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Convicted Sex Offender jailed on allegations of sexual assault



A Shreveport man has been arrested in connection with an on-going investigation into allegations he sexually assaulted an 11 year old girl last year.

In an investigation which began in mid-September of 2015, Shreveport Police Sex Crimes detectives launched an inquiry into allegations a child had been sexually assaulted by a man who was known to her. During the investigation, detectives were able to gather information and evidence indicating 57 year old Jimmy Thomas, of the 3000 block of Ivy Lane in Shreveport, was somehow involved in the crime.

On Wednesday January 6, investigators located Thomas and transported him to Shreveport Police headquarters where he was interviewed as to his alleged involvement in the matter. Following subsequent interviews, Thomas was ultimately arrested and charged with a single count of Aggravated Rape. Thomas, already a convicted sex offender for crimes involving juveniles, was booked in the Shreveport City Jail.

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