

Hiawatha man found competent to stand trial

**(KNZA)--A Hiawatha man facing a pair of child sex charges has been found competent to stand trial.**

**31-year-old Robert Alan Edwardson is charged with two counts of aggravated indecent liberties with a child.**

**According to the criminal complaint, the charges involve two separate victims—a 13-year-old and a 15-year-old.**

**Edwardson was arrested in February of last year following an investigation by the Hiawatha Police Department.**

**The case was placed on hold after a motion was granted for a competency evaluation.**

**A preliminary hearing has now be set for Wednesday, March 18.**

**Edwardson remains in the Brown County Jail, held on a \$75,000 bond.**

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