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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**MUNCIE DRUG TRAFFICKER
SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS**

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that MICHAEL R. GILMORE, 30, Muncie, Indiana, was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment today by U.S. District Judge David F. Hamilton following his guilty plea to distribution of five grams or more of cocaine base, possession with intent to distribute 50 grams or more cocaine base, and possession of a firearm in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime. This case was the result of an investigation by the Drug Enforcement Administration and the Muncie Delaware County Drug Task Force.

GILMORE was arrested after an investigation and a search of GILMORE's residence uncovered approximately 210 grams of cocaine base as well as two loaded firearms.

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According to Assistant United States Attorney Josh J. Minkler, who prosecuted the case for the government, Judge Hamilton also imposed 5 years supervised release following GILMORE's imprisonment and a special assessment of \$300.00.

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