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Guilty Plea in Fatal Albany Shooting Case



ALBANY, NY – District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that TRAYRON PALMER, 21, of Vergennes, VT, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Manslaughter in the First Degree, a Class B Violent Felony, before the Honorable Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

On June 12, 2018, PALMER and another alleged individual intentionally shot at a group of people located on the front porch of a home on Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany. During the incident 20 year old Equan Fallen was shot in the chest and later died as a result of his injuries.

PALMER remains in custody at the Albany County Correctional Facility and faces 23 years in State Prison, to be followed by up to 5 years of Post-Release Supervision, when sentenced on April 26, 2019.

Deputy Chief Assistant Cheryl K. Fowler and Assistant District Attorney Collin D'Arcy are handling the prosecution of this case.

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