

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR SOUTH LEE COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,	Plaintiff,	Criminal No. FECR009152
v.		TRIAL INFORMATION
BENJAMIN G. TRANE,	Defendant.	

COMES NOW, Denise A. Timmins, as Assistant Attorney General, and in the name and by the authority of the State of Iowa accuses the Defendant of the crimes of **Sexual Abuse in the Third Degree, Sexual Exploitation by a Counselor, and Child Endangerment**, committed as follows:

COUNT I
Sexual Abuse in the Third Degree

The defendant, on or between January 1, 2015, and December 31, 2015, in South Lee County, Iowa, did sexually abuse C.S. by performing a sex act against her will or by force, in violation of Iowa Code Sections 709.1, 709.4(1)(a), 903B.1, a **Class C Felony**.

COUNT II
Sexual Exploitation by a Counselor

The defendant, on or between September 18, 2014, and January 31, 2016, in South Lee County, Iowa, did, as a counselor or therapist, engage in a pattern, practice, and/or scheme of conduct to engage in any sexual conduct with emotionally dependent patients or clients for the purpose of arousing or satisfying the sexual desires of the defendant, in violation of Iowa Code Sections 709.15(1), 709.15(2)(a)(1), 709.15(4)(a), 903B.2, a **Class D Felony**.

COUNT III
Child Endangerment

The defendant, on or between September 18, 2014, and January 31, 2016, in South Lee County, Iowa, being a parent, guardian, or person having custody or control over a child, did knowingly act in a manner that created a substantial risk to the child's physical, mental, or emotional health or safety, in violation of Iowa Code Section(s) 726.6(1)(a) and 726.6(7), an **Aggravated Misdemeanor**.

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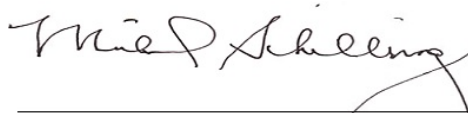
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On this date, I have reviewed the attached Trial Information and the accompanying Minutes of Testimony and find that they contain evidence which, if unexplained, is sufficient to warrant a conviction by a trial jury. Being satisfied from the showing made that the case should be prosecuted, I approve the Trial Information.

Release conditions are set by separate Order of the Court.

So Ordered



Michael J. Schilling, District Court Judge,
Eighth Judicial District of Iowa