

**SUMMARY STATEMENT**  
*State of Idaho v. Seth Jordan Deboer*  
Docket No. 47840

In this case arising out of Ada County, the Court of Appeals affirmed Seth Jordan Deboer's judgment of conviction and sentence for trafficking methamphetamine. The State charged Deboer with trafficking methamphetamine after he sold methamphetamine to a police officer in a controlled buy. Pursuant to a plea agreement, Deboer pled guilty, and the State agreed to dismiss or forego other drug charges. The district court sentenced Deboer to a unified term of ten years, with a minimum period of confinement of three years. Deboer appealed.

On appeal, Deboer challenged the reasonableness of his sentence, arguing the district court made insufficient factual findings to explain its sentence and failed to "reasonably assess several significant mitigating facts." Specifically, Deboer argued that his substance abuse history, amenability to treatment, criminal history, acceptance of responsibility, willingness to pay restitution, unstable upbringing, employment history, and good behavior while in pretrial custody compel a shorter period of indeterminate incarceration. The Court of Appeals held that the district court was not required to make factual findings explaining Deboer's sentence and that he failed to show that the district court did not appropriately consider the mitigating evidence he cited. Accordingly, Deboer's judgment of conviction and sentence were affirmed.

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