

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,  
IN AND FOR ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA  
Plaintiff,

vs.

JASON JOSEPH HOWE  
Defendant.

CASE NUMBER: 01-2024-CF-004191-A

DIVISION II

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**MOTION TO REDUCE BOND**

COMES NOW the Defendant, Jason Joseph Howe, by and through the undersigned Counsel, pursuant to Rule 3.131(d) of the Florida Rules of Criminal Procedure, and respectfully moves this Court for entry of an Order releasing the Defendant on his/her own recognizance, or in the alternative, reducing the bond previously set in the above-styled case.

AS GROUNDS for this Motion, the Defendant would show:

1. The Defendant was arrested on December 20, 2024 for the offenses of Possession of child pornography, Transmission of material harmful to minors to a minor by electronic device or equipment, Possession of child pornography, Transmission of material harmful to minors to a minor by electronic device or equipment, unlawful use of a two-way communications device.
2. Bond is set at \$425,000.00. The Defendant is indigent and cannot post bond as set.
3. The Defendant is twenty years of age.
4. If released, Defendant will reside at 1860 N.E. 46<sup>th</sup> Circle, High Springs, Florida.
5. The Defendant understands that he must attend all court events.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant respectfully requests this Court to enter its Order releasing the Defendant on his/her own recognizance, or in the alternative, reducing the bond in the above-styled case.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFIES that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished to Nicole Reed, Assistant State Attorney, at 120 W. University Ave, Gainesville, Fl 32601, [eservice@sao8.org](mailto:eservice@sao8.org), via E-Service, on January 3, 2025.

s/ **Linda E. Haddad**

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