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Defendant Pleads Guilty to Driving Drunk and Crashing into Fence



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that WESLEY PULSIFER, 30, of Altamont, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Aggravated Driving While Intoxicated, a Class D Felony, before the Honorable Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

On March 26, 2014, the defendant was operating a motor vehicle when he crashed into a fence on Craven Road in the Town of Knox. Witnesses who observed the crash saw the defendant attempt to back the vehicle out of a ditch near the fence twice before members of the New York State Police arrived at the scene.

The defendant failed multiple field sobriety tests and was taken into custody where he registered a BAC of .11%.

PULSIFER faces 1 ½ to 4 ½ years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years of Conditional Discharge following his release from custody when sentenced on June 23, 2014. Additionally, the defendant must also install an Ignition Interlock Device for 3 years, pay a \$2,000 fine and have his license revoked for a minimum of 1 year.

Assistant District Attorney David Szalda of the Vehicular Crimes Unit is handling the prosecution of this case.

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