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ATHENS, Ohio – Kyla Alisse Powell, 33, of Glouster, Ohio, appeared before Judge Patrick J. Lang on March 16, 2016. On this date Powell did enter a change of plea to guilty to an indictment charging Illegal Conveyance of Drugs of Abuse onto Grounds of a Specified Governmental Facility, a felony of the third degree and Permitting Drug Abuse, a felony of the fifth degree.

Prosecutor Blackburn reports that, “Powell did allow Timothy Pastol and Ronald Powell, Kyla Powell’s father, to manufacture methamphetamine in her home while her young son was living with her. Upon her arrest, Powell was found to have drugs in her person upon being booked into the Southeastern Ohio Regional Jail.”

Judge Lang sentenced Powell to a total prison term of four (4) years. Upon her release from prison, in addition to three (3) years of post-release control, Powell will continue on her previously ordered term of community control for an unrelated case.

Ronald Powell is scheduled for pretrial on April 6, 2016, and Timothy Pastol is scheduled for pretrial on April 26, 2016.

This case was investigated by the Glouster Police Department and the Major Crimes Unit.