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INCIDENT: Meridian man arrested for enticement of a minor over the internet

WHEN: Monday, August 24, 2009

WHERE: Near the intersection of Overland & Orchard, Boise

PERSON INVOLVED: Michael John Reynolds, 45, Meridian

DETAILS: Ada County Sheriff's detectives arrested a Meridian man who used the internet to entice a teenager to meet him for sex this evening.

On Monday August 24, Michael John Reynolds, 45, of Meridian, talked online with a detective posing as a 15-year-old girl. Reynolds spoke about his intent to have sexual contact with the teenager and arranged to meet her at a business near the corner of Overland & Orchard. When Reynolds arrived, he was taken into custody. Reynolds was booked into the Ada County Jail on a charge of sexual enticement of a minor over the internet. He is expected to be arraigned on the charge tomorrow afternoon in district court.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: This arrest is a result of work by the Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force. The Ada County Sheriff's Office receives ICAC grant money to help fund these investigations that are conducted on an ongoing basis.