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ALGONQUIN MAN SENTENCED TO 13 MONTHS IN FEDERAL PRISON ON FEDERAL CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGES

ROCKFORD – PATRICK J. FITZGERALD, United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, and ROBERT D. GRANT, Special Agent-in-Charge of the Chicago Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, today made the following announcement:

United States District Judge Philip G. Reinhard today sentenced **PAUL P. PATRICK**, 67 (DOB: 01/04/39), 3220 East Bend Drive, Algonquin, Illinois, to 13 months in federal prison for possessing child pornography transported and shipped across state lines via computer. In addition, Patrick has been sentenced to three years of supervised release following his release from prison, and ordered to pay a fine of \$6,000.00.

Patrick pled guilty to the charge on April 24, 2006. In pleading guilty, Patrick admitted that on September 19, 2002, he knowingly possessed child pornography that had traveled in interstate commerce, including at least 10 images of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct. Patrick admitted that he used a computer located at his residence to download the images he accessed on various dates through his account with an internet service provider.

The case was investigated by the Rockford office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. The case was prosecuted in federal court by Assistant United States Attorney Michael D. Love.

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