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NAPERVILLE MAN SENTENCED TO SIX YEARS FOR DRUG-INDUCED HOMICIDE

RE: **Samuel M. Nesnidal**: Age 27 (d.o.b. 02-14-1997), of the 2300 block of Putman Drive, Naperville, Illinois. Case No. 2022CF913.

St. Charles, Ill. - Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser announces that Judge John Barsanti has sentenced **Samuel M. Nesnidal** to six years of imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

Nesnidal on May 6, 2024, pled guilty to the offense of drug-induced homicide, a class X felony.

Assistant State's Attorney Kelly Orland stated in court that on October 1, 2020, Nesnidal unlawfully delivered an amount of ketamine to the victim, 23-year-old Austin Bank of Aurora. Bank ingested the substance and was found dead in his home the next day. An autopsy and toxicology analysis revealed that Bank died from fentanyl and ketamine intoxication.

In accordance with Illinois law, Nesnidal must serve at least 75 percent of the sentence. Nesnidal receives credit for two days served in the Kane County jail. Nesnidal must pay \$20,034.70 in restitution to the victim's family.

ASA Orland said: "This case underscores the critical role that drug-induced homicide charges play in combating the devastating impact of illicit drug sales. It ensures that those who knowingly distribute dangerous substances are held accountable for their actions, instead of continuing to prey on vulnerable individuals struggling with addiction. We are committed to using every tool at our disposal to bring justice to families affected by these tragic losses. My thanks to the Aurora Police Department for their thorough investigation and commitment to seeking justice for the victim and his loved ones."

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