

## Child pornography charges filed against NY state police investigator SeanMichael Pagano

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### 2014 Cop Pedophile SeanMichael Pagano

CENTRAL ISLIP, N.Y. -- A New York State Police investigator who also works as an assistant lacrosse coach for a Long Island school district has been arrested by FBI agents on child pornography charges.



SeanMichael Pagano, 37, was arraigned in federal court in Central Islip on Thursday. Pagano's lawyer says his client is not guilty, *Newsday* reported.

Agents observed Pagano downloading several videos involving young girls engaged in sexual acts from an Internet site that distributed child pornography, court documents say. State Police told the FBI that Pagano "was not authorized to conduct child pornography investigations," the complaint says.

A police spokesman told *Newsday* that Pagano has been on the force since 2002 and is based at Troop L in East Farmingdale. Pagano was suspended without pay following his arrest.

Rocky Point school district officials said Pagano has been relieved of his duties as assistant coach.