

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
**COURT OF APPEALS**

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PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

TATIANA BEATRICE HUGHES,

Defendant-Appellant.

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June 25, 1996

No. 184567

LC No. 94-002382-FH

Before: Marilyn Kelly, P.J., and Neff and J. Stempien,\* JJ.

PER CURIAM.

Following a jury trial, defendant was convicted of assault and battery, MCL 750.81; MSA 28.276. She was sentenced to ninety days either in jail or house arrest for this conviction. Defendant appeals as of right. We affirm.

Defendant first argues that her conviction was against the great weight of the evidence. However, this issue was not preserved, because defendant failed to move for a new trial. *People v Bradshaw*, 165 Mich App 562, 565; 419 NW2d 33 (1988). Therefore, we will not address this claim.

Next, defendant argues that insufficient evidence existed to support her conviction. We disagree. Viewing the evidence in the light most favorable to the prosecutor, we conclude that the factfinder could have found the essential elements of the crime proven beyond a reasonable doubt. *People v Wolfe*, 440 Mich 508, 515; 489 NW2d 748, amended 441 Mich 1201 (1991). In addition to the testimony of the victim and her mother that defendant pushed the victim, we find defendant's confession to hitting the victim with a plastic bottle to be sufficient evidence to support her conviction.

Affirmed.

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\* Circuit judge, sitting on the Court of Appeals by assignment.

/s/ Marilyn Kelly  
/s/ Janet T. Neff  
/s/ Jeanne Stempien