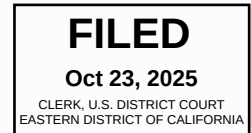


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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

TONY CHRISTOPHER LONG,
Aka "Inactive",
Aka "Inactivee0",
Aka "Inactivecvx",

Defendant.

CASE NO. 1:25-cr-00205-JLT-SKO

18 U.S.C. § 48(a)(1) – Animal Crushing (Two Counts); 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a) and (e) – Sexual Exploitation of a Minor; 18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) – Possession of Material Involving the Sexual Exploitation of a Minor; 18 U.S.C. § 2261A – Cyberstalking; 18 U.S.C. § 875(d) – Interstate Threat; 18 U.S.C. § 2253(a) – Criminal Forfeiture

I N D I C T M E N T

1. At all relevant times, the defendant, TONY LONG, aka "Inactive", aka "Inactivee0", aka "inactivecvx" ("defendant" or "LONG"), was a member and associate of "764," a criminal organization of Nihilistic Violent Extremists ("NVEs").

2. NVEs are individuals who engage in criminal conduct within the United States and abroad in furtherance of political, social, or religious goals that derive primarily from a hatred of society at large and a desire to bring about its collapse by sowing indiscriminate chaos, destruction, and social instability. NVEs work individually or as part of a network with these goals of destroying civilized

society through the corruption and exploitation of vulnerable populations, which often include minors.¹

3. NVEs, both individually and as a network, systematically and methodically target vulnerable populations across the United States and the globe. NVEs frequently use social media communication platforms to connect with individuals and desensitize them to violence by, among other things, breaking down societal norms regarding engaging in violence, normalizing the possession, production, and sharing of CSAM and gore material, and otherwise corrupting and grooming those individuals towards committing future acts of violence.

4. Those individuals are targeted online, often through synchronized group chats. NVEs frequently conduct coordinated extortions of individuals by blackmailing them so they comply with the demands of the network. These demands vary and include, but are not limited to, self-mutilation, online and in-person sexual acts, harm to animals, sexual exploitation of siblings and others, acts of violence, threats of violence, suicide, and murder.

5. Historically, NVEs systematically targeted vulnerable individuals by grooming, extorting, coercing, and otherwise compelling through force, or the threat of force, the victims to mutilate themselves or do violence, or threaten violence, to others, and either film or photograph such activity. The members of the network have edited compilation photographs or videos of targeted individuals, shared the photographs and videos on social media platforms for several reasons, including to gain notoriety amongst members of the network, and spread fear among those targeted individuals for the purpose of accelerating the downfall of society and otherwise achieving the goals of the NVEs.

6. NVE networks have adopted various monikers to identify themselves. The networks have changed names over time, which has led to the creation of related networks. Although the networks change names and use a variety of different social media platforms, the core members and goals remain consistent and align with the overarching threat of NVE.

7. “764” and related groups (altogether, “764”) are NVEs who engage in criminal conduct within the United States and engage with other extremists abroad. The 764 network’s accelerationist goals include social unrest and the downfall of the current world order, including the United States

¹ NVEs adhere to an ideology herein defined as Nihilistic Violent Extremism (NVE).

Government. Members of 764 work with one another towards a common purpose of destroying civilized society through the corruption and exploitation of vulnerable populations, including minors.

8. At all relevant times, LONG was a resident of Tulare County, in the State and Eastern District of California.

COUNT ONE: [18 U.S.C. § 48(a)(1) – Animal Crushing]

The Grand Jury charges: T H A T

9. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

10. On or about November 24, 2024, in Tulare County, in the State and Eastern District of California, LONG purposely engaged in animal crushing in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 48(a)(1).

COUNT TWO: [18 U.S.C. § 48(a)(1) – Animal Crushing]

The Grand Jury further charges: THAT

11. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

12. On or about December 4, 2024, in Tulare County, in the State and Eastern District of California, LONG purposely engaged in animal crushing in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 48(a)(1).

COUNT THREE: [18 U.S.C. § 2251(a) and (e) – Sexual Exploitation of a Minor]

The Grand Jury further charges: THAT

13. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

14. On or about November 11, 2024, LONG, in Tulare County, in the State and Eastern District of California, knowingly employed, used, persuaded, induced, enticed, and coerced, and conspired with at least one other person to employ, use, persuade, induce, entice, and coerce, a minor, to wit: Minor Victim 1, a resident of Washington State, to engage in any sexually explicit conduct, as defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 2256, for the purpose of producing a visual depiction of such conduct, with knowledge and reason to know that such visual depiction would be transported and transmitted using any means and facility of interstate and foreign commerce, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, or such visual depiction was produced and transmitted using materials that had been mailed, shipped, and transported in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce by any means,

1 including by computer, and attempted to do so, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section
2 2251(a) and (e).

3 COUNT FOUR: [18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) – Possession of Material Involving the Sexual Exploitation
4 of a Minor]

5 The Grand Jury further charges: THAT

6 15. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

7 16. On or about December 10, 2024, in Tulare County, in the State and Eastern District of
8 California, LONG knowingly possessed matter which contained any visual depiction that had been
9 shipped or transported using any means or facility of interstate or foreign commerce or in or affecting
10 interstate or foreign commerce, or which was produced using materials that had been so shipped or
11 transported, while knowing that the visual depiction showed a minor, to wit: Minor Victim 1, a resident
12 of Washington State, engaging in sexually explicit conduct as defined in Title 18, United States Code,
13 Section 2256, and also knowing that the visual depiction was of a minor, all in violation of Title 18,
14 United States Code, Section 2252(a)(4)(B).

15 COUNT FIVE: [18 U.S.C. § 2261A – Cyberstalking]

16 The Grand Jury further charges: THAT

17 17. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

18 18. Beginning on a date unknown to the Grand Jury, but not later than on or about October
19 10, 2024, and continuing at least until on or about October 11, 2024, in Tulare County, in the State and
20 Eastern District of California, with the intent to injure, harass, and intimidate another person, to wit:
21 Minor Victim 2, a resident of Kern County, in the State and Eastern District of California, LONG used
22 an interactive computer service and electronic communication service, and an electronic communication
23 system of interstate and foreign commerce and any other facility of interstate and foreign commerce, to
24 wit: online messaging services, and engaged in a course of conduct that caused, attempted to cause, and
25 would be reasonably expected to cause substantial emotional distress upon Minor Victim 2, all in
26 violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2261A.

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1 COUNT SIX: [18 U.S.C. § 875(d) – Interstate Threat]

2 The Grand Jury further charges: THAT

3 19. Paragraphs 1 through 8 are incorporated herein by reference.

4 20. Beginning on a date unknown to the Grand Jury, but not later than on or about October
5 10, 2024, and continuing at least until on or about October 11, 2024, in Tulare County, in the State and
6 Eastern District of California, LONG did knowingly and willfully, with intent to extort from another
7 person, to wit: Minor Victim 2, anything of value, transmit in interstate and foreign commerce a
8 communication containing a threat to injure the property and reputation of Minor Victim 2, all in
9 violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 875(d).

10 FORFEITURE ALLEGATION: [18 U.S.C. § 2253(a) – Criminal Forfeiture]

11 Upon conviction of one or more of the offenses alleged in Count Three and Four of this
12 Indictment, defendant Tony LONG shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2253(a),
13 any and all matter which contains visual depictions produced, transported, mailed, shipped or received
14 in violation thereof; any property, real or personal, constituting or traceable to gross profits or other
15 proceeds the defendant obtained as a result of said violations; and any property, real or personal, used or
16 intended to be used to commit and promote the commission of the violations.

17 If any property subject to forfeiture as a result of the offenses alleged in Counts Three and
18 Four of this Indictment, for which defendants are convicted:

- 19 a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
20 b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
21 c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
22 d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
23 e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without
24 difficulty;

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1 it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2253(b) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c),
2 incorporating 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of said defendants, up to the
3 value of the property subject to forfeiture.

4 A TRUE BILL.

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6 **/s/ Signature on file w/AUSA**

7 FOREPERSON

8 /s/ Eric Grant

9 ERIC GRANT

United States Attorney

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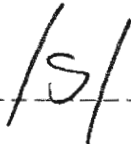
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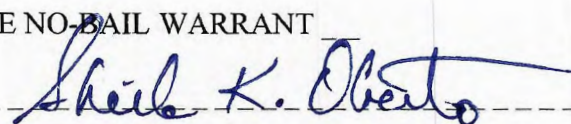
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Clerk.

Bail, \$ ___ **PLEASE ISSUE NO BAIL WARRANT**

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DEFENDANT INFORMATION RELATIVE TO A CRIMINAL ACTION -- IN U.S. DISTRICT COURTBY ☐ COMPLAINT ☐ INFORMATION ☒ INDICTMENT
☐ SUPERSEDING: CASE No.**OFFENSE CHARGED**

Place of offense

FRESNO

U.S.C. Citation

Please see indictment documents

- ☐
- Petty
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- ☐
- Minor
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- ☐
- Misdemeanor
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- ☒
- Felony

Name of District Court, and/or Judge/Magistrate Judge Location (City)
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, FRESNO**DEFENDANT -- U.S. vs.**

TONY CHRISTOPHER LONG

Aka "Inactive", Aka "Inactive0", Aka "Inactivecvx",

Address

Birth
Date☒ Male☐ Alien☐ Female

(if applicable)

(Optional unless a juvenile)

PROCEEDING

Name of Complainant Agency, or Person (& Title, if any)

FBI SA HANNAH DOUGHTY

☐ person is awaiting trial in another Federal or State Court, give name of court☐ this person/proceeding is transferred from another district per FRCrP ☐ 20 ☐ 21 ☐ 40. Show District☐ this is a reprosecution of charges previously dismissed which were dismissed on motion of:☐ U.S. Att'y ☐ DefenseSHOW
DOCKET NO.☐ this prosecution relates to a pending case involving this same defendant☐ prior proceedings or appearance(s) before U.S. Magistrate Judge regarding this defendant were recorded underMAGISTRATE
JUDGE CASE NO.Name and Office of Person
Furnishing Information on

THIS FORM

Stacey Medina

☒ U.S. Att'y☐ Other U.S. AgencyName of Asst. U.S.
Att'y (if assigned)

JEFFREY SPIVAK

☒ FORFEITURE ALLEGATION**DEFENDANT****IS NOT IN CUSTODY**

- 1)
- ☒
- Has not been arrested, pending outcome of this proceeding

If not detained, give date any prior summons was served on above charges

- 2)
- ☐
- Is a Fugitive

- 3)
- ☐
- Is on Bail or Release from (show District)

IS IN CUSTODY

- 4)
- ☐
- On this charge

- 5)
- ☐
- On another conviction

- 6)
- ☐
- Awaiting trial on other charges
- ☐
- Fed'l
- ☐
- State

If answer to (6) is "Yes," show name of institution

Has detainer
been filed?☐ Yes☐ No

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If "Yes,"
give date
filed

Day

Year

DATE OF
ARREST

Or ... if Arresting Agency & Warrant were not Federal

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Day

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DATE TRANSFERRED
TO U.S. CUSTODY☐ This report amends AO 257 previously submitted

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS

PLEASE ISSUE NO-BAIL WARRANT

United States v. Tony Long
Penalties for Indictment

COUNTS 1 AND 2

VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 48 - Animal Crushing

PENALTIES: Maximum of 7 years in prison; or
Fine of up to \$250,000; or both fine and imprisonment.
Supervised release of up to 3 years.

COUNT 3:

VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a) - Sexual Exploitation of a Minor

PENALTIES: Mandatory minimum of 15 years in prison and a maximum of up to 30 years in prison; or
Fine of up to \$250,000; or both fine and imprisonment.
Special assessment of \$100 pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3013.
Special assessment of \$5,000 pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3014.
Special assessment, per 18 U.S.C. § 2259A, of no more than \$50,000.
Supervised release of at least 5 years up to life.

COUNT 4:

VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) – Possession of Material Involving Sexual Exploitation of Minors

PENALTIES: Maximum of 10 years in prison; or
Fine of up to \$250,000; or both fine and imprisonment.
Supervised release of at least 5 years up to life

COUNT 5:

VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 2261A– Cyberstalking

PENALTIES: Maximum of up to 20 years in prison; or
Fine of up to \$250,000; or both fine and imprisonment.
Supervised release of up to 3 years

COUNT 6:

VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 875(d)– Interstate Extortion

PENALTIES: Maximum of up to 2 years in prison; or
Fine of up to \$250,000; or both fine and imprisonment.
Supervised release of up to 3 years

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION:

As stated in the charging document