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Akron Teen Sentenced for Robbery and Escape

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, May 4, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Dominique Pete, 18, of Akron, was sentenced to 20 years in prison for a series of crimes as well as escaping from the Juvenile Detention Center.

On March 23, 2016, Pete pled guilty to the following charges:

- Two Counts of Aggravated Robbery with Gun Specifications felonies of the 1st degree
- Robbery a felony of the 2nd degree
- Burglary a felony of the 2nd degree
- Escape a felony of the 3rd degree

In two separate incidents in December of 2014, when Pete was 17, he lured men through an online website and robbed them at gunpoint. Additionally, in January of 2015, in separate incidents, Pete used a fake gun to rob a pizza delivery driver as well as burglarized an Akron area home. In August of 2015, while in custody in the Juvenile Detention Center, Pete escaped. He was captured three days later.