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Akron Man Sentenced to LIFE IN PRISON for 2023 Murder

AKRON, Ohio (Tuesday, November 19, 2024) – Summit County Prosecutor Elliot Kolkovich announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Joy Malek Oldfield sentenced Da'Quan Isaac, 27, of Lucy Street in Akron, to LIFE IN PRISON for the 2023 murder of Ahmed Alibrahim at an Akron store.

Isaac will be eligible for parole after serving 18 years of his sentence.

Prior to being sentenced, Isaac pled guilty to the following charges:

- Murder with a Gun Specification an Unclassified Felony
- Felonious Assault with a Gun Specification a Felony of the 2nd Degree

Because Isaac was found guilty of a violent crime, Judge Oldfield placed him on Ohio's Violent Crime Registry. If Issac is released from prison, he must register with the local sheriff every year for ten years.

On December 12, 2023, Isaac shot and killed the 22-year-old Alibrahim at the Borders Drive-Thru on South Arlington Street in Akron. Alibrahim worked as a clerk at the store.

"Ahmed Alibrahim was a kind and caring person, loved by his friends and family. My hope is today's plea and sentence bring them some peace following this senseless tragedy," said Prosecutor Kolkovich.