doctor returned. She said he was alone and had no nurse with him. She said he sat on his stool in front of her and had her lift up her bra. She said he then looked at her breasts and then "felt around" on them. A.D. said this was very uncomfortable for her. She said she did not like that she was alone in the room with him with no one else there. She said Dr. Rook asked her if she had ever been sexually active. She said she was uncomfortable and did not know why he was asking this. She said she lied and said "no". She said he then asked her, "Are you sexually active?" A.D. said she again lied and said that she was not. She said Dr. Rook told her, "I would give you a pap if you said 'Yes'." A.D. said the whole thing was very uncomfortable and she did not know why Dr. Rook had felt of her breasts or looked at them when she had come in for acne medication or even because of her chest pains from her high blood pressure. She said she also thought it was off that he did all of this without a nurse in the room. A.D. said she had felt like it all was not right. She said after hearing of the other women, she too wanted to report it.

On June 07, 2016, S.G. reported incidents of sexual assault that occurred beginning in 2014 at Conway Family Practice Clinic and continued through April 2016.

S.G. told me that she had been a patient of Dr. Robert Rook's for about a year to a year and half. She said she had begun going to him when "Obamacare" started. She said she has anxiety issues and is hyperactive and has suffered from these issues since childhood. She said she had found Dr. Rook's name in the phonebook and gone to see him. She said initially that she was currently taking and prescribed oxycodone, Vivance, and Soma (taken as needed).

S.G. said when she began seeing Dr. Rook, she was prescribed Ritalin for her ADHD issues, but the medicine was no longer effective. She said her doctor also had her taking lithium, but she did not like this. She said she asked the doctor for Adderall XR in place of the Ritalin. She said she also asked about the Vivance and he gave her a 70 mg per month prescription. S.G. said this odd that Dr. Rook wrote out the prescription so easily without asking any questions.

S.G. said at the time she was working. She was not at work one day and was bored so she decided to call the doctor's office and see if they had an opening. She said they said they could see her that day. She said she had hurt her hand at work and was having nerve issues in her hand. She said the doctor wrote her out a prescription for pain medicine. She said it was for 60 pills of hydrocodone 10/325 mg. S.G. said she knew then that she would be able to get anything she wanted as far as the medicines went.

S.G. said the first odd or inappropriate thing to happen at Dr. Rook's office occurred about "4,5,6 months" after she first started seeing him for treatment. She said she had to go back monthly for her ADHD medicine and he would "up" her medications when she would go back. She said her insurance allowed her twenty-four visits a year. S.G. estimated that she had gone to see Dr. Rook approximately fifty times

and that approximately thirty-five of those visits had been inappropriate. She said this was because there was no nurse in the room for a female exam or because the doctor tried to kiss her or because the doctor was looking at her body or because he was performing "pap smears" with no chaperone.

S.G. said only on one visit, when her mother went with her, Dr. Rook actually performed a pap smear. She said this visit had been over one year ago.

S.G. said she wanted to be honest and truthful with me. She said of all of the medications she was prescribed by the doctor, she only kept the anxiety medications and she sold the others. She said she did not need the medicines but that she was desperate. She said she was homeless and needed the money to survive. She said she had a criminal past and had difficulty finding employment. She said selling the medicines she did not need helped her to make ends meet.

S.G. said when she had a suspicion that Dr. Rook was trying to take advantage of her, she told a person she knew that she was going to test him. She said she was due for a medication refill. She said she wore a nice summer dress, nothing slutty or exposing a lot, to the appointment. She said the nurse brought her to the room and took her blood pressure. She said the doctor came in and commented on her looking nice. She thanked him and told him she was there for a medication refill. She said he asked her if she was out of everything and she said she was. She said the doctor told her to stand up so he could "have a look". She did and then he told her, "It's time for your pap." She said she commented, "Again?" She said he did not answer and she said, "This told me everything I needed to know."

S.G. said Dr. Rook told her to pull her panties down and her dress up and he locked the door to the exam room. She said Dr. Rook commented when he locked the door that he wouldn't "want the UPS guy to walk in". She said she got on the exam table and was told to put her feet in the stirrups. She said the doctor then put his fingers inside of her. She said this lasted for about a minute and a half. When asked, she said she did not believe he had gloves on. Afterwards, Dr. Rook said everything was normal. She said she got dressed while he was still there. She said he then filled her prescriptions and she left.

S.G. said in January or February 2016 she had gone in for a medication refill. She said after the nurse had come in and taken her blood pressure and then Dr. Rook came in, she told him she was there for the medication refills. She said he commented on her makeup looking nice. She said he suddenly swooped in and kissed her. She said it was a "French kiss". She said she got really nervous, but didn't want to act like anything was wrong so she just said something like "I wasn't expecting that one" and then that she had to go. S.G. said by this time that she was being prescribed 2mg Xanax, one to be taken three times per day.

She said in April 2016, she had gone in for a medication refill and Dr. Rook had kissed her again. She said he had been rubbing on her vaginal area with her clothes on and when he pulled away from her, she saw that he had pulled his penis out of his pants. S.G. said it was clear that Dr. Rook was expecting her to perform oral sex on him. S.G. said she told him something like, "I want to, I really do...but I have to take my mom to the doctor." She said he told her that they could reschedule for the following week.

S.G. said several times during the interview that she had done several things in exchange for the medications, but that she would never "sell her body". She said one-time Dr. Rook had her stand up without her pants or underwear on and he rubbed on her vagina from behind her and then stuck his finger inside of her vagina. She said he had told her this was a vaginal exam and she had commented on how

she had never had an exam done this way before and he told her it was a "new technique".

S.G. said she had told Dr. Rook several times that her purse had been stolen and that this was why she needed a refill of prescriptions. She said he would never question her and would always refill the medications. She said he would, however, get very angry if she brought any man to an appointment with her. She said one time her purse really was stolen and she came to get legitimate refills. She said she brought her boyfriend with her. She said Dr. Rook became rude and commented on how her purse kept getting stolen, but he still refilled the prescriptions.

S.G. said Dr. Rook had kissed her ten to twelve times at appointments and this started in the summer of 2015. She said Dr. Rook was now prescribing her Percocet, hydrocodone, Xanax, oxycodone, Adderall, Vivance, Ritalin, and Soma. She said Dr. Rook would even work with her on the prescriptions because her insurance would only cover sixty pills of Xanax, so he would write one prescription for sixty pills and an additional prescription for thirty more pills that she would pay for outright.

S.G. said at the appointments Dr. Rook would ask her, "You don't tell anyone about us, do you?" She said he started asking her this in around the spring. She said she would always tell him things like she had warrants and would reassure him that talking to the police was out of the question.

S.G. said when she was staying at a homeless shelter, Dr. Rook had given her \$40 in cash to call a cab because she had walked from the location to his office. She said this had been right before the inappropriate stuff started happening.

She said there were one or two times that Dr. Rook had performed the pretend "pap smears" while she was lying down. She said he had rubbed on her vagina in a sexual manner while they were kissing probably three times and had unzipped his pants. She said he had rubbed on the inside and outside of her vagina probably fifteen to twenty times. She said Dr. Rook had taken his penis out of his pants the one time, when he had anticipated S.G. to perform oral sex on him and she had made an excuse to leave, but had said she would reschedule.

S.G. said each of her appointments lasted about the same amount of time...about fifteen to twenty minutes. She said when she would go to leave and check out with the receptionists, the women would always give her "very evil looks". S.G. said there was no way the staff could not know what Dr. Rook was doing and what was going on. S.G. said she would talk openly with Dr. Rook about what medications she wanted from him and about how she needed him to write different prescriptions broken up because her insurance would only pay for certain portions of them. She said she did not care about how the staff looked at her because she did what she had to do to survive.

On September 16, 2016, I called and spoke with the mother of S.G. She told me that S.G. had told her about some strange things that had happened while she was being treated as a patient of Dr. Rook. She said she had urged her daughter to "turn in" Dr. Rook, but that S.G. had been afraid to do so. She said S.G. had not wanted to go to another doctor. She said S.G. told her that Dr. Rook had been "feeling around" on her and that he had "put his finger up inside her". She said S.G. eventually stopped going to Dr. Rook and had already stopped going to him by the time that he was arrested.

S.G.'s mother elaborated about what S.G. had told her reluctantly. She said she was embarrassed to talk about such personal things that occurred involving her daughter's private areas. She said S.G. told her that Dr. Rook had locked the door

in the patient room while she was seeing him. S.G. had said Dr. Rook was "feeling her up all over" and "playing with her". She explained that by "feeling her up", Dr. Rook had been touching S.G.'s breasts and "touching her". She said it was her understanding that Rook had done "everything but had sex" with S.G.

S.G. told her mother that Dr. Rook would give her scripts for everything. She said this went on since S.G. had been seeing Dr. Rook from the beginning. She said it started off that Dr. Rook would put his fingers inside S.G. and would kiss her. She said he then started to put his hands on her breasts. S.G. had said that all of this was inappropriate. S.G. told her mother several times that Rook was "a crazy doctor". She said she continued to urge S.G. to "call in" on Rook, but she was not sure that S.G. had ever actually followed through and filed a police report. I confirmed with her that S.G. had filed the report, to which she sounded relieved.

I was contacted by Special Prosecutor Jason Barrett with regards to this case on September 21, 2016. He advised of the charges approved to file on this case and they are listed above specifically.

The aforementioned information is my summary of facts of this case, and while accurate, the recordings and the words of the victims, witnesses, and the accused should control.

I swear that the allegations contained herein are the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

Affiant's Signature: Melissa H. Smith #304

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State of Arkansas, County of Faulkner

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this _____ day of _____, 2016

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My Commission expires: _____

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Prosecutor Accepting Charges: D. J. Smith

I hereby find that this sworn affidavit demonstrates reasonable and probable cause for the issuance of Warrant of Arrest for the above named Defendant, for the above stated offense(s).

Judge: [Signature]

DATE: 9/21/16