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## **\*\*\*PRESS RELEASE\*\*\***

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### **Torrington Man Arrested for Juvenile Sex Assault**

On 01/16/2017 the Shelton Police Department arrested 45 year old Christopher Galvin of Torrington CT. Galvin was charged with Sexual Assault 4<sup>th</sup> Degree and Harassment 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. Galvin was released on a \$5000.00 bond and he appeared at Derby Superior court on 01/17/2018.



The arrest stems from a complaint taken by the Shelton Police Youth Bureau in March of 2017. A 17 year old juvenile filed a complaint, stating that she met Galvin on an on line chat room in 2013 when she was 13 years old. Galvin presented himself as a 22 year old man at the time and the two became friends. Over time Galvin began to drive to Shelton to meet the juvenile. On 02/17/2017 Galvin and the juvenile were parked in his car and she fell asleep. At that point Galvin sexually assaulted the juvenile while she was sleeping at which point she woke up and began to scream. After Galvin learned that the juvenile made a complaint to the police he continued to e mail and text message her trying to justify what he had done.

Additional arrests are expected in this case.

*\*\*\*The charges in the press release are merely accusations, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.\*\*\**