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**PRESS RELEASE**

William Eddins, State Attorney for the First Judicial Circuit, announced today that John Wesley Myers of Holt, Florida has been sentenced to 7 years state prison after he pled no contest to the charge of Trafficking in Methamphetamine (over 14 grams).

The charges arose after Okaloosa County Sheriff's deputies responded in reference to information that there was an active Methamphetamine lab located in the garage at the Defendant's residence. The Defendant admitted to manufacturing of Methamphetamine at that time. Deputies discovered various items used in the production of Methamphetamine and several containers which contained approximately 82 grams of Methamphetamine.

The sentence requires that Myers serve the entire 7 year sentence with no early release. A mandatory fine of \$100,000 was also imposed as a condition of the sentence.

Circuit Judge Michael Flowers imposed the sentence. The Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office was responsible for the investigation and arrest. Assistant State Attorney Kimberly Torres was responsible for the prosecution.

Any questions can be directed to Assistant State Attorney Kimberly Torres at (850) 689-5620.