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MAN SENTANCED IN DENVER’S FIRST FELONY DUI CASE

Matthew Allen (dob: 08.08.76) was sentenced today on DUI (F4) to 5 years D.O.C. with 8 days PSCC plus 3 years parole. This was the first felony DUI trial in Denver.

On March 17, 2016 near Alameda Avenue and Lipan Street, Allen was pulled over after a Denver police officer saw him cut off an ambulance. Originally he was arrested for driving under the influence. He was later charged under the new felony DUI statute when it was determined he had three prior drinking and driving convictions dating back to 2004.

Chief Deputy DA Khoury Dillon prosecuted the case.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. See Colo. RPC 3.6