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## Defendant Sentenced to 6 Years in State Prison for Shooting at Group of People



**ALBANY, NY**- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that TASHIRON GADDY, 22, of Albany, was sentenced to 6 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post Release Supervision before the Honorable Stephen Herrick in Albany County Court this morning.

On August 15, 2013, GADDY pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree, a Class D Felony.

On May 19, 2013 on South Pearl Street in the City of Albany, GADDY and several of his friends were involved in a fight with multiple individuals outside of a deli. As the fight escalated, GADDY pulled out a handgun from the waistband of another individual and fired a single shot towards the group he was fighting.

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

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