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JACK WHITE SENTENCED ON ASSAULT CHARGES

Musician Jack White of the internationally acclaimed band The White Stripes pled guilty to Assault and Battery before Judge Paula Humphries of the 36th District Court in Detroit, Michigan. The charges stemmed from a December 22, 2003 altercation White had with another musician, Jason Stollsteimer, of the Von Bondies.

White was sentenced today in accordance with a plea agreement offered by the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office. Prosecutor Worthy stated: "There was no special treatment given to Mr. White in this case. The reduced charge and terms of his probation are consistent with similar cases of this type."

His original charge of Aggravated Assault, which carries a maximum penalty of one-year incarceration and/or a \$1000 fine, was reduced to the 93-day misdemeanor, Assault and Battery. After the completion of anger management classes the judge will close White's probationary sentence.

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