



Contraband Seized at Attica Correctional Facility

Synthetic Marijuana, Suboxone Strips Located Inside Canned Vegetables

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Attica, NY – An officer x-raying packages mailed to inmates at the maximum security prison discovered eight ounces of Synthetic Marijuana and 100 strips of Suboxone concealed inside of vegetable cans.

The incident occurred on Monday, January 27, 2020. The officer discovered inconsistencies inside the cans after x-raying them. Hidden inside seven cans was Synthetic Marijuana, commonly known as K2, sealed in plastic bags. 100 strips of Suboxone was also concealed inside the cans.

The contraband was taken as evidence. The package was mailed from a location in Brooklyn to an inmate at the facility.

The investigation is on-going.

“Consistently contraband makes its way into our correctional facilities despite the collective efforts of staff. It is either mailed in through packages or comes in through inmate visits. If the administration would adopt a Secure Vendor Program it would help to reduce the amount of dangerous drugs that wind up in the hands of inmates. Thankfully, in this instance, the alert officer discovered the drugs. On a daily basis our officers are discovering contraband concealed in packages and DOCCS has only taken limited steps to combat it. ” – stated Mark Deburgomaster, NYSCOPBA Western Region Vice President.

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