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Trisha D. Vandyke, 34, of Athens, Ohio, appeared before Judge George P. McCarthy on November 2, 2015, for a pretrial hearing. Vandyke entered a change of plea to guilty to an indictment charging one (1) count of Illegal Manufacture of Drugs, a felony of the first degree; one (1) count of Illegal Assembly or Possession of Chemicals for the Manufacture of Drugs, a felony of the second degree; and one (1) count of Endangering Children, a felony of the second degree.

Judge McCarthy sentenced Vandyke to mandatory term of five (5) years in the State Penal System. Upon release from incarceration, Vandyke will be subject to a one (1) year driver's license suspension and a mandatory term of five (5) years of post-release control.

This case was investigated by the Athens Major Crime Unit.

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