CHESTNUT RIDGE MAN CONVICTED AFTER TRIAL SENTENCED TO 50 YEARS TO LIFE IN PRISON FOR PREDATORY SEXUAL ASSAULT AGAINST EIGHT-YEAR-OLD CHILD

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NEW CITY, N.Y. – Rockland County District Attorney Thomas E. Walsh II announces that on November 18, 2026, Byron Guiterrez-Rosil, 55, of Chestnut Ridge, New York, was sentenced before the Honorable Kevin F. Russo Rockland County Court to a total of 50 years to life in state prison.

On July 8, 2026, the defendant was found guilty by a jury on all counts contained in Rockland County Indictment 2024-202 following an eight-day trial presided over by the Honorable Kevin F. Russo of the Rockland County Court.

As enumerated in the above indictment, defendant was found guilty of Predatory Sexual Assault Against a Child, Penal Law § 130.96, a Class "A-II" Felony (2 counts); Rape in the First Degree, Penal Law §§ 130.35(2)(c) and 130.35(2)(c), a Class "B" Violent Felony (one count of each); Sexual Abuse in the First Degree, Penal Law § 130.65(3), a Class "D" Violent Felony (2 counts), and Endangering the Welfare of a Child, Penal Law § 260.10(1), a Class "A" Misdemeanor (2 counts). As proven at trial, on or about and between June 18, 2025, and June 20, 2025, the defendant subjected a female child under the age of 11 years old to continuous acts of sexual abuse in the Village of Chestnut Ridge, County of Rockland, State of New York. The repeated sexual abuse included sexual intercourse.

The Court sentenced defendant to the maximum of 25 years to life on each of the two counts of Predatory Sexual Assault Against A Child to run consecutive to each other; 25 years determinate on each count of Rape in the First Degree with 20 years of post-release supervision; 7 years in state prison on each count of Sexual Abuse in the First Degree with 10 years of post-release supervision; and 364 days incarceration on each of the two counts of Endangering the Welfare of a Child, with a full stay away order of protection for the victim. All counts other than the two counts of Predatory Sexual Assault Against A Child will run concurrent to each other. He will be required to register as a sex offender prior to his release from prison. At the time of sentencing the People requested the maximum sentence on each count of the indictment be imposed.

District Attorney Thomas E. Walsh II said, "I praise the young victim in this case for having the courage to confront and testify against her abuser. While this sentence will never change the horror and pain that the victim has endured, this sentence of a total of 50 years to life in prison assures that this convicted sex offender will spend the rest of his life in prison. My thoughts and prayers remain with the victim as the strong survivor that she is as she continues to recover from the defendant's heinous crimes. I commend the efforts of the law enforcement personnel and prosecutors who worked tirelessly on this case to achieve justice for the victim," said District Attorney Walsh. "This sentence should serve as the strongest deterrent to those who seek to prey upon innocent children and subject them to such horrific abuse. My office will continue to fight for justice to protect all children."

This investigation was conducted by the Ramapo Police Department with assistance from the Clarkstown Police Department and the Rockland County District Attorney's Office Special Victims Unit. The case was prosecuted by Senior Assistant District Attorney Brittany Richardson.