

Atlanta Criminal Defense Attorneys Discuss Sexual Assault Charges Against Taxi Driver

Recent sexual abuse and assault charges against 55-year-old Pesure Alshahapy of Tucker, Georgia, could cost the man his livelihood and land him in jail, according to [Atlanta criminal defense attorneys](#). Alshahapy, an Atlanta taxi driver working for Rapid Taxi, has been charged with sexually assaulting one of his passengers, a 16-year-old girl. Alshahapy has been jailed without bond since June 14th.

Alshahapy reportedly offered the teenager a free ride after he spotted her walking alongside Roswell Road in Buckhead, Georgia. After dropping off two other passengers, he began to drive up Ga. 400 to the girl's destination in Alpharetta. According to the police report, on the drive, Alshahapy allegedly rubbed the girl's thigh and made inappropriate sexual advances towards her, and she briefly performed a sex act on him. The girl told police that she was able to refuse his other advances, and Alshahapy dropped the girl off in Alpharetta. He was arrested a few days later and booked for the incident.

Alshahapy told police that he routinely picks up college students from Emory on his routes, and police are investigating the possibility of other incidents of sexual assault that have not been reported.

Alshahapy is set to appear in court at the end of the month, according to [Atlanta criminal defense attorneys](#). His charges will be evaluated in court and he will be sentenced. Although his employer, Rapid Taxi, declined to comment on the situation, it is doubtful Alshahapy will be able to return to his previous line of work.

If you have been accused of sexual misconduct, assault, or abuse, the Atlanta criminal defense attorneys at the [Margolis Legal Group](#) can offer you legal counsel and expert defense. Contact an Atlanta criminal defense lawyer at [Margolis Legal Group](#) today for a free, no-strings-attached consultation.