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Judge Denies Early Release for Richard Rudman

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, April 01, 2015) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Judge Lynne Callahan has denied the judicial release for Richard Rudman.

Rudman, 43, a former teacher at Akron's St. Mary's elementary school, is currently serving a four year and 11 month sentence at the Belmont Correctional Institution.

Rudman plead guilty on December 31, 2013 to pandering sexual matter involving a minor, a felony of the second degree and illegal use of a minor in nudity oriented material, a felony of the fifth degree. Rudman was sentenced on March 5, 2014.