

STATE OF MAINE

v.

SHAWN O'NEIL

Submitted on Briefs December 20, 2006  
Decided January 9, 2007

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and CLIFFORD, DANA, ALEXANDER, CALKINS,  
and LEVY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Shawn O'Neil appeals from a judgment of conviction for gross sexual assault (Class A), 17-A M.R.S.A. § 253(1)(B) (Supp. 2003),<sup>1</sup> and unlawful sexual contact (Class C), 17-A M.R.S. § 255-A(1)(E) (2005), entered in the Superior Court (Somerset County, *Mills, J.*) upon a jury verdict finding him guilty. Contrary to his contentions, viewing the evidence in the light most favorable to the State, the jury rationally could have found beyond a reasonable doubt every

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<sup>1</sup> After the commission of the crime, an amendment took effect that altered the syntax of paragraph (B) to accommodate a new paragraph (C) governing gross sexual assault of children under the age of twelve. P.L. 2003, ch. 711, § B-2 (effective July 30, 2004) (codified at 17-A M.R.S. § 253(1)(B), (C) (2005)).

element of each crime charged. *See State v. Pierce*, 2006 ME 75, ¶ 16, 899 A.2d 801, 804.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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