

WITNESSES

Jason Bowen Charleston Sheriff

E.M. Goldstein / B.M. Goldstein

The State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

October, 2024 TERM

ARREST WARRANT NUMBER

2023A1010204205

THE STATE

vs.

JUAN MARCOS COTTO

~~W/M~~

After being fully advised as to my legal rights, I hereby waive presentment to the Grand Jury.

Defendant

I hereby appear in my own proper person and plead guilty to the within indictment or to

Defendant

Witness

C C C P L S A N D G S

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

TRUE BILL

M. M. 2024
Foreperson of Grand Jury
Date

OCT 08 2024

VERDICT

Indictment for

CRIMINAL SOLICITATION
OF A MINOR

SC Code 16-15-0342
CDR Code 2999

[Signature]
Foreperson of Petit Jury
Date

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

SENTENCE ORDER

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Charleston

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2024 -GS- 10 - 05312

STATE vs:

AW#: 2023A1010204206

Juan Cotto

Date of Offense: 07/25/2023

AKA: _____ SSN: XXX-XX- 1595

S.C. Code §: 16-15-342

RACE: W SEX: M DOB: [REDACTED]

CDR Code #: 2999

Range of Offense: 0-10

In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was CONVICTED OF or PLEADS

TO: Criminal Solicitation of a Minor Range of Offense Pled 0-10

In violation of § 16-3-855(B) of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0396

NON-VIOLENT VIOLENT SERIOUS MOST SERIOUS MANDATORY GPS § 17-25-45
(CSC w/minor 1st or CSC w/minor 3rd)

The charge is: As indicted Lesser Included Offense, Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury.

The plea is: w/o Rec/Negotiations Negotiated Recommendation

[Signature] 101351
Solicitor SC Bar # _____ Attorney for Defendant SC Bar # _____

The Defendant is committed to the SCDC County Detention Center Home Incarceration Program for a determinate term of 10 days/months/years/Time Served. YOANTE _____ years and/or shall pay a fine of \$ _____; provided that upon the service of _____ days/months/years/Time Served and or payment of \$ _____ plus costs and assessments as applicable* ; balance is suspended with probation for _____ months/years and subject to SCDPPPS standard conditions of probation, which are incorporated by reference.
The sentence shall run CONCURRENT or CONSECUTIVE to sentence on: 10/28/25
 The Defendant is to be given credit for time served pursuant to S.C. Code § 24-13-40 to be calculated and applied by SCDC.
62 days/months To include time spent on monitored house arrest prior to trial and sentencing.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- PTUP _____
- No Contact with Victim Domestic Violence Intervention Program Hold for Inpatient Treatment
- Sex Offender Registry pursuant to S.C. Code § 23-3-430 SAC/MHC if necessary
- Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect pursuant to S.C. Code § 17-25-135.
- Other: _____

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RESTITUTION See Separate Order (20% per S.C. Code §24-21-490(B))

- §14-1-206 (Assessments 107.5%)
- §14-1-211 (A)(1) Conv. Surcharge)
- §14-1-211 (A)(2)(DUI Surcharge)
- §56-5-1995 (DUI Assessment
- §56-1-286 (DUI Breath Test)
- §14-1-212 (Law Enforcement Funding)
- §14-1-213 (Drug Court Surcharge)
- §34-11-70(b)and(c), and 34-11-90(c)and(d) (Admin Fraud Check Court Costs)
- §50-21-114 (BUI Breath Test Fee)
- §56-5-2942(J) (Vehicle Assessment)
- 3% to County (If paid in installments)

Fine/Costs and Assessments are to be paid to the Clerk of Court within _____ days/months

- Appointed PD or appointed other counsel. Provisio requires \$500 to be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees.
- §17-3-45(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund

Restitution	\$
FINE:	\$
	\$
\$100	\$ 100.00
\$100	\$
\$12	\$
\$25	\$
\$25	\$ 25.00
\$150	\$
\$41	\$
\$50	\$
\$40/ea	\$
TBD	\$ 3.75
\$500	\$
\$40	\$
TOTAL	\$ 128.75

[Signature]
Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk
Jame Bickett
Court Reporter

2775 Judge Code 10/28/25 Sentence Date [Signature] Presiding Judge

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01/27/2025

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS
NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Indictments #: 2024-GS-10-5312

vs.

JUAN MARCOS COTTO,

VERDICT FORM NO. 2

DEFENDANT.

PLEASE CIRCLE THE APPROPRIATE VERDICT BELOW.

We the jury unanimously find the Defendant, Juan Marcos Cotto, as to the charge of **CRIMINAL SOLICITATION OF A MINOR**:

GUILTY

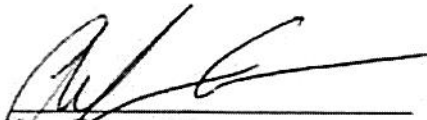
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Please sign and date.



Jury Foreperson

10-28-25
Date

WITNESSES

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

October 2024 TERM

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ARREST WARRANT NUMBER

2023A1010204205

THE STATE

vs.

JUAN MARCOS COTTO

W/M

Defendant

Witness:

C.C.C. PLS. AND G.S.

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

TRUE BILL

Mich Rd

Foreperson of Grand Jury

Date:

OCT 08 2024

VERDICT

Guilty

Indictment for

ATTEMPTED CRIMINAL SEXUAL
CONDUCT WITH A MINOR IN THE
SECOND DEGREE

SC Code: 16-3-655(B)

CDR Code: 0396

Foreperson of Petit Jury

Date:

10/24/25

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
)
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON)

INDICTMENT

ATTEMPTED CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT
WITH A MINOR IN THE SECOND DEGREE

At a Court of General Sessions, convened on October, 2024, the
Grand Jurors of Charleston County present upon their oath:

That Juan Marcos Cotto, on or about July 25, 2023 did attempt to commit the
crime of Attempted Criminal Sexual Conduct with a Minor in the Second degree. To wit:
Juan Marcos Cotto, a person eighteen years of age or older, did knowingly travel to and
arrive at a pre-arranged location within the County of Charleston, State of South
Carolina, for the purpose of, or with the specific intent to, engage in sexual battery, as
defined in Section 16-3-651(h), with a person whom he reasonably believed to be a
fourteen year-old minor. This is in direct violation of Section 16-3-655(B) and Section
16-1-80, of the South Carolina Code of Laws (1976), as amended.

Against the peace and dignity of the State, and contrary to the statute in such
case made and provided.

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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
Alan Wilson
ALAN WILSON (SJR)
ATTORNEY GENERAL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

SENTENCE ORDER

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF Charleston

INDICTMENT/CASE# 2024 -GS- 10 - 05311

STATE VS

AW# 2023A1010204205

Juan Cotto

Date of Offense 07/25/2023

AKA: _____ SSN XXX-XX- 1595

S.C. Code § 16-3-655(B)

RACE W SEX: M DOB: [REDACTED]

CDR Code # 0396

Range of Offense 0-20

In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was CONVICTED OF or PLEADS

TO Attempted Criminal Sexual Conduct with a Minor, 2nd Degree Range of Offense Pled 0-20

In violation of § 16-3-655(B) of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0396

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The plea is w/o Rec/Negotiations Negotiated _____ Recommendation _____

Solicitor [Signature] 101351 SC Bar # _____

Attorney for Defendant _____ SC Bar # _____

The Defendant is committed to the SCDC County Detention Center Home Incarceration Program for a determinate term of 20 days/months/years/Time Served YOANTE _____ years and/or shall pay a fine of \$ _____, provided that upon the service of 15 days/months/years/Time Served and/or payment

of \$ _____ plus costs and assessments as applicable*, balance is suspended with probation for 5 months/years

and subject to SCDPPPS standard conditions of probation, which are incorporated by reference

The sentence shall run CONCURRENT or CONSECUTIVE to sentence on 10/28/25

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Restitution	\$ _____
FINE:	\$ _____
	\$ _____
	\$ 100 _____
	\$ 100 _____
	\$ 12 _____
	\$ 25 _____
	\$ 25 _____
	\$ 150 _____
	\$ 41 _____
	\$ 50 _____
	\$ 40/ea _____
	TBD _____
	\$ 500 _____
	\$ 40 _____
TOTAL	<u>243.75</u>

Appointed PD or appointed other counsel Provisio requires \$500 to be paid to Clerk during probation and shall be collected before any other fees

§ 17-3-45(B) Unpaid Application Fee to be paid to the Public Defender Fund

Clerk of Court/Deputy Clerk

Court Reporter

Judge Code 2775

Sentence Date 10/28/25

Presiding Judge [Signature]

SCCA217B 01/27/2025

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Indictments #: 2024-GS-10-05311

vs.

JUAN MARCOS COTTO,

VERDICT FORM NO. 1

DEFENDANT.

PLEASE CIRCLE THE APPROPRIATE VERDICT BELOW.

We the jury unanimously find the Defendant, Juan Marcos Cotto, as to the charge of **ATTEMPTED CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT WITH A MINOR AGES 11-14 IN THE SECOND DEGREE**:

GUILTY


NOT GUILTY

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Please sign and date.


Jury Foreperson

10 30 25
Date