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### **ELGIN MAN GETS 5 YEARS IN PRISON FOR CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE**

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Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser announces that Judge David R. Kliment has sentenced 32-year-old **Jacob Headtke** to 5 years of imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

A jury in June 2021 found Headtke guilty of the offense of aggravated criminal sexual abuse, Class 2 felony. Headtke faced a sentence of between 3 and 7 years in prison.

Kane County Assistant State's Attorneys David Belshan and Katy Flannagan presented evidence that, between October 1, 2015 and June 1, 2016, Headtke sexually abused the victim. Headtke knew the victim, who was younger than 13 years old at the time of the incident.

After the jury conviction, Headtke pleaded guilty to the offense of attempted aggravated criminal sexual abuse, Class 3 felony, with a second victim, whom Headtke also knew. Judge Kliment sentenced him to 3 years of imprisonment for that offense.

The two sentences are to be served concurrently. According to Illinois law, Headtke is eligible for day-for-day sentencing. He receives credit for 258 days in the Kane County jail.

In addition to the prison term, Headtke must register for life as a sexual offender in accordance with the Illinois Sexual Offender Registration Act.

#### **ASA Belshan said:**

"The victims in this case bravely came forward years ago to stop the defendant from hurting other children. They persevered through a lengthy legal process, faced their abuser in court and testified about how he sexually abused them. Justice has been served and the defendant will now serve prison time for his vile and criminal acts. My thanks to the victims and their family for their courage and perseverance. This successful prosecution would not have been possible without ASA Flannagan and the teamwork of the Kane County Child Advocacy Center, victim advocate Julie Pohlman and Investigator Tim Bosshart."

**Jacob Headtke:** Age 32 (d.o.b. 12-14-1989), of the 600 block of Bent Street, Elgin, Illinois. Case No. 16CF1916.