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3 Years in State Prison for Role in Colonie Burglary



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that DALE SPENCER, 26, was sentenced to 3 years in State Prison before the Honorable Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

SPENCER previously pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Burglary in the Second Degree, a Class D Felony.

On January 5, 2013, SPENCER, along with co-defendants NIKOLAS MARTINO, 26 and MATTHEW WANG, 27, did unlawfully enter a residence on Campus View Drive in the Town of Colonie. While inside, the defendant's stole several safes, jewelry, cash and other items.

On December 13, 2013, MATTHEW WANG was sentenced to 6 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision and ordered to pay \$30,000 in restitution to the victims. WANG previously pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Burglary in the Second Degree, a Class D Felony.

NIKOLAS MARTINO was sentenced to 5 years of Felony Probation after pleading guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the Fourth Degree, a Class E Felony.

Assistant District Attorney Matthew Hauf of the Major Offense Unit handled the prosecution of these cases.

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