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TEMPE MAN SENTENCED TO OVER 5 YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON ON CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGE

PHOENIX – Scott Lavern Nelson, 20, of Tempe, Ariz., was sentenced here on May 5, 2008, to 63 months in federal prison by U.S. District Judge James A. Teilborg. He was also placed on lifetime supervision and ordered to register as a sex offender. Nelson pleaded guilty on February 19, 2008 to Possession of Child Pornography.

On or about February 7, 2007, Nelson was at his residence in Tempe where he had on his computer approximately 274 images and videos of child pornography that had traveled across the Internet. Among the child pornography videos and images that he possessed were those of adult men engaging in various sex acts with very young girls.

The investigation in this case was conducted by the FBI. The prosecution was handled by Vincent Q. Kirby, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, Phoenix.

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