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OCPD Makes Prostitution Arrest

On Wednesday July 23, 2008, Ocean City Police detectives arrested a woman for prostitution. The investigation began after detectives discovered advertisements for prostitution services posted on the internet.

The suspect, identified as Jennifer Watson Ambrose, (35) years of age, of Easton, Maryland, agreed to meet interested parties who would pay for her services, in Ocean City.

An OCPD detective contacted the woman via her website. After corresponding over the internet and phone, Ambrose agreed to meet the detective at a pre-arranged time and location in the 2100 block of Baltimore Avenue, in Ocean City.

The detective and suspect met and went to a pre-determined location where a fee of \$150 per hour was agreed upon. Ambrose was immediately arrested and charged with:

- Maryland **CR 11-306a1** ...did engage in prostitution by any means. This is a Misdemeanor upon conviction, possible fine of \$500 and/or up to 1 year in jail.
- Maryland CR 11-306a5 ...did solicit for prostitution.

Ambrose was seen by an Ocean City District Court Commissioner and released on her own recognizance.

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