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Pennsylvania woman found guilty of delivering drugs that caused a death



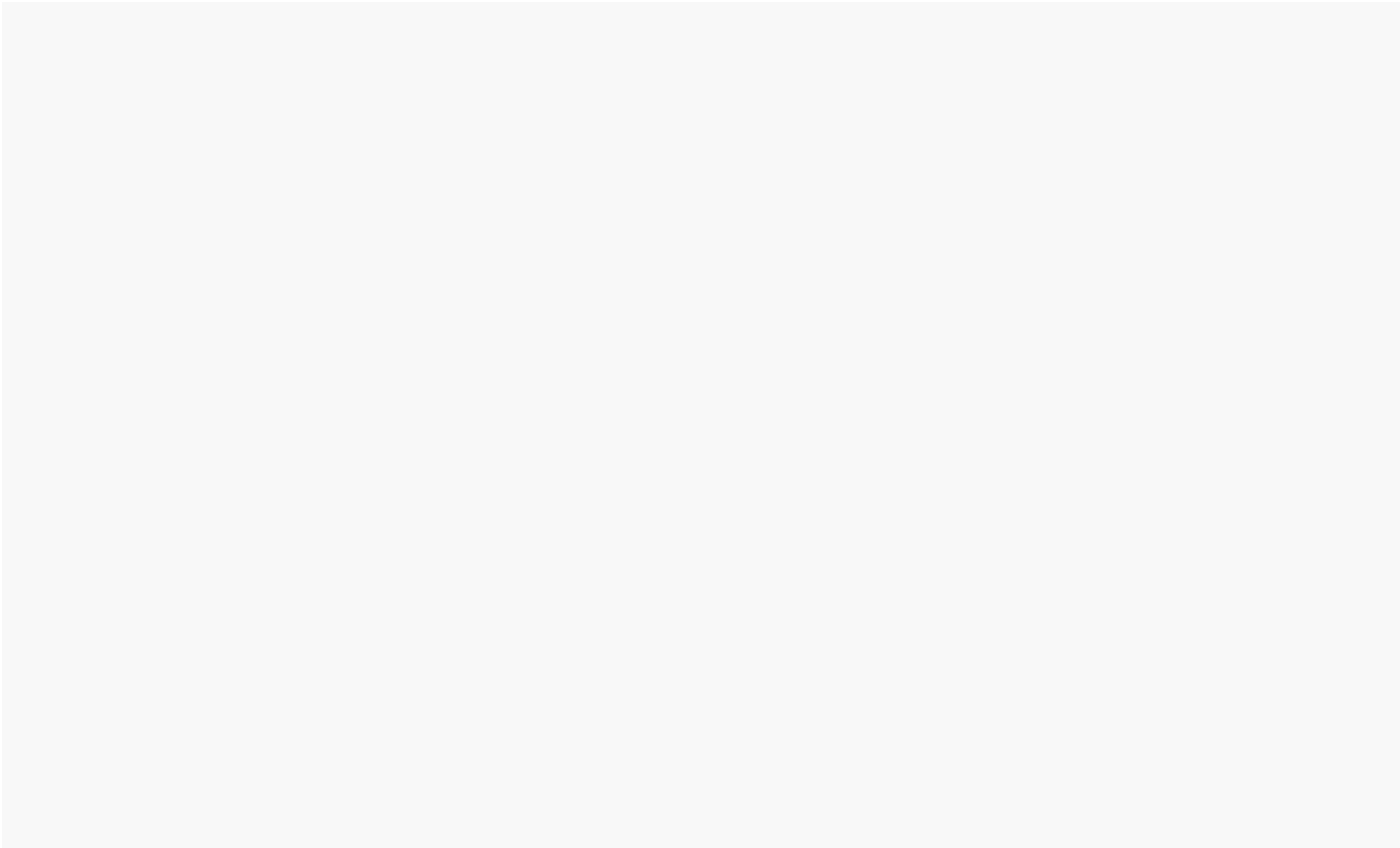
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MILFORD - A Pike County woman was found guilty of three charges in a drug delivery resulting in death trial that ended Wednesday.

A jury found Lisa Schmidt, 50, of Bushkill, Pa. guilty of delivery of a controlled substance resulting in death, criminal conspiracy of delivery of a controlled substance resulting in death, and delivery of a controlled substance, all felonies, according to a news release from the Pike County District Attorney's office.



"The jury carefully listened to all of the evidence and rendered the proper verdict," said District Attorney Raymond J. Tonkin. He also said court officials did "an outstanding job" ensuring a safe, socially distanced environment in which to conduct the trial.

Schmidt faces a maximum sentence of up to 40 years in prison when she is sentenced Jan. 7.

After the overdose death of Jennifer Bosch in Westfall Township in Nov. 2017, a joint investigation by Eastern Pike Regional Police, Pennsylvania State Police and the district attorney's office led to the arrest of Schmidt and two other people: Katie Woolsey and Gianna Rose.

Woolsey and Rose previously entered guilty pleas and were sentenced to state prison terms.

Tonkin said his office will continue to aggressively pursue cases in which people unlawfully provide drugs that cause the death of a person.

