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## John Halacy Sentenced to 5 ½ Years in State Prison for Role in Colonie Burglary



**ALBANY, NY** - District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that JOHN HALACY, 24, of Rensselaer, was sentenced to 5 ½ years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Stephen Herrick in Albany County Court this morning.

On March 6, 2014, HALACY pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Burglary in the Second Degree, a Class D Violent Felony.

On November 28, 2013, the defendant unlawfully entered a residence on Haswell Road in the Town of Colonie and stole televisions, computers, video games and guitars while inside. The occupants of the residence were not home at the time of the incident.

Shortly after, HALACY was observed on a closed circuit video camera selling some of the items at a store in Colonie Center.

On March 11, 2014, co-defendant RAYMOND HALACY, 19, of Rensselaer, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Burglary in Third Degree, a Class E Felony, before the Honorable Stephen Herrick in Albany County Court. RAYMOND HALACY will be sentenced to 2 1/3 to 7 years in State Prison on April 8, 2014 and remains in the Albany County Correctional Facility without bail to await sentencing.

This case was prosecuted by Major Offense Bureau Chief Eric Galarneau.

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