N.J. police officer admits sexually assaulting 2 minors, agrees to 30 years in prison

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William Sanchez-Monllor

A Trenton police detective accused of <u>sexually assaulting two minors</u> admitted to the crimes Monday as part of a plea agreement with prosecutors.

William Sanchez-Monllor, 38, pleaded guilty to two counts of aggravated sexual assault, a first-degree offense, Burlington County Prosecutor Scott Coffina announced in a news statement. He'd <u>been indicted</u> on 48 crimes earlier this year.

The plea agreement with prosecutors will require Sanchez-Monllor to serve the entirety of a 30-year sentence in state prison.

Sanchez-Monllor, of Burlington Township, worked for the Trenton

department since 2010. He was charged in 2018 with committing multiple assaults on minors in Burlington County that began as early as 2014. Following his arrest, he was suspended without pay from the department pending the outcome of his case.

Further details of the assaults were sealed by a Superior Court judge, the prosecutor's office said.

Judge Terrence Cook will sentence Sanchez-Monllor Feb. 28, 2020 in Mount Holly.

Assistant Prosecutor Stephen Eife, supervisor of the Major Crimes Unit, Special Victims Section, handled the case. Coffina also credited investigators from his office and the Burlington Township police for their work on the prosecution.

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