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### CARBONDALE MAN SENTENCED ON METHAMPHETAMINE CHARGES

Michael C. Carr, Jackson County State's Attorney, announced today that Andrew L. Kipp, 25, of Carbondale was sentenced in Jackson County Court on charges of Unlawful Possession of Methamphetamine Manufacturing Materials.

On February 23, 2013, an officer from the Carbondale Police Department stopped the defendant for a routine traffic violation. They found that he was staying at a local hotel and received consent to search his hotel room. Inside that hotel room they found various items that are used in manufacturing methamphetamine, including plastic tubing, empty Sudafed blister packs, empty Sudafed wrappers and an oxygen tank that had been filled with anhydrous ammonia. The defendant was originally placed on probation but violated that probation and was resentenced November 24, 2014, to four (4) years in the Illinois Department of Corrections. This sentence will be served as impact incarceration. He will be subject to two (2) years Mandatory Supervised Release upon his release from the Department of Corrections.

This case was investigated by the Carbondale Police Department and was prosecuted by Assistant State's Attorney Mark Hamrock.