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## **County of Warren**

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### **PRESS RELEASE**

**Guilty Plea:** **Joseph Corvino**

**Previous Address:** **246 Lake of the Pines  
East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania 18301  
DOB: October 26, 1961**

**Current Address:** **Warren County Correctional Center**

The above named defendant entered a guilty plea yesterday to a charge of second degree sexual assault. Pursuant to the plea agreement, the defendant is exposed to 7 years in New Jersey State Prison. This guilty plea was for an act of sexual contact with a child who was 11 years old. The incident happened on September 26, 1990. The defendant was acquainted with his victim. The State agreed to dismiss two additional counts of second degree sexual assault.

The defendant was previously convicted on October 31, 2007 by a Warren County jury in Superior Court for the following offenses against a different victim:

- 1 Count of Aggravated Sexual Assault – 1<sup>st</sup> degree
- 3 Counts of Sexual Assault – 2<sup>nd</sup> degree
- 3 Counts of Endangering the Welfare of a Child – 2<sup>nd</sup> degree

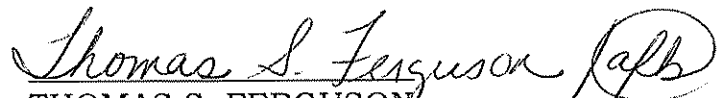
The defendant is exposed up to a sentence of up to life in prison as a result of his conviction at trial.

The defendant will be simultaneously sentenced for both convictions and his sentences will run concurrently.

The defendant is currently being held without bail after being remanded to the Warren County Correctional Center after the October 31 conviction.

The guilty plea and previous trial were presided over by John H. Pursel, J.S.C. Assistant Prosecutor Christine Engiles represented the State. The defendant was represented by Stephanie P. Tettermer, Esq.

The investigation was conducted by Detective Vincent Torre of the Warren County Prosecutor's Office and Detective James Newman of the Mansfield Township Police Department.

  
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