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Guilty Plea for Assault Against an Infant



ALBANY, NY - District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that **KELLY FINLEY**, 36, of Albany, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Assault in the Second Degree, a Class D Violent Felony, before Honorable Judge Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court Friday afternoon.

On December 19, 2014, in the area of 1941 Central Avenue, a Best Value Inn, in the Town of Colonie, **FINLEY** caused physical injury to a child who, at the time of the incident, was almost 13 months old. **FINLEY** did so by placing a cleaning agent on a cloth and rubbing the child's eyes.

FINLEY faces up to 5 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post-Release

Supervision, when sentenced on July 10, 2015.

Assistant District Attorney Jennifer McCanney of the Special Victims Unit is prosecuting this case.

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