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**PRESS RELEASE**

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**VISALIA MAN SENTENCED TO 232 YEARS IN PRISON FOR CHILD MOLESTATION**

Today in Department 5 of the Tulare County Superior Court, Visalia Division, Judge Joseph Kalashian sentenced Larry Sul, age 64, of Visalia, to 232 years to life in prison for child molestation.

On May 9, 2017, a Tulare County jury convicted Sul of two counts of forcible lewd act upon a child under the age of 14, and four counts of lewd act upon a child under the age of 14. Each count is a felony. Sul admitted to having two prior strike convictions for assault with a deadly weapon and robbery, as well as four prior prison terms.

The crimes occurred between 2013 and 2015 in Tulare County against a single minor victim.

The case was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Laura Jackson of the Crimes against Children Division and investigated by Katherine Porter of the District Attorney's Bureau of Investigations.

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