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Major Drug Offender Sentenced to Mandatory Prison

AKRON, Ohio (Thursday, August 29, 2024) – Summit County Prosecutor Elliot Kolkovich announced today Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Chrstine Croce sentenced Allen Thompson, 29, of Eber Avenue in Akron, to 11-to-16 ½ years in prison. Thompson must serve a mandatory minimum of 11 years in prison.

Prior to sentencing, a Summit County jury found Thompson guilty of the following charges:

- Aggravated Trafficking in Drugs – a Felony of the 1st Degree
- Aggravated Possession of Drugs – a Felony of the 1st Degree

Judge Croce also found Thompson guilty of a Major Drug Offender specification. Judge Croce fined Thompson \$10,000 and ordered him to forfeit \$9,476 as well as a gun found in his home.

“Our community is safer with people like Thompson in prison. He was peddling this poison and impacting the lives of so many people,” said Prosecutor Kolkovich. “Thank you to the Akron Police Department, members of the Northern Ohio Violent Fugitive Task Force, my assistant prosecutors, and jurors who held this criminal responsible.”

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In September of 2022, Akron Police and the Northern Ohio Violent Fugitive Task Force find Thompson at his Eber Avenue home with 731 grams of methamphetamine and \$9,476 in cash. At the time, Thompson was wanted on a federal warrant. Investigators also found a digital scale, a gun, and bullets in the home.