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SANDFORD MAN GETS 10 YEARS FOR ENTICING A MINOR

Orlando, FL - U.S. District Judge John Antoon, II today sentenced Fredrick Daniel Cwik to 10 years' imprisonment for attempting to entice a minor to engage in sexual activity. Cwik will also serve a life term of supervised release. Upon his release from prison, Cwik must also register as a sex offender pursuant to Title I of the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006.

According to court documents, Cwik contacted "sararox4277," on the internet in April 2006. Unbeknownst to Cwik, "sararox4277" was a law enforcement officer acting in an undercover capacity as a 14 year-old girl. After establishing a friendship with "sararox4277." Cwik solicited her for sex. On November 19, 2007, Cwik arranged to meet "sararox4277" at Lake Jessup Park in Sanford. The next day, November 20, 2007, Seminole County investigators followed Cwik from his home to an area just outside of Lake Jessup Park where he was arrested. Investigators found 35 images of child pornography and four movies containing child pornography on Cwik's laptop computer. Cwik pled guilty to attempted enticement of a minor to engage in sexual activity on June 10, 2008.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the State of Florida Office of the Attorney General, Child Predator Cybercrime Unit. The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Karen L. Gable and Assistant Attorney General Catherine Marlowe.