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Sentencing in Albany Knife Assault



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that ALFREDO WRIGHT, 39, of Albany, was sentenced to 10 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Judge Stephen W. Herrick in Albany County Court this morning.

On July 20, 2016, WRIGHT pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Assault in the 1st Degree, a Class B Violent Felony.

On April 8, 2016, at approximately 7:00 A.M., in the area of Lexington Avenue and Elk Street in the City of Albany, WRIGHT, assisted by an alleged Co-Defendant, stabbed a serrated hunting knife into the torso of a male that was known to him during a physical altercation. The serrated blade of the knife caused organ damage to the victim and had to be surgically removed.

The case against Co-Defendant JARREL HOWARD, 36, of Watervliet, is still pending

Assistant District Attorney Dennis DiBari of the Major Crimes Unit prosecuted this case.

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All parties are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty

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