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Elk Point, S.D. State's Attorney Jerry A. Miller announced today that Nathan Adams, a 36 year old Elk Point, SD resident was before the court on October 21, 2013 for the purpose of sentencing for the charge of possession of child pornography, a class 4 felony. Adams was found guilty following a jury trial in September 2013. This case was prosecuted by Katie Mallery, Deputy Attorney General. Adams was represented by Katie Johnson.

On October 21, 2013 the Court sentenced Nathan Adams to a 10 year suspended sentence to the South Dakota State Penitentiary with 10 years of supervised probation. Adams was further ordered to serve 180 days in the Union County Jail. The court granted Adams work release if his work situation conforms with the Sheriff's work release program. The State recommend a penitentiary sentence for Mr. Adams to the Court. This is Adams' first career felony. Adams' was ordered to pay all his court costs, and court-appointed attorney fees. Adams' was further ordered to pay \$3,320 for the court ordered psychosexual evaluation that is required of anyone who pleads guilty or is found guilty of a sex crime. Adams' was also ordered to pay \$4997.01 for the amount of money that was spent on providing the Defendant with a Defense Computer forensic expert.