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Sentencing for Repeat Heroin Dealer



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that **ARNOLD BRYANT**, 48, of Schenectady, was sentenced to 5 ½ years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years Post

Release Supervision, before the Honorable Thomas A. Breslin in Albany County Court this morning.

On March 31, 2015, BRYANT pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree, a Class B Felony.

On June 5, 2014, at approximately 6:13 p.m., in the area of 480 Second Street in the City of Albany, BRYANT did knowingly and unlawfully sell heroin to another person for a sum of United States currency. The crime was repeated in the same area on June 25, 2015, at approximately 7:05, and on July 30, 2014 at approximately 6:58 p.m.

This is not BRYANT's first offense. In 2012, BRYANT was convicted of (1) Count of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree, a Class B Felony, and sentenced to 5 Years of Probation and was subjected to license suspension for 6 months.

Assistant District Attorney Joseph Brucato of the Street Crimes Unit prosecuted this case.

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