

**At approximately 5:30 p.m. abducted child Catalina Isabela Serna was located by Deputies with the Buncombe County Sheriff's Office. The child was found in good physical condition and returned to her mother.**

**Detectives with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office have worked with family members throughout the day in an effort to reunite the abducted child and her mother. Due to the fact this case had spread to multiple law enforcement jurisdictions, officers with the Buncombe County Sheriff's Office and the Asheville Police Department have actively participated in seeking the child's return.**

**At the time of this release, Fabian Ezekiel Serna has not been arrested, but Sheriff's Detectives are still investigating this matter and seeking any information as to his whereabouts.**

**Captain Jerry Rice**

**Public Information Officer/Professional Standards**

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