

Former deputy sentenced on child-porn charges

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A former Franklin County deputy was sentenced today to four years in prison for possessing child pornography.

Justin D. Iddings, 31, pleaded guilty in January to two counts of pandering sexually oriented material involving a minor.

Franklin County Common Pleas Judge David E. Cain imposed the sentence after Assistant Prosecutor Jennifer Rausch argued for prison and defense attorney Brian Joslyn said his client should be placed on probation.

Iddings, who worked as a corrections officer at the county jail, also must register as a sex offender every six months for the next 25 years. He had been free on bond, but the judge revoked bond and had him taken into custody after sentencing.

A detective for the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, using file-sharing programs to track those downloading child pornography, linked such activity to a computer at Iddings' home on Allview Road in Westerville. Investigators searched his house in March and found child pornography on the computer.

Iddings admitted that he used file-sharing programs to access photos and videos of minors involved in sexual activity.

The sheriff's office fired Iddings on April 5.

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