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Maximum Sentence for Northfield Man who Killed 4-Month Old Daughter

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, January 27, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Amy Corrigall-Jones sentenced Louis Delery, 24, of North Plaza Drive in Northfield Village, to 11 years in prison, the maximum allowed by law.

On December 10, 2015, Delery pled to the following charge:

• Involuntary Manslaughter – a felony of the first degree

Investigators say Delery was alone with his daughter, Addison in August of 2014 at his mother's Northfield Village home. Delery called 9-1-1 and said his daughter had stopped breathing. The Cuyahoga County Medical Examiner conducted an autopsy and discovered the 4-month-old had multiple rib fractures. The investigation found Addison died from a chest compression which caused her to not be able to breathe.

"Louis Delery squeezed the life out of his daughter, Addison. He gave nine different accounts of what happened in August of 2014, but has never taken responsibility for his actions," said Prosecutor Walsh. "Addison's mother, grandmother, and family have to deal with this horrible tragedy every day for the rest of their lives."