



OFFICE OF THE **DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

P. DAVID SOARES

6 LODGE STREET

ALBANY, NEW YORK 12207

(518) 487-5460

(518) 487-5093 FAX

CONTACT: CECILIA WALSH (518) 275-4710

CECILIA.WALSH@ALBANYCOUNTYNY.GOV

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: OCTOBER 7, 2016

Sentencing for Repeat Drunk Driver in Colonie



ALBANY, NY - District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that ALBERT CAPPADOZY, 71, of Schenectady, was sentenced to 1-3 years in State Prison, as well as having a mandatory Ignition Interlock Device for 3 years, license revocation for 1 year subject to DMV determination, and required completion of the Victim Impact Panel and Drinking Driver Program, before the Honorable Peter A Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

On August 12, 2016 CAPPADOZY pleaded guilty to (2) Counts of Driving While Intoxicated, both Class E Felonies.

On April 19, 2016, at approximately 5:38 PM in the Town of Colonie, CAPPADOZY was stopped by New York State Police for driving with an expired inspection sticker and using his cell phone. At the time of the stop, CAPPADOZY was observed as having physical signs of intoxication, and admitted to drinking in Troy before getting behind the wheel. CAPPADOZY failed multiple Field Sobriety Tests, and had a BAC of .15 approximately 1 hour after the stop.

CAPPADOZY has 6 previous DWI convictions.

Assistant District Attorney Mary Tanner-Richter of the Vehicular Crimes Unit prosecuted this case.

For more information please contact Cecilia Walsh (518) 275-4710 or cecilia.walsh@albanycountyny.gov.

###