STATE OF MAINE

V.

THOMAS J. HARMON

Submitted on Briefs September 28, 2015 Decided October 6, 2015

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and ALEXANDER, MEAD, GORMAN, JABAR, and HUMPHREY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Thomas J. Harmon appeals from a judgment of conviction for gross sexual assault (Class A), 17-A M.R.S. § 253(1)(B) (2014), entered by the Unified Criminal Docket (Cumberland County, *Wheeler*, *J*.) after a nonjury trial. Contrary to Harmon's contentions that the victim's testimony was not credible and not sufficient to support the verdict, when the record is evaluated in accordance with our standard of review, *see State v. Reed*, 2013 ME 5, ¶ 9, 58 A.3d 1130, there was sufficient evidence for the fact-finder to find Harmon guilty beyond a reasonable doubt of each element of the offense. *See* 17-A M.R.S. § 253(1)(B); *State v. Medeiros*, 2010 ME 47, ¶ 16, 997 A.2d 95 ("[T]he fact-finder is permitted to draw all reasonable inferences from the evidence, and decide the weight to be given to the evidence and the credibility to be afforded to the witnesses."); *State v. Spooner*, 666 A.2d 863, 865 (Me. 1995) ("Inconsistencies in a witness's testimony do not inherently make evidence unreliable or insufficient to support a guilty verdict.").

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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