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**SHASTA COUNTY JURY CONVICTS MAN OF CONTINUOUS SEXUAL
MOLESTATION OF A CHILD**

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Redding -- Today, a Shasta County jury found Michael Alan Rumrill, 56, guilty of 11 counts of oral copulation of a child under the age of 10 years old, 10 counts of lewd or lascivious acts of a child under the age of 14 years old and 5 counts of providing lewd material to a minor. The jury also found true the special allegation that the defendant had substantial sexual contact with the child.

Evidence presented at trial showed that the molestation began shortly after the child's sixth birthday and continued until the victim was eight years old. Over that two year period of time, Rumrill sexually violated the child in multiple ways. Rumrill faces a potential sentence of life with the possibility of parole after serving a minimum of 165 years.

The case was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Sarah Van Slyke and investigated by Detective Lisa Orner of the Shasta County Sheriff's Office.