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## 4 Years in State Prison for Cocaine Possession



**ALBANY, NY-** District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that **DONNELL WASHINGTON**, 39, was sentenced to 4 years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years of Post Release Supervision before the Honorable Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

On October 30, 2013, WASHINGTON pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Fourth Degree, a Class C Felony.

On September 11, 2012 on Watervliet Avenue in the City of Albany, members of the Albany Police Department Community Response Unit observed the defendant selling cocaine. When officers arrested the defendant, he was in possession of 8 grams of cocaine.

Assistant District Attorney Jasper Mills of the Street Crimes Unit handled the prosecution of this case.

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