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Greenville Man Sentenced on Domestic / Criminal Domestic Violence Of A High And Aggravated Nature

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that JOHN DAY, age 39, was convicted on April 20, 2012 by a Greenville County jury of Criminal Domestic Violence Of A High And Aggravated Nature, and sentenced to eight years in the South Carolina Department of Corrections suspended to five years of incarceration and three years probation by the Honorable Letitia H. Verdin.

Evidence presented at the trial by Assistant Solicitor Charles Bondurant established that on June 30, 2010, JOHN DAY assaulted his live-in girlfriend with a hammer striking her once on the arm and twice on the leg. The Greer Police Department arrested Mr. Day on 07/07/2010 after the victim disclosed the attack to a friend who then immediately called 911.