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SVU Detectives Arrest Suspect on 2 Counts of Capital Sexual Battery involving an Infant

The Miami Police Department's Special Victims Unit (SVU) has rearrested 21-year-old Osher Joshua Pittman on two counts of capital sexual battery involving the same minor victim, an infant approximately two months old. This development stems from an ongoing investigation that began with the suspect's prior arrest for a similar offense against an eight-year-old child in the Allapattah neighborhood.

Following the initial arrest, SVU detectives investigated a cyber tip from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC). This tip led to the discovery of child sexual abuse material in the suspect's possession, resulting in additional charges and a subsequent arrest. Detectives continued their thorough review of seized videos and footage, uncovering evidence of additional horrific acts against an infant victim.

Through meticulous analysis, including distinctive background elements such as flooring patterns and other corroborating evidence, detectives confirmed the suspect's involvement in these crimes. He now faces two counts of capital sexual battery, among other charges, related to the infant victim.

"The dedication of our SVU detectives in pursuing every lead has been instrumental in bringing these charges. We remain committed to protecting our community's most vulnerable and ensuring justice for all victims." Chief Manuel Morales.

The investigation is ongoing, and we encourage anyone with information related to this case to contact the Miami Police Department's SVU at (305) 603-6300 or Crime Stoppers of Miami-Dade & the Florida Keys anonymously at 305-471-TIPS (8477).

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