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### **MAN ACCUSED OF PIMPING TEENAGER SENTENCED TO PRISON**

A 36-year-old man convicted of pimping and pandering a teenager has now been found guilty of being an habitual criminal and was sentenced yesterday to a lengthy prison term.

**Thomas White** (dob: 09-28-78) was found guilty earlier this year of *pimping of a child* (F3), *pandering of a child* (F3), *procurement of a child* (F3), *keeping a place of child prostitution* (F3) and *contributing to the delinquency of a minor* (F4).

He appeared in Denver District Court yesterday, where Judge Ann Frick found him guilty of being an habitual criminal and sentenced him to 48 years in prison. She called his crimes “horrific” and noted the 48-year prison term will prevent him from preying on anyone else.

White brought the 17-year-old victim to Colorado in 2012 and made her perform acts of prostitution. The charges were the result of an investigation by the FBI Denver Rocky Mountain Safe Streets Task Force. Further investigation by the Denver District Attorney’s Office located two additional victims who testified at White’s two-week-long trial last fall.

The case was prosecuted by Denver Chief Deputy DA Dawn Weber and Chief Deputy DA Matt Wenig.