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**Steve Fulcott Sentenced to 5 ½ Years in NYS Prison**

Rochester, NY- Today, Judge Vincent Dinolfo sentenced 22 year old Steve Fulcott to five and a half years in state prison and two years of post release supervision, the maximum sentence allowed by law for his conviction after a jury trial relating to possession of approximately 75 pounds of marijuana which occurred on February 28, 2014. The jury convicted Fulcott of Criminal Possession of Marijuana in the First Degree and acquitted Fulcott of three counts of Murder in the First Degree, relating to the murder of 3 individuals in a home on Chili Avenue that occurred on February 22, 2014. A second co-defendant, Andre McFarlane, pled guilty of three counts of Murder in the Second Degree, and has not yet been sentenced. A third co-defendant has been found to be incompetent to stand trial at this time, but would be returned to the Court for trial should he be found competent.

The case was prosecuted by First Assistant District Attorney Kelly Wolford and Second Assistant District Attorney Timothy Prosperi.

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