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631 Bags of Heroin = State Prison



ALBANY, NY - District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that ORLANDO HUGHES, 34, of Albany, was sentenced to 8 years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years of Post-Release Supervision, before the Honorable Judge Stephen W. Herrick in Albany County Court this morning.

On September 29, 2014, HUGHES pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree, a Class B Felony.

An investigation led by the Albany Police Department uncovered that on February 20, 2013, at about 10:00am at an apartment at 22 Trinity Place in the City of Albany, HUGHES did possess over 631 baggies of heroin with the intent to sell them.

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

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