

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THURSTON COUNTY**

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Plaintiff,

NO. 10-1-00158-5

vs.

INFORMATION

JOSHUA RYAN TABOR
DESC: W/M/508/181 BLU/BRN
DOB: 01/30/1983
SID: UNKNOWN FBI: UNKNOWN
BOOKING NO. C0161186
PCN: 767021089

JOHN C. SKINDER
Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Defendant.


Jointly Charged with Co-Defendant(s):
N/A

Comes now the Prosecuting Attorney in and for Thurston County, Washington, and charges the defendant with the following crimes:

**COUNT I: ASSAULT OF A CHILD IN THE SECOND DEGREE-DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,
RCW 9A.36.130(1)(a), RCW 9A.36.021(1)(f), RCW 10.99.020 – CLASS B FELONY:**

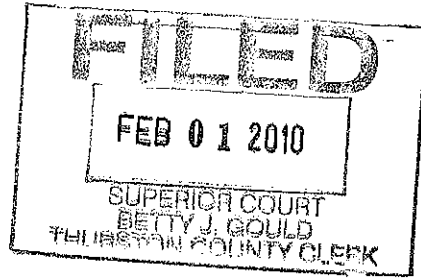
In that the defendant, JOSHUA RYAN TABOR, being at least eighteen (18) years of age, in the State of Washington, on or about January 31, 2010, did knowingly inflict bodily harm which by design caused such pain or agony as to be the equivalent of that produced by torture on his daughter, E.J.T., a child who was under the age of thirteen.

DATED this 2nd day of February, 2010.


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**DECLARATION OF PROSECUTOR
SUPPORTING PROBABLE CAUSE**

JOHN M. "JACK" JONES, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Thurston County, declares the following in support of probable cause for charges in the above-entitled cause:

I am a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Thurston County, Washington. I believe that there is probable cause to believe that the above named defendant has committed the crime(s) of **ASSAULT OF A CHILD IN THE THIRD DEGREE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE (2 COUNTS)** based on the following information from the official investigative reports:

On January 31, 2010, Yelm Police were dispatched to a report of a disturbance involving a male causing a verbal disturbance and threatening property in the neighborhood. The calling party, Callie Combs, stated her boyfriend, Joshua Tabor, was irate, intoxicated and walking around the neighborhood with his Kevlar helmet threatening to break windows.

Officers arrived and located Joshua with two of his neighbors standing down the street from the residence. Joshua was intoxicated but calm at the time, one of the neighbors advised Joshua was angry due to a verbal argument with his girlfriend regarding their newborn. Officer Eriksen responded to the residence and contacted Callie who was also intoxicated and stated their argument was only verbal. Callie then disclosed that Joshua "beats" his four year old daughter, E.J.T. (DOB: 9/26/05), stating EJT's back was currently "covered in bruises." Callie pointed down the hallway stating EJT had locked herself in the bathroom because she is scared of her father. Callie would not answer direct questions about the abuse, but became extremely defensive, claiming that she never witnessed the abuse, but that she had seen Joshua angry with EJT many times and would take her four children from the home on these occasions. Callie stated that she observed bruising on EJT afterwards. Callie stated that the police had responded to their home a week prior for a similar domestic incident and she disclosed abuse at this time. She stated that EJT had a bruise near her eye at that time but after police checked her, they were unable to confirm evidence of abuse. Callie stated that EJT has been "wetting herself" which upsets both she and Joshua, since they feel that she should be fully potty trained. Callie described that oftentimes when EJT wets her pants, Joshua makes her sit in the urine soaked clothes until he "gives her permission to change her clothes."

Callie was able to coax EJT out of the bathroom to speak with Officer Eriksen. EJT appeared to be a bright, articulate four year old of average to above average intelligence. EJT agreed to tell the truth

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1 during their conversation and corrected Officer Eriksen when she felt she said something incorrect. EJT
2 allowed Eriksen to observe her injuries. EJT had severe bruising on her entire back, focused near the
3 center of her back and near her right shoulder. She had scratch marks on her back as well that were made
4 in a downward motion. EJT also had bruising on both of her arms, legs and buttocks. She had bruising
5 on the front and back of her neck/throat area and a large bruise on her chin. Officer Eriksen also noticed
6 additional bruising on the thin cartilage portion of her upper ears on both ears, but noticed deeper bruising
7 on her right ear. EJT began to rub her back and said "it still hurts." EJT was asked how she got the
8 bruises and she replied "Daddy did it." When asked how it had happened EJT would not tell, her answer
9 was "I don't know why he did it." EJT said "Daddy used his hands."

10 Officer Eriksen spoke with Joshua who admitted that he was upset with EJT and he and Callie
11 had held her down on the counter and submerged her head into the water three or four times until the
12 water came around her forehead and jawline, (he said that she was face up), for refusing to say her letters.
13 Joshua stated that EJT is scared of the water and was squirming around to try to get away from the water.
14 Joshua did not act as though he felt here was anything wrong with this form of punishment.

15 During further investigation into this case, Officer Eriksen learned that Joshua has allegedly had
16 serious anger issues in the past, has taken anger management classes.

17 Under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington, I certify that the foregoing
18 is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Signed on February 1, 2010, in Olympia, Washington.

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**DECLARATION OF PROSECUTOR
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