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Melvin Prince Sentenced to Seven Years in Prison

AKRON, OHIO December 23, 2014 – Summit County Prosecuting Attorney Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that visiting Judge Patricia Cosgrove sentenced Melvin Prince, 22, of Virginia Avenue in Akron, to seven years in Prison

On December 17, 2014, Prince was found guilty by a jury of Felonious Assault, a felony of the second degree.

On March 23, 2014, Melvin Prince and a second suspect shot the victim in the stomach at 1677 Wingfoot Way in Akron following a music video shoot. The victim was called outside the home. The victim went outside and both Prince and the second suspect were there waiting for him. The victim said after going outside he heard one of the men say, now...now...now, and was then shot in the stomach. The victim pepper sprayed the man that said “now, now, now,” and managed to run away from them, calling police on his phone. Both suspects also ran away in the opposite direction.