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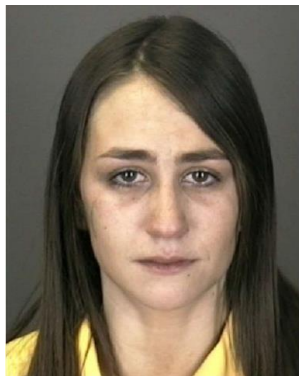
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## Sentencing for Colonie Robbers



**Jessica Nowiak**



**Brittany DeCarlo**

**ALBANY, NY** – District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that **JESSICA NOWIAK**, 26, of Rotterdam, and **BRITTANY DECARLO**, 25, of Colonie, were each sentenced to 4 years in State Prison, to be followed by 3 years of Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Roger D. McDonough in Albany County Supreme Court this morning.

On July 13, 2016, **DECARLO** and **NOWIAK** each previously pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Robbery in the Second Degree, a Class D Violent Felony.

On December 29, 2015, NOWIAK and DECARLO lured an individual into an apartment complex in the area of Johnson Road in the Town of Colonie with the intent of robbing that individual. Town of Colonie Police officers arrested NOWIAK and DECARLO following a police report filed by the victim of the robbery. Following their arrest, an investigation by the Colonie Police Department found that NOWIAK and DECARLO had similarly targeted several individuals at apartment complexes and hotels throughout Albany County.

Assistant District Attorney Joseph Brucato of the Street Crimes Unit prosecuted this case.

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