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AURORA MAN SENT TO PRISON FOR COCAINE POSSESSION

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An Aurora man has been sent to prison for possessing a large amount of cocaine that he planned to deliver.

Chester Burgess III, 25 (d.o.b. 7-16-1987), of the 900 block of Lenwood Court, Aurora, today was sentenced by Associate Judge Marmarie J. Kostelny, to six years in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

On Aug. 20, 2012, was convicted by Judge Kostelny of one count of unlawful possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver, a Class X felony.

On Oct. 14, 2011, member of the aurora Police Department executed a search warrant at Burgess' residence, and found 23 grams of cocaine and other items associated with drug delivery. Burgess was present in the home, and was immediately charged and taken into custody.

Based on Illinois law, Burgess is eligible for day-for-day sentencing. He was given credit for at least 372 days served in the Kane County jail.

The case was prosecuted by Kane County Assistant State's Attorneys Kelly M. Orland and Lindsay Hatzis.