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NEWS RELEASE

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Detention Deputy Arrested

(Charleston County, S.C.) On June 20, 2016, detectives with the Charleston County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division arrested Detention Deputy Milton Lee Parish Judge for furnishing contraband to a prisoner. While our detectives were conducting a contraband investigation at the Detention Center, Detention Deputy Judge was developed as a suspect. During this investigation, it was discovered between February and March 2016, Detention Deputy Judge provided two cell phones and chargers to a prisoner, who is incarcerated in the Sheriff Al Cannon Detention Center, in return for \$300.00 in currency.

Detention Deputy Judge was employed with the Charleston Count Sheriff's Office since May 30, 2014. During this investigation, Detention Deputy Judge resigned from his position on June 3, 2016. Bond hearing will be held today, June 21, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. at Charleston County Central Bond Court.