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Antonio Merritt sentenced to 85 years for 2015 Murder

(Indianapolis, Ind.) Marion County Prosecutor Terry Curry announced today that Antonio Merritt has been sentenced to 85 years in the Indiana Department of Correction for the 2015 murder of Jordan White. In June, a jury found Merritt guilty of Murder. The sentence ordered included a 20-year Habitual Offender enhancement.

On October 22, 2015, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department investigators were dispatched to a residence in the 3400 block of E. 9th Street to find 23-year-old Jordan White suffering from a gunshot wound. Cooperating witnesses helped detectives identify Merritt as a suspect and further develop the investigation. The shooting allegedly stemmed from an argument over illegal drugs.