

Molestation charges against Poulsbo man dropped

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PORT ORCHARD —Kitsap County prosecutors have dropped child molestation [charges against Daniel E. Sluys](#), 53, of Poulsbo.

In early January, he was accused of inappropriately touching a young girl he knew.

Kitsap County Senior Deputy Prosecutor Kevin Hull said prosecutors did not believe they could prove a case beyond a reasonable doubt due to inconsistent witness statements.

"It has been a nightmare and I am glad to move on," Sluys said in a statement released by his attorney, David Allen. "I hope that people in the community will afford me the presumption of innocence, especially now that this case has been dismissed."



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