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## ***Tokio Man Sentenced for Sexually Abusing a Child***

**GRAND FORKS** - United States Attorney Drew Wrigley announced that on October 9, 2008, **Kenneth McCloud** of Tokio, North Dakota, was sentenced before United States District Court Judge Ralph R. Erickson on a charge of sexual abusive contact.

**McCloud**, 56, enrolled member of the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, pleaded guilty on July 30, 2008, to engaging in sexual contact with a female child who had not reached 12 years of age. On more than one occasion in the year 2007, **McCloud** touched the genitalia, not through the clothing, of a female child who was in the home of **McCloud**'s girlfriend on the Spirit Lake Indian reservation.

Judge Erickson sentenced **McCloud** to 20 years' imprisonment to be followed by a lifetime of supervised release. **McCloud** was ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$662 and to pay a \$100 special assessment to the Crime Victim's Fund.

The case was investigated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Assistant United States Attorney Janice M. Morley prosecuted the case.

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