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CONVICTED CHILD MOLESTER SENTENCED TO 145 YEARS

Muncie Indiana – Earlier today, the Honorable Marianne L. Vorhees, Judge of the Delaware County Circuit Court No. 1 sentenced Thomas L. Beall (DOB 1/5/1985) to a total of 145 years in prison. On October 19, 2022, a Delaware County jury deliberated for approximately 2 hours before convicting Beall of:

Count 1: Child Molesting, a Level 1 Felony
Count 2: Child Molesting, a Level 1 Felony
Count 4: Child Molesting, a Level 1 Felony
Count 5: Child Molesting, a Level 4 Felony
Count 6: Child Molesting, a Level 4 Felony



Deputy Prosecutor Steve Sneed recommended a total sentence of 162 years. When imposing sentence, Judge Vorhees noted that the victims “have suffered long term and significant harm at the hands of the defendant.” After the sentence was imposed, Delaware County Prosecuting Attorney Eric Hoffman said “the Defendant in this case a child predator that has been finally held accountable for his heinous crimes. I am proud of Deputy Prosecutors Steve Sneed and Kristin Willadsen, Investigator Cassie Benbow and Detective John Branson of the Delaware County Sheriff’s Office for their hard work and dedication in this case.”

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