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### **WEST CHICAGO MAN GETS 7 YEARS FOR PREDATORY SEXUAL ASSAULT OF YOUNG CHILD**

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Kane County Associate Judge David P. Kliment on Aug. 12, 2020, sentenced 65-year-old **Fernando Silva** to 7 years' imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

Silva on Nov. 22, 2019, pleaded guilty to the offense of predatory criminal sexual assault, Class X felony.

Kane County Assistant State's Attorney Matthew Rodgers stated in court that in 2018 Silva had sexual contact with the victim, who was younger than 13 years old. Silva knew the victim.

In addition to the prison term, Silva must register for life as a sexual offender in accordance with the Illinois Sexual Offender Registration Act.

In accordance with Illinois law, Silva must serve at least 85 percent of the sentence. Silva receives credit for 780 days served in the Kane County jail.

**Fernando Silva:** Age 65 (d.o.b. 5-30-1955), of the 100 block of Blair Street, West Chicago, Illinois. Case No. 18CF1295.