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Miamisburg Man Guilty of Involuntary Manslaughter
Shot Up Victim with Deadly Dose of Heroin
State v. Michael Stine, 2013-CR-3345

DAYTON, OH (2/6/2015) – Prosecutor Mat Heck, Jr. announced that 25-year-old **Michael Stine**, of Miamisburg, was found guilty in the overdose death of Brian Bryant.

On June 30, 2013, friends of the victim found his deceased body at his residence on South Main Street in Miamisburg. An autopsy determined the victim had died from acute heroin, hydrocodone and ethanol intoxication.

The police investigation uncovered that the defendant and victim had been together drinking and partying on June 28, 2013 when the victim asked the defendant to purchase some heroin for him. The defendant purchased heroin for the victim and the victim had the defendant prepare the heroin for injection. Because the victim had an injury to his arm, he asked the defendant to inject the heroin for him. After receiving the drug, the victim collapsed and the defendant left the residence.

A few hours later, the defendant came back to the victim's residence and saw that the victim had not moved. He never sought any medical help for the victim.

On February 26, 2014, the defendant was indicted by the Montgomery County Grand Jury on one count of involuntary manslaughter and one count of corrupting another with drugs.

Today, the defendant plead guilty as charged, and the court found him guilty. He will be sentenced on March 5, 2015 at 2:00 pm.

Prosecutor Heck continued, "Heroin – the present drug of choice - has become a major problem in our community. We will prosecute those individuals who possess heroin, those who are trafficking in heroin, and in this case, those who kill another with heroin."

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