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Domingo Ventura Sentenced to Twenty Years for Course of Sexual Conduct Against a Child in the 1st Degree and Endangering the Welfare of a Child

Rochester, NY- Thursday, July 13, Monroe County Court Judge Victoria Argento sentenced 64-year-old Domingo Ventura to twenty years in the New York State Department of Corrections plus ten years of post-release supervision after a Monroe County Jury convicted him of Course of Sexual Conduct Against a Child in the 1st degree and Endangering the Welfare of a Child.

Between 2015 and 2016, Domingo Ventura sexually abused a child less than 11 years old. A jury found Ventura guilty on June 9, 2017. He will also have to register as a sex offender.

The case was prosecuted by Special Assistant District Attorney Meredith Vacca, of the Child Abuse Bureau.

"Today's sentence is a tribute to the bravery of the young victim who went through an extremely traumatic experience," said Assistant District Attorney Meredith Vacca. "Domingo Ventura is a horrific predator and our children are safer with him serving the majority of the rest of his life behind bars. It is the hope of the Monroe County District Attorney's Office that the victim and the victim's family can continue to heal now that he is no longer a threat to this community and justice has been served."

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