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Gerald Copeland, a former Fulton County police officer, accused of sexually assaulting prostitutes is being held by Union City police.

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UNION CITY, Ga. (AP) -- A former Fulton County police officer accused of sexually assaulting prostitutes is being held by Union City police.

George Luth, a police spokesman, said 48-year-old Gerald Copeland was formally charged Thursday.

Police alleged that he raped and robbed a female victim at a vacant subdivision on March 27.

Copeland, a retired police lieutenant, was already jailed in Fayette County after he was named a suspect in two other sexual assault cases.

Union City authorities said Copeland was charged with aggravated

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