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Armed iPhone Robber Gets 6 Years in State Prison



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that AVERY STEWART, 19, of Albany, was sentenced to 6 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

On May 14, 2014, STEWART pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Robbery in the Second Degree, a Class C Violent Felony.

On February 10, 2014, at an apartment on Lark Street in the City of Albany, STEWART hit a victim in the head with a handgun while robbing him of an iPhone and US Currency. The injury required multiple staples to close the wound on the victim's head.

STEWART must also pay restitution to the victim to cover medical expenses.

This case was prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Brian Conley of the Major Offense Bureau.

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