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Operation Speeding Bullet: Illegal Handgun Leads to 6 ½ Years in State Prison



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that KADEEM FOX, 20, Albany, was sentenced to 6 ½ years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Thomas A. Breslin in the Supreme Court of Albany County this morning.

On July 19, 2013, FOX pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree, a Class D Felony. This guilty plea is in full satisfaction of additional unindicted narcotics sales attributed to this defendant.

On February 4, 2013 on Third Street in the City of Albany, members of the Albany Police Department executed a search warrant on at the defendant's residence. During the search, officers located a Jennings Model 32 caliber .38 handgun loaded with 3 live rounds of ammunition in FOX's possession.

Officers also found a small quantity of crack cocaine as well as digital scales and baggies inside the residence.

"I hope this case serves as a clear example to those in Albany County who believe possessing a loaded, illegal firearm is a smart idea. Mr. Fox will have several years in a New York State prison cell to ponder the choices he made. I want to thank the Albany Police Department and ADA Haas for their work in removing a dangerous weapon from our streets," commented District Attorney Soares.

Assistant District Attorney Kurt Haas of the Street Crimes Bureau handled the prosecution of this case.

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