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RE: WOMAN FOUND GUILTY OF FORCING MINORS TO HAVE SEX

A 21-year-old woman was found guilty of two counts of compelled rape and sexual assault by the East London Regional Court.

The crimes took place between 2016 and 2018. The woman, who was 16 years old in 2016, lived in Duncan Village, East London with her mother and her cousin-sister who was a nine-year-old at the time.

In one incident, she made her cousin-sister and their two neighbours, a boy and girl who were both 11 years old at the time, watch pornography. Furthermore, she forced the boy to have sex with the girls on two different occasions. Lastly, she forced the 11-year-old girl to perform sexual acts on her.

The case was postponed to 16 August 2021 for sentencing proceedings.

Phillip Phoofolo prosecuted this case.

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