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**BRONX MAN SENTENCED TO SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON
FOR MACHETE ATTACK
Victim Lost Four Fingers and Is Permanently Disabled**

Bronx District Attorney Darcel D. Clark today announced that a Bronx man was sentenced to seven years in prison for cutting off a man's fingers with a machete during a dispute on the street.

District Attorney Clark said, "This defendant became upset during a petty dispute and pulled out a machete and swung it at the victim, severing four fingers. Because of this defendant's callous actions, the victim is permanently disabled."

District Attorney Clark said the defendant, Timothy Bohler, 31, of the Bronx, was sentenced today to seven years in prison and five years post release supervision by Bronx Supreme Court Justice Darlene Goldberg. Bohler pleaded guilty to Attempted Assault in the first-degree on December 12, 2025.

According to the investigation, on January 24, 2025, at approximately 11:20 a.m., the victim was standing with his dog in front of a deli at 2001 Southern Boulevard. Bohler approached the victim and threatened the victim's dog. The defendant then pulled out a machete and swung it at the victim severing the four fingers on his left hand. Surgeons were unable to reattach the victim's fingers.

The case was prosecuted by Major Case Assistant District Attorney Rachel Taverna of Trial Bureau 40, under the supervision of Michelle Villaverde, Deputy Chief of Trial Bureau 40, Aaron Kaplan, Chief of Trial Bureau 40, and under the overall supervision of James Brennan, Deputy Chief of Trial Division and Theresa Gottlieb, Chief of Trial Division.



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District Attorney Clark thanked Trial Preparation Assistant Steven Castro for his assistance in the case.

District Attorney Clark thanked NYPD Detective Chad Poidomani of the 48th Precinct Detective Squad for his work in the investigation.