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Shreveport Police Make Arrest in 2025 Rape Investigation



Emmanuel James

The Shreveport Police Department has made an arrest in connection with a rape reported in 2025 involving a juvenile victim.

The investigation began after information was disclosed with the assistance of Project Celebration, a local organization that provides support services to victims of sexual assault. During the course of the investigation, a victim disclosed details of a sexual assault allegedly committed by Emmanuel James.

Detectives with the Shreveport Police Department conducted a thorough investigation and subsequently obtained an arrest warrant for one count of First Degree Rape.

On January 23, James was taken into custody by the Shreveport Police Department Warrant Unit and has been arrested on the above charge.

The victim in this case was nine years old at the time of the offense.

Under Louisiana law, First Degree Rape is a capital offense, and if convicted, James could face up to the death penalty.

Due to the nature of this investigation and the age of the victim, no additional details will be released at this time. The Shreveport Police Department remains committed to protecting children and holding offenders accountable.

Anyone with additional information related to this case is encouraged to contact the Shreveport Police Department.