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FLEMINGTON MAN SENTENCED FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT

Hunterdon County Acting Prosecutor Michael J. Williams announced the sentencing of Carlos Zacarias, age 51, of Flemington, NJ, for sexual assault and contempt.

According to Acting Prosecutor Williams, "Mr. Zacarias was arrested on June 5, 2018, after a joint investigation by detectives from the Hunterdon County Prosecutor's Office's Special Victims Unit and the Flemington Borough Police Department. The crimes took place over several months between September 2017 and February 2018, and involved a child under the age of thirteen for whom he had a legal duty of care. Mr. Zacarias was sentenced to ten years in State prison for the sexual assault, and was placed on parole supervision for life. He was also sentenced to a consecutive eighteen months for contempt of court for trying to convince the victim's mother to drop the charges. Mr. Zacarias pled guilty on September 17, 2019, and was sentenced on January 10, 2020, by the Honorable Angela Borkowski, J.S.C.

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