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## **Greenville Man Sentenced on Trafficking In Methamphetamine**

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that Jaqwan Leeantay Martin, age 22, was convicted on August 23, 2018 of Trafficking Methamphetamine. Jaqwan Leeantay Martin was sentenced to 10 years incarceration in the South Carolina Department of Corrections by the Honorable Alex Kinlaw, Jr.

Evidence presented at the plea hearing by Assistant Solicitor Walker Miller established that on December 6, 2017, Jaqwan Leeantay Martin was observed by the Greenville County Sheriff's Office making a hand to hand transaction with another known drug trafficker. Law Enforcement performed a lawful traffic stop on a vehicle the defendant was driving and was the sole occupant of. After a lawful search it was found the Defendant was in possession of 110.68 grams of methamphetamine. The 13<sup>th</sup> Circuit Solicitor's Office has pending charges against the drug trafficker observed interacting with this Defendant.