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LUNDY, RICHARD J 80

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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET

REGISTRATION AND SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE

APPENDIX A

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE January 22, 1980

FULL NAME Richard J. Lundy  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS 9505 Royal Lane, Apt. 2060

CITY Dallas STATE Texas ZIP CODE 75243

DATE OF BIRTH December 13, 1944 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 35 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION Catholic NATIONALITY American

OCCUPATION Insurance company computer operator  
United States Life Insurance Company

EDUCATION Unknown

WEIGHT 158 HEIGHT 5' 8" RACE White

COLOR OF HAIR Brown COLOR OF EYES Blue (uncertain)

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS Very heavy well groomed beard, eye glasses

MARRIED OR SINGLE Single CHILDREN None  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

WIFE'S NAME N/A

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	OFFICE	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
T 456	Dallas	Texas	Scoutmaster	1973	1/15/80


SPECIAL RECOGNITION Eagle Scout, Ad Altare Dei, Jamboree Scoutmaster

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

Arrested for using teen-age boys to film homemade pornographic movies.

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACH SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

Attachments: Newspaper article, Dallas Times Herald, January 17, 1980  
Newspaper article, Dallas Morning News, January 17, 1980

Signed   
William C. Gamble  
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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March 6, 1980

Mr. William C. Gamble  
Scout Executive  
Circle Ten Council, No. 571

PERSON AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Richard J. Lundy

Dear Billy:

We have now reviewed the above named individual with our corporate attorney. He has asked me to get some more information before we finally wrap up the case of Mr. Lundy.

Could you please tell me if Mr. Lundy has been tried and convicted as of the present time. We would also like to know the sentencing which he received, if the case is now completed. This information will be very helpful to us for future refusal of registration.

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration, Subscription  
and Statistical Service

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*3/19/80*  
*Bill called 3/19/80*  
*no info re trial yet - still*  
*pending - will provide info*  
*to Billy*  
*Paul I. Ernst*

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February 1, 1980

Mr. William C. Gamble  
Scout Executive  
Circle Ten Council, No. 571

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Richard J. Lundy

Dear Billy:

Thank you for the confidential record sheet concerning the above  
Scouter. This will be most helpful for identification purposes in the  
future. Also for the clippings from the various newspapers.

Please send us the results of the forthcoming trial and sentencing.

Thanks very much.

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration, Subscription &  
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SCOUTING/USA

CIRCLE TEN COUNCIL — BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
1922 ANSON RD. • P. O. BOX 35728 • DALLAS, TEXAS 75235 • (214) 637-1480

January 29, 1980

Mr. Richard J. Lundy  
9505 Royal Lane, Apt. 2060  
Dallas, Texas 75243

Dear Mr. Lundy:

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should be suspended. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations that you have with Boy Scouts of America.

You should understand that BSA leadership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies.

We reserve the right to suspend registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not measure up to the high standards of leadership which BSA seeks to provide for American youth. Please also understand that this decision and the reasons for it will be maintained as confidential.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed, please write to me, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA leader should be granted or reinstated.

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS A. O'DWYER  
Council President

TAO:is  
cc: William C. Gamble

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COUNCIL NO. 571 SC-2

TREASURER - L. O. Brightbill, II.

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# Scoutmaster nabbed in child porno case

By JULIE MORRIS  
Staff Writer

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Richard J. Lundy, 35, an insurance company computer operator described by neighbors as "a nice man" whose main hobby was scouting, was arrested Tuesday night at his apartment, where police said they found a footlocker crammed with amateur pornographic photographs, slides and at least three movies.

Vice squad investigators said the material included films of Lundy engaged in sexual activity with six to 10 different boys, aged from about 10 to 16, and still photographs of other youths posing nude, including one of a 13-year-old who has given police an affidavit describing activities in the apartment.

Lundy, a bearded and reserved bachelor who lived alone in the apartment at 9505 Royal Lane, has been scoutmaster of Troop 456 of the Boy Scouts' Dallas North Trails district for the past four years and was assistant scoutmaster of the troop for three years prior to that.

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from the standpoint of skills and was very good with the boys in the area of training."

Scott said the parents' committee voted Wednesday to remove Lundy from his scoutmaster post because of his arrest, and he said parents of the scouts have discussed the matter with them and are convinced that none of the troop members was involved in any sexual activity with Lundy.

Scott said Lundy, whom he described as "a career scouter," contacted the troop when he moved to the Royal Lane-Abrams area seven years ago and said he wanted to help out because he had been involved with scout troops everywhere else he had lived, including when he was stationed in Guam while in the military.

Dallas Police vice squad Lt. E. R. Walt said police do not know how the youths in the pornographic productions were contacted. He said the films apparently were done only for private use and were not being marketed or sold.

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McNally said, and she met many of the boys who visited.

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Miss McNally said Lundy, who has worked since 1972 for United States Life Insurance Co., never talked to her about his family, his job or where he came from, but read a great deal, lifted weights and played tennis.

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Dallas Times Herald  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1980  
15 Cents



SECURITY AGREEMENT

TO: BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

I have received and read a copy of the rules and regulations dated January 16, 1980, which pertain to the new security system effective January 24, 1980.

I agree to abide by those rules, will notify the Security Office (extension 2204) immediately if my card key is lost or misplaced, will only enter and leave the building by one of the authorized doors, and will turn in my card key at the time I terminate my position with Boy Scouts of America.

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Department

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Signature

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## Man arrested in porn case dropped as scout leader

BY C. BOUNDS

A Dallas man arrested Tuesday after confiscated films of teen-age boys in homosexual acts was dismissed as a Boy Scout troop leader Wednesday, although police say they have turned up no evidence that the acts were related to his scout activities.

James Lundy, 35, was arrested at his apartment at 9505 Royal Lane about 5 p.m. Wednesday. Police were tipped that several boys had been lured to the apartment in recent weeks on promises of being shown adult pornography.

Lundy, a Dallas police vice commander, said "five or six" young boys —

one of whom appeared to be about 10 years old — were filmed as they participated in homosexual acts. A 13-year-old depicted in the movie whose family lives in the nearby area and had known Lundy for two years was questioned Wednesday. Police tentatively have identified several other young boys in the films, Walt said.

None of the boys identified were members of the Boy Scout troop led by Lundy, Walt said.

"The boy we questioned today was not connected with the scout troop," Walt said. "To date we have not interviewed anyone who was connected to this that was involved in the scout troop, but that's not to

say there might not have been."

Billy Gamble, scout executive of the Circle 10 Council, said he had talked with several parents after Lundy's arrest and found "the man did not exploit the scout troop or the boys as far as we can see. It seemed to be something he did outside the program."

"One of the things that makes us feel more comfortable is that there was a lot of volunteer support from parents within the troop," Gamble said. "Fathers went along on the camping trips and also attended scout meetings. So it wasn't like he ran a 1-man show."

Lundy headed the 21-member scout troop, comprised of boys 11 to 15 years of

age, for about four years, Gamble said. Lundy was removed as scoutmaster of the troop Wednesday by a committee that oversees the troop, Gamble said.

Walt described the films as "very graphic" and said Lundy was shown in some of the films engaging in homosexual acts with the boys. Although five or six boys were shown in the films, Lundy "could possibly have been involved in any number of such acts," Walt said.

Police also confiscated from Lundy's apartment several homosexual publications, clothing police said was used in the films and a handwritten ledger detailing erotic experiences while on a camping trip with young boys. Police said they are uncer-

tain if Lundy actually was involved in the experiences he described.

Lundy, who told police he "worked with computers," has been charged with sexual performance with a child. Although he was questioned in connection with the abduction-slaying of 7-year-old Stephen Craig Little, "nothing of significance" resulted from the questioning, said Truly Holmes, a police homicide investigator.

Walt said Lundy's arrest caught the scout leader's acquaintances by surprise.

"They said he was not quite normal, but there was nothing to indicate this sort of thing," Walt said. "He was very friendly to children, they said. They said he was the kind who took a real interest in boys."

# Dallas man arrested in child porno case

Dallas vice squad officers have arrested a 35-year-old man and charged him with sexual performance by a child in connection with the child's playing pornographic materials to him.

Richard James Lindy, of 8505 Roy at home, was arrested at his apartment at about 6 p.m. Tuesday by officers who began investigating that area about two weeks ago.

Inside the apartment and living vestibule, plainclothes officers found a footlocker containing at least 200 color slides of juveniles wearing swimming suits, several adult magazines and commercial adult films.

They also found three briefcase movies of Lindy having sex with five identifiable youngsters ranging in age from about 10 to 18 years old.

The kids looked alike they were there because they wanted to be there," said King.

Lindy first came under scrutiny about two weeks ago. Investigators said when his juvenile officers told them of two youths who had told him they had been invited by Lindy and his apartment to watch some pornographic films.

Officers said Walt and Lindy had been arrested before and Lindy had never arrested before talking with investigators. Walt said he was a real police guy.

Walt also said the youths had three home movies, an air boat film from Amicus class, Yarnier, with 100 frames, just behind looking room.

An effort will be made to identify the five youths, Walt said, and if they will testify against Lindy, a state charge could be filed.