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Press Release

State of Ohio vs. Joshua Timm

On April 15, 2011 Joshua R. Timm was convicted of the charge of Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor in the Seneca County Common Pleas Court following a two day jury trial. Yesterday Mr. Timm was sentenced to a prison term of 15 months by Seneca County Common Pleas Court Judge Steve C. Shuff.

The State of Ohio was represented by Assistant Prosecutor Rhonda L. Best. Ms. Best stated, "I am pleased that a prison sentence was ordered. The Victim was 14 years old at the time of the offense." Seneca County Prosecutor Derek W. DeVine added, "Rhonda did a good job presenting the evidence and obtaining a conviction. These types of cases are difficult to successfully prosecute."

In addition to the prison term, Judge Shuff also ordered that Mr. Timm register as a Tier II Sex Offender and serve 5 years of mandatory Post-Release Control upon his release from prison.

Mr. Timm was represented by Tiffin attorney Jon Stotzer.