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BAKER PLEADS GUILTY TO MANSLAUGHTER

WAKE FOREST, NC – April 7, 2008 – A Youngsville, NC, man has pled guilty to one count of voluntary manslaughter in the stabbing death of Ernest John Bradshaw, IV, in June 2007. The guilty plea came as part of an agreement with prosecutors who originally charged him with first degree murder.

Randy Mose Baker, 46, was accused of stabbing Bradshaw to death on the night of June 15. After being stabbed, Bradshaw drove to the Wake Forest Police Department and walked inside before collapsing to the floor. He was immediately transported to Wake Med in Raleigh where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

In accordance with the terms of the plea agreement, Superior Court Judge Orlando Hudson sentenced Baker to 46-65 months in prison with credit for the 10 months he has already served. As a result, he faces a minimum of three years in prison.



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