

STATE OF INDIANA )

IN THE SULLIVAN *Circuit* COURT

COUNTY OF SULLIVAN )

CAUSE NUMBER. 77 *CO1-1906-F6-000413*

STATE OF INDIANA )

**FILED**  
IN CIRCUIT COURT

INFORMATION FOR COUNT I:

VS

**JUN 11 2019**

VOYEURISM

NORMAN L. PARNELL  
215 West Giles Street  
Sullivan, IN 47882  
DOB: 1/31/1969

*Joyce Bedward*  
Clerk, Sullivan Circuit Court

I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5(c)(1)  
A LEVEL 6 FELONY

The undersigned, being duly sworn upon her oath, says that on or about April 18, 2019 at Parnell Studios in Sullivan County, State of Indiana, Norman L. Parnell did peep without the consent of Female Victim One into an area where the occupant could reasonably be expected to disrobe, to-wit: a private tanning room, occupied by Female Victim One and knowingly or intentionally committed said offense by means of a camera contrary to the form of the statutes in such cases made and provided by I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2) and I.C. 35-45-4-5(c)(1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Indiana.

*Ann Smith Mischler*  
Ann Smith Mischler  
Prosecuting Attorney

WITNESSES:  
Michael J. Taylor



STATE OF INDIANA )  
 ) SS:  
COUNTY OF SULLIVAN )

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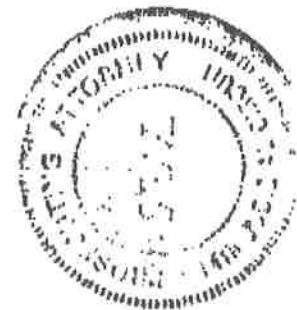
*Anna Przewo*  
Clerk, Sullivan Circuit Court

INFORMATION FOR COUNT II:  
VOYEURISM  
I.C. 35-45-4-5(b) (2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5(c) (1)  
A LEVEL 6 FELONY

The undersigned, being duly sworn upon her oath, says that on or about November 24, 2018 at Parnell Studios in Sullivan County, State of Indiana, Norman L. Parnell did peep without the consent of Female Victim Two into an area where the occupant could reasonably be expected to disrobe, to-wit: a private tanning room, occupied by Female Victim Two and knowingly or intentionally committed said offense by means of a camera contrary to the form of the statutes in such cases made and provided by I.C. 35-45-4-5(b) (2) and I.C. 35-45-4-5(c) (1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Indiana.

*Ann Smith Mischler*  
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Prosecuting Attorney

WITNESSES:  
Michael J. Taylor



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CAUSE NUMBER. 77 *CO11900-FC000413*

STATE OF INDIANA  
VS

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INFORMATION FOR COUNT III:  
VOYEURISM  
I.C. 35-45-4-5 (b) (2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5 (c) (1)  
A LEVEL 6 FELONY

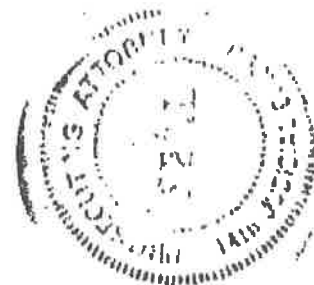
*Julia Bedwell*  
Clerk, Sullivan Circuit Court

NORMAN L. PARNELL  
215 West Giles Street  
Sullivan, IN 47882  
DOB: 1/31/1969

The undersigned, being duly sworn upon her oath, says that on or about April 16, 2019 at Parnell Studios in Sullivan County, State of Indiana, Norman L. Parnell did peep without the consent of Female Victim Three into an area where the occupant could reasonably be expected to disrobe, to-wit: a private tanning room, occupied by Female Victim Three and knowingly or intentionally committed said offense by means of a camera contrary to the form of the statutes in such cases made and provided by I.C. 35-45-4-5 (b) (2) and I.C. 35-45-4-5 (c) (1) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Indiana.

*Ann Smith Mischler*  
Ann Smith Mischler  
Prosecuting Attorney

WITNESSES:  
Michael J. Taylor



STATE OF INDIANA )  
 ) SS:  
COUNTY OF SULLIVAN )

IN THE SULLIVAN *Circuit* COURT  
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STATE OF INDIANA

AFFIDAVIT FOR PROBABLE CAUSE

VS

Count I:

NORMAN L. PARNELL

Voyeurism  
I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5(c)(1)  
a Level 6 Felony

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*Angela B. Brown*  
Clerk, Sullivan Circuit Court

Count II:

Voyeurism  
I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5(c)(1)  
a Level 6 Felony

Count III:

Voyeurism  
I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2) and I.C.  
35-45-4-5(c)(1)  
a Level 6 Felony

Affiant swears or affirms that he believes, and has good cause to believe, that:

1. Affiant herein is an officer for the Indiana State Police.
2. Affiant attaches a copy of his case report as probable cause for the above stated offense(s).

I swear or affirm, under perjury as specified by IC 35-44.1-2-1 that the foregoing representations are true.

*Michael J. Taylor 8/168*  
Michael J. Taylor

STATE OF INDIANA )  
 ) SS:  
COUNTY OF SULLIVAN )

IN THE SULLIVAN *Wicuit* COURT

CAUSE NO. *77CO1900 - Fl 000 413*

**AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE  
CAUSE FOR ARREST**

STATE OF INDIANA

VS.

**NORMAN L. PARNELL**  
Defendant  
DOB 01/31/1969  
Address: 215 W Giles St.  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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*Joseph Brooks*  
Clerk, Sullivan Circuit Court

**PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT**

Detective Michael Taylor, Criminal Investigation Division of the Indiana State Police Department, states that he believes and has good cause to believe that on November 24, 2018, April 16, 2019, and on April 18, 2019, in Sullivan County, Indiana, Norman L Parnell committed the crimes of 3 Counts of Voyeurism I.C.35-45-4-5, and that probable cause exists and such belief is based upon the following facts:

1. This Affiant is a law enforcement officer with the Indiana State Police Department. This Affiant has served in this capacity for eleven (11) years.
2. This Affiant has training and experience in the area of traffic law, criminal law and general investigative methods as well as hands-on experience for the past eleven (11) years. This Affiant has been involved in numerous investigations including Theft, Burglary, Murder and Residential Entry.
3. The Sullivan City Police received a call from a female (Victim 1) on April 18, 2019, who reported voyeurism. Victim 1 stated, while tanning at Parnell Studios, she reported seeing a cell phone in a red and black case appear in the lower left-hand corner of the vent in the private room in which she was tanning. Victim 1 reported the phone was then quickly removed, and the suspect, Norman Parnell, walked by the door and headed to his office. Assistant Chief Brooks obtained a search warrant for Mr. Parnell's cell phone: a Samsung Galaxy S9 Plus. The phone was given to Detective Sgt. Chris Carter with the Indiana State Police Cyber Crime Unit to perform a forensic download of the phone.
4. During the forensic download of Mr. Parnell's cell phone, 2 videos, along with multiple screen shots from the videos, were recovered.
5. A photograph was located on Mr. Parnell's phone of him in the mirror holding up his cell phone to take the picture. The phone Mr. Parnell was holding had a red and black case on

- it. The red and black case was recovered during the search warrant executed on April 30, 2019.
6. The first video was taken on November 24, 2018, at 5:16pm, and lasted approximately 1 minute and 28 seconds. The video shows the inside of the closet as the camera is being moved into position behind a vent, then looking down into the room where there is a white glow from the tanning bed. A beeping noise can be heard, the tanning bed shuts off, and the lid opens. The video then shows a young, thin, white female with dark red hair getting out of the tanning bed, walking out of the video, and then back into the frame. The video also shows the female is not wearing any clothing. It shows her butt, and part of her left breast. Using the sign-in sheets and other documents collected during a search of Parnell Studios, the female in this video was later identified as Victim 2.
  7. The second video was taken on April 16, 2019, at approximately 11:40 am, and lasted approximately 54 seconds. The video begins with the camera inside the closet again, being moved into position behind the same vent as the first video. The video shows a white female with blond hair over dark hair, with a tattoo on her back left shoulder area, applying lotion all over her body. The video shows the female's butt, and breast. The video continues as the tanning bed turns on and the room begins to glow. Using the sign-in sheets, as well as other documents collected during a search of Parnell Studios, the female in this video was later identified as Victim 3.
  8. During the execution of the search warrant at Parnell Studios on April 30, 2019, photographs were taken of the closet, and through the vent into the tanning room in question. The photographs taken by the police look very similar to the video and screen shots taken by Mr. Parnell that were recovered from his phone.
  9. Victim 2 made the statement that when she went to Parnell Studios to tan, they were getting ready to close, and Norman Parnell offered and allowed her to tan in bed 9 at no extra cost. Victim 2 stated she had only tanned in bed 9 one time which was on November 24, 2019. Victim 2 also stated that she did not pay for the tanning package that would include bed 9.
  10. Victim 3 made the statement that Norman Parnell offered her the opportunity to tan in bed 9 at no extra cost. Victim 3 also stated she did not pay for the tanning package that would include bed 9.

I have learned the facts contained in this Complaint from, among other sources, my personal participation in this investigation, my discussions with other law enforcement agents, searches that I have conducted, and my review of documents, video and audio recordings, and other evidentiary materials. Because this Complaint is being submitted for the limited purpose of establishing probable cause, it does not include every fact that I have learned during the course of this investigation. Further, any statements related herein are related in substance and in part only.

Pursuant to I.C. 35-34-1-2.4, I affirm under the penalty of perjury as specified by I.C. 34-44-2-1, that the foregoing representations are true.

DATE: 6-11-2019

  
Michael Taylor, Detective  
Indiana State Police