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## **Rapist sentenced to 35 years in prison**

A 27 year old Central Islip man was sentenced to 35 years in prison for the rape and sodomy of a woman in 2012, Suffolk County District Attorney Thomas Spota said.

Felix Troche Jr., of 60 Gibbs Road, was tried and found guilty February 4 after a fifteen day trial before Judge Barbara Kahn in Riverhead. Troche Jr., 27, was convicted of rape in the first degree, criminal sexual act in the first degree, assault in the second and third degree and other charges.

The defendant met the woman at a party in a Mt. Sinai house on June 1, 2012 and held her against her will, repeatedly assaulting the victim for over four hours.



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