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**NEWBURG DRUG DEALER PLEADS GUILTY ON
CRACK COCAINE VIOLATION**

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that on February 21, 2007, **GREGORY L. HOLT**, age 28, of 470 Sebree Lane, #1, Louisville, Kentucky, **pled guilty** to two counts of possession with the intent to distribute crack cocaine.

The maximum potential penalties are not less than 5 years and not more than 60 years, a \$3,000,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of not less than 4 years.

Holt admitted that on June 6, 2005, he possessed crack cocaine with the intent to distribute. The crack cocaine was found on him while he was being processed at the Jefferson County Detention Center following his arrest on an outstanding state warrant for distribution of cocaine. **Holt** further admitted that on July 14, 2005, he possessed over 5 grams of crack cocaine with the intent to distribute. The crack cocaine seized had an approximate street value of \$1,300.00. **Holt** has two prior convictions in Jefferson Circuit Court for the illegal possession of controlled substances.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney James H. Barr and was investigated by the Louisville Metro Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF).

The plea was entered before Jennifer B. Coffman, Judge, United States District Court,

Louisville, Kentucky.

Holt is scheduled to be sentenced before Judge Coffman on June 18, 2007, at 1:00 p.m.,
in Louisville, Kentucky.

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