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Clayton County District Attorney Tasha M. Mosley announces the conviction of Timothy Lyons. A Clayton County jury returned a guilty verdict on count 3 of Rape and count 5 of Child Molestation.

During the trial, the State presented evidence that during the summer of 2016. The defendant, Timothy Lyons touched a minor inappropriately. The defendant entered the 14 year old victim's bedroom and proceeded to molest and rape her.

Deputy Chief Assistant District Attorney Corey Mitchell and Assistant District Attorney Cecina Crabtree led the State's case. Investigator Dwayne Harrison and Victim Advocate Nerissa Sims played vital roles in the prosecution of the case. The trial began on Monday, February 19, 2024 and concluded Thursday, February 23, 2024.

Clayton County Superior Court Judge Aaron Mason presided over the trial. The Defendant was sentenced to serve 30 years in prison, he must register as a sex offender with the State of Georgia, and he will serve the remainder of his life on probation.

District Attorney Mosley stated, "We will always fight to protect our children and another predator is off our streets. As always, I commend my office on their tireless work to secure justice on behalf of all Clayton County citizens."

