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Driver to Serve Eight Years in Prison for Drunk Driving Assaults

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. – Greene County Prosecuting Attorney Dan Patterson announces that Gregory Steven Green, 48, of Springfield, Missouri was sentenced today for driving while intoxicated and causing a motor vehicle collision that injured a woman and her 10-year-old daughter.

Green was sentenced by The Honorable Thomas Mountjoy to eight years in the Missouri Department of Corrections for two C felony second degree assault charges contained in the felony information. He was sentenced as a prior and persistent felony offender and probation was denied.

The charges arose from an October 14, 2009 motor vehicle crash at the intersection of Main and Central in Springfield. Green was driving while intoxicated and ran a stop sign, pulling out in front of another vehicle. The occupants of that other vehicle each sustained injuries in the crash. The driver suffered a laceration to her hand and a back injury. Her daughter experienced a head and neck injury. Green had three prior convictions for driving while intoxicated.

This case was prosecuted by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Emily Carlstrom. It was investigated by the Springfield Police Department and Officer Dustin Donaldson was the lead investigating officer.

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