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CORRECTION: Corrects defendant's name, updates arraignment information.

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Church Volunteer Charged with Molesting Girl, Having Sex With Her Sister

A volunteer at a church in Diamond Bar has been charged with having a sexual relationship with a minor and molesting her younger sister, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Chee Lim Chook aka Desmond Chook (dob 7/1/63) faces two felony counts each of oral copulation of a person under 18, sexual penetration of a person under 18 and distributing or showing pornography to a minor as well as one count of unlawful sexual intercourse.

Deputy District Attorney Leslie Bouvier said Chook also faces one misdemeanor count of child molesting.

Arraignment now scheduled for May 8 in Department F of the Los Angeles County Superior Court, Pomona Branch.

The alleged sexual conduct with the 16-year-old victim occurred at the church where the defendant volunteered, the River of Life Community Church, on or between November 2016 and November 2018.

Chook is charged with molesting the victim's sister on or between February 2018 and February 2019.

The defendant faces a possible maximum sentence of seven years in state prison if convicted as charged.

Case KA120376 remains under investigation by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Walnut Station.

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Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to protecting our community through the fair and ethical pursuit of justice and the safeguarding of crime victims' rights.