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Murder Charges Filed on Chace Cook

[Norman, May 22, 2023 -] Moore Senior Madeline Bills was found deceased in her home on April 22, 2023. Through the investigation, Moore Police Department found probable cause to issue an arrest warrant for Mr. Chace Cook for the charge of Rape on May 1, 2023. It was reported that he was in a previous relationship with Ms. Bills. Mr. Cook was detained in Chicago and then he was extradited into the custody of the Cleveland County Sheriff's Office on May 19, 2023.

Our office received charges from the Moore Police Department for Mr. Cook today and filed one count of Murder in the First Degree and one count of Rape.

"We will seek justice for Ms. Bills' death as her life was cut way too short. She was a graduating senior and had plans to attend college. I want to extend my condolences to Ms. Bills' family and friends. It is my office's job to represent those who have been the victims of crime, and so my office will seek justice for Ms. Bills and work to honor her name," says District Attorney Greg Mashburn.

Mr. Cook will be arraigned on May 23, 2023 and given his next court date.

All questions may be directed to Public Information Officer, Alexis White, at Alexis.White@DAC.State.OK.US.

The District 21 DA's Office serves Cleveland, Garvin, and McClain Counties under District Attorney Greg Mashburn. DA Mashburn's mission is to seek justice, protect communities, and represent those who have been victims of crime.

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