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Alleged Crossgates Mall Shooter Indicted



ALBANY, NY – District Attorney P. David Soares today announced that **TASHEEM MAEWEATHER**, 20, of Albany, was indicted by a Grand Jury for allegedly firing a loaded weapon at Crossgates Mall on November 12, 2016.

MAEWEATHER was indicted on (1) Count of Attempted Murder in the Second Degree, a Class B Violent Felony, (1) Count of Attempted Assault in the First Degree, a Class C Violent Felony, (1) Count of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree, a Class C Armed Violent Felony, (1) Count of Reckless Endangerment in the First Degree, a Class D Felony.

The indictment alleges that on November 12, 2016, MAEWEATHER allegedly possessed a loaded firearm and intended to cause the death of another individual while inside Crossgates Mall in the Town of Guilderland. The indictment also alleges that MAEWEATHER recklessly engaged in conduct with created a grave risk of death to another.

MAEWEATHER remains in custody at the Albany County Correctional Facility and is scheduled for arraignment on Monday December 5, 2016, before the Honorable Roger D. McDonough in Albany County Supreme Court.

Assistant District Attorney Steven Sharp and Assistant District Attorney Brittany Grome are prosecuting this case.

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***All charged individuals are presumed innocent
until proven guilty.***