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Nine Massage Parlor Operators Charged with
Operating Unlicensed Businesses and Must Cease Operation

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. –Greene County Prosecuting Attorney Dan Patterson announces that today, as a continuation of the joint efforts of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, Springfield Police Department, Missouri Attorney General's Office and Greene County Prosecuting Attorney's office, that nine massage parlor operators have been charged with the class A misdemeanor of operating a massage business without the proper state license. Mr. Patterson stated that these charges represent the next step in the ongoing collaborative efforts to close the businesses involved in the human trafficking investigation. Arrest warrants issued for each of the defendants have bond set at \$1,000.00 and a condition of the bond is that the defendants not operate or be on the premises of a massage business. The individuals charged are:

1. Yunying Yang, Asian, female, DOB: 1/18/1982, operating Shui Massage and Spa, 520 W. University, #E, Springfield, Missouri
2. Fuying Li, Asian, female, 8/1/1980, operating Chi Spa, 2971 E. Chestnut Expressway, Springfield, Missouri
3. Daquiong Wang, Asian, female, DOB: 3/28/1980, operating Golden Massage, 4728 S. Campbell Ave, #112, Springfield, Missouri
4. David Pierson, white, male, DOB: 3/8/1959, operating Lotus Spa, 220 W. Sunshine St., Springfield, Missouri
5. Xiuqin Fan, Asian, female, DOB: 7/30/1965, operating Massage Best Spa, 1550 E. Battlefield Road, Springfield, Missouri
6. Meixiang Cui, Asian, female, DOB: 5/22/1979 operating Great Spa, 2841 S. Fremont Avenue, Springfield, Missouri
7. Jufang Jin, Asian, female, DOB 9/21/1971, operating Peace Massage, aka Magic Spa, 3029 E. Sunshine St., Springfield, Missouri

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8. Jinhua Zhou, Asian, female, DOB 5/14/1970, operating Relax Spa, 2022 S. Stewart, Springfield, Missouri
9. Yanqui Cui, Asian, female, DOB: 11/3/1979, operating Sunshine Spa, 1925 S. Glenstone Ave., Springfield, Missouri

The defendants are currently at large. If you have information about their whereabouts, call 911 or contact local law enforcement directly:

Missouri State Highway Patrol – (417) 895-6868

Springfield Police Department – (417) 864-1810

You can make your report anonymously at:

Crime Stoppers – (417-869-TIPS), or a secure online website ([P3tips.com](https://www.p3tips.com))

Prosecutor Patterson cautions that the charges announced herein are part of an ongoing investigation, involve mere allegations and that the persons charged are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty in court.

These cases are being prosecuted by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dawn Diel and Special Assistant Prosecuting Attorney/Assistant Attorney General Mary Morris.

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