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## Anthony Collins Sentenced to 12 Years in State Prison for Attempted Abduction of SUNY Student



**ALBANY, NY-** District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that ANTHONY COLLINS, 54, of Albany, was sentenced to 12 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Roger McDonough in the Supreme Court of Albany County this morning.

On January 27, 2014, COLLINS pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Kidnapping in the Second Degree, a Class C Felony.

On October 4, 2013 in the area of Western Avenue and O'Leary Boulevard in the City of Albany, the defendant attempted to abduct a victim by directing her to walk in the direction of his residence while holding a knife to her back. The victim was not physically harmed.

This case was prosecuted by Chief Assistant District Attorney David Rossi.

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