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SYRACUSE DRUG DEALER SENTENCED

SYRACUSE, NY – Richard S. Hartunian, United States Attorney for the Northern District of New York, announces that Genevieve Lugo, age 47, of Syracuse, was sentenced today in U.S. District Court in Utica to ten years imprisonment, followed by eight years of supervised release, for possessing with intent to distribute 56 grams of crack cocaine.

Lugo, who has multiple prior felony drug convictions, previously pled guilty on May 11, 2012, to knowingly and intentionally possessing with intent to distribute 28 grams or more of crack cocaine, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(b)(1)(B).

This prosecution resulted from a joint investigation undertaken by the Drug Enforcement Administration, Onondaga County Sheriff's Office, and the Onondaga County District Attorney's Office. The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Geoffrey Brown.