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Akron Man Pleads Guilty to Rape

Lorenzo Finsley Sentenced to 6 Years in Prison

AKRON, Ohio (Tuesday, November 01, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Lorenzo Finsley, 30, of Flora Avenue in Akron, pled guilty to raping a woman on June 7, 2016.

Finsley pled guilty to the following charges:

- Rape – a felony of the 1st degree
- Abduction – a felony of the 3rd degree

Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Thomas Teodosio immediately sentenced Finsley to four years in prison on the rape charge and two years in prison on the abduction charge for a total of six years in prison.

On June 7, 2016, Finsley attended a birthday party for a 26-year-old woman. After the party, the victim fell asleep on a living room couch with her two young children nearby. A short time later, the victim awoke to Finsley sexually assaulting her. Following a short struggle, Finsley chased the victim to her bedroom where he raped her.