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**PRESS RELEASE**  
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**January 7, 2015**

**Greenville Man Sentenced on Burglary First Degree**

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that FURMAN EUGENE TAYLOR JR, age 47, was convicted on January 7, 2015 by a Greenville County jury of Burglary (After June 20, 1985) - First Degree and Petit Larceny, and sentenced to Life without Parole in the South Carolina Department of Corrections by the Honorable D. Garrison Hill.

Evidence presented at the trial by Assistant Solicitor Mathew Wallace established that on May 19, 2012, FURMAN EUGENE TAYLOR JR and a co-defendant broke into the residence of Ms. Renna Taylor on Old White Horse Rd., and stole over 1,000.00 of the victim's personal property. Furman Taylor was implicated when his co-defendant was arrested for pawning some of the merchandise at a local pawn shop, just hours after the Burglary. The lead Investigator on this case was Brady Mashak of the Greenville County Sheriff's Office.