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## Guilty Plea in Drug Sale



**ALBANY, NY** – District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that ARKEES GRIER, 31, of Albany, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree before the Honorable Stephen Herrick this morning in Albany County Court.

On July 19, 2012 GRIER was observed by law enforcement selling a quantity of cocaine. A search warrant was executed at GRIER's address that uncovered (85) baggies that contained a total of 19.3 grams of crack cocaine.

GRIER faces (4) years in State Prison followed by (3) years of Post Release Supervision when he is sentenced on October 24, 2012.

Assistant District Attorney Kurt Haas of the Street Crimes Unit handled the prosecution of this case.

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