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**ELGIN MAN SENTENCED TO 9 YEARS FOR CHILD
PORNOGRAPHY**

*RE: **Daniel P. Janavich**: Age 56 (d.o.b. 5-17-1969), of the 12N200 block of Tina Trail in Elgin, Illinois. Case No. 2023CF2410.*

St. Charles, Ill. - Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser announces that **Daniel P. Janavich** has agreed to a sentence of 9 years of imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections in exchange for a guilty plea to the offense of dissemination of child pornography where the child depicted is under the age of 13, Class X felony.

Judge Julia Yetter accepted the plea.

Assistant State's Attorney Ken Hudson stated the following facts in court:

On October 25, 2023, the defendant used a cell phone to send another person a video that depicted a female child, who the defendant knew was under the age of 13, engaged in an act of sexual conduct.

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

Janavich was identified and investigated by the Kane County Child Exploitation Unit, an initiative created by State's Attorney Mosser and Sheriff Ron Hain to investigate tips of individuals possessing or disseminating child pornography.

In accordance with Illinois law, Janavich is eligible for day-for-day sentencing. Janavich receives credit for 193 days served in the Kane County jail.

ASA Ken Hudson said: “Child pornography is not a victimless crime. Children depicted in sexually compromising images and videos are victimized every time someone views them, even decades later. My thanks to the Kane County Child Exploitation Unit, the Kane County Sheriff’s Office, the Elgin Police Department, the Illinois Attorney General’s Office, the High-Tech Crimes Bureau, and the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force.”

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