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## **Cop charged with corruption of a minor** **([http://dailyitem.com/0100\\_news/x66809253/Cop-charged-with-corruption-of-a-minor](http://dailyitem.com/0100_news/x66809253/Cop-charged-with-corruption-of-a-minor))**

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LITITZ (AP) — A central Pennsylvania police officer is facing allegations he had inappropriate contact with an underage girl.

Thirty-six-year-old Stephen Watson faces a single count of corruption of minors for incidents involving a teenage girl starting when she was 15.

State police say the teen claims Watson had inappropriate contact with her up until June of last year.

Watson waived a preliminary hearing following his arrest on Friday. He was released on \$10,000 unsecured bail.

A phone message left for Watson's attorney was not immediately returned early today.

Watson has been suspended from his job with the Manheim Borough police.



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