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BELOIT MAN SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON

Madison, Wis. - Stephen P. Sinnott, Acting United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Jeovante Jones, 24, Beloit, Wis., was sentenced today by U.S. District Judge Barbara B. Crabb to five years in federal prison for possession of over 35 grams of crack cocaine with the intent to distribute.

On July 18, 2008, Beloit Police arrested Jones as he engaged in a drug transaction on Colony Court in Beloit. A search of a nearby residence where Jones stayed resulted in the seizure of approximately 35 grams of crack cocaine.

The charge against Jeovante Jones was the result of an investigation conducted by the Beloit Police Department Drug and Gang Unit. The prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Robert A. Anderson.

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