

Former trooper sentenced to 12 years in child molestation case newsminer.com

2014 Cop pedophile Warren Tanner

FAIRBANKS — The 77-year-old former head of the Fairbanks detachment of the Alaska State Troopers was sentenced Tuesday to 12 years in prison for child molestation.

Warren Tanner pleaded guilty to two counts of felony second-degree sexual abuse of a minor younger than 13.

Tanner was sentenced to 15 years with nine years suspended for each count and will serve a composite 12 year sentence.

When released, Tanner will be on probation for 15 years and is not allowed to possess or use marijuana, according to court documents.

Tanner also must register as a sex offender for life and have no contact with the victim or with any person younger than 16.

Tanner was arrested in February 2014 for inappropriately touching the victim. The abuse started when the girl was about three or four years old and continued for approximately nine years. The abuse was discovered when the girl was 14, according to court documents.

Tanner was commander of the Fairbanks trooper detachment from 1997 until his retirement in 1999. He previously served as the provost marshal at Fort Wainwright.

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