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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: March 18th, 2016
Contact: Kimberly Corban • kweeks@co.weld.co.us • 970.356.4010 ext. 4702
Re: Charges Filed Against Westminster School Bus Driver for Attempted Assault on a Child

Greeley, CO – On Friday, March 18th, Phillip John Ogren (DOB 05/09/49) was formally charged with Internet Sexual Exploitation (F4), Internet Luring of a Child (F5), and Attempted Sexual Assault on a Child (F5). According to police reports, Ogren had posted an ad on Craigslist soliciting sex. An agent with the Department of Homeland Security came across the ad and began communicating with Ogren posing as a 14-year old male. They arranged a meeting in Evans, CO and when Ogren arrived he was arrested by the Colorado State Patrol Task Force and Homeland Security.

At the time of his arrest, Ogren was employed as a school bus driver for Westminster Public Schools. He was immediately placed on leave with the district following his arrest.

Ogren's bond was set at \$10,000 on March 9th and he is due in court on May 2nd, 2016 at 9:00 AM in division 11 of Weld County District Court.

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