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**MAN SENTENCED FOR SEXUAL ASSAULTS/DRUGS POSSESSION CONVICTIONS**

A man convicted in February of several counts of sexual assault and drugs possession was sentenced Friday afternoon in Denver District Court.

**Jeffrey Rodocker** (dob: 02-08-1972) was sentenced to 60 years-to-life in the Department of Corrections.

He was convicted on all counts presented to the jury after a six-day trial: two counts of *sexual assault, use of a deadly weapon* (F2), two counts of *sexual assault, threat of harm/physical force* (F3), one count of *second degree kidnapping* (F2), one count of *menacing* (F5), one count of *assault in the third degree* (M1), one count of *possession with intent to manufacture or distribute marijuana or marijuana concentrate (grow)* (DF2), two counts of *possession of a controlled substance (psilocyn and methadone)* (DF4).

Rodocker was a drug dealer who kept two young females under his control by providing them narcotics. He was arrested in December 2015 after one female victim escaped from the defendant's house on W. Kenyon Avenue in Denver in the early morning hours of December 19, 2015, and banged on neighbors' doors for help. Rodocker sexually assaulted the victim twice between December 17 and 19, 2015. Rodocker sexually assaulted the other female victim in October 2014.

The case was prosecuted by Chief Deputy District Attorney Adrienne Greene and Chief Deputy District Attorney Dawn Weber.