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Greenville County Man Convicted for Sexually Assaulting 8 year old Girl

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that ROBERT WILSON WOODS, age 34, was convicted today by a Greenville County jury of Criminal Sexual Conduct with a Minor First Degree and Lewd Act on a Minor. Woods was sentenced to 25 years in the South Carolina Department of Corrections on the charge of Criminal Sexual Conduct with a Minor First Degree by the Honorable Robert Hood. On the charge of Lewd Act, he was sentenced to a consecutive ten years imprisonment suspended during five years of probation following his release from prison. ROBERT WILSON WOODS will have to serve at least 85 % of the 25 year sentence before he becomes eligible for parole.

Evidence presented at trial by Assistant Solicitor Christy Kednocker Sustakovitch established that between June 1, 2011 and Sept 29, 2011, Robert Woods performed a sex act on an eight year old girl at a home where he lived with the child. The child disclosed the abuse to a teacher and counselor at school who then contacted authorities and the investigation into the abuse began.