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Sentencing after DWI Conviction



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that IVAN MUGERWA, 32, of Albany, was sentenced to 3 years of Probation, mandatory Ignition Interlock Device for the duration of his Probation, 6 months minimum license revocation which is subject to the

Department of Motor Vehicles, attendance at a Victim Impact Panel and is subject to a \$1500 fine in Cohoes City Court before the Honorable Judge Richard R. Maguire.

On June 8, 2015, MUGERWA was found guilty of (1) Count of Driving While Intoxicated Per Se and (1) Count of Driving While Intoxicated, both unclassified misdemeanors, after a jury trial.

On November 2, 2013, at approximately 3:06 a.m., on Ontario Street in the City of Cohoes, MUGERWA was stopped by Cohoes Police Department for failure to keep right. He was observed with slurred speech and admitted to drinking a large glass of wine. MUGERWA also failed standard field sobriety tests. He was later found to have a Blood Alcohol Content of .18.

Assistant District Attorney David Szalda prosecuted this case.

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