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## **EX-CITY OFFICIAL GETS 10 DAYS, FINE ON DRUG CHARGE**

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**PORTSMOUTH | A former environmental administrator in Hampton Roads was sentenced Monday to 10 days of active time on a drug charge and fined \$2,000**

**Portsmouth Circuit Court Judge Dean W. Sword Jr. sentenced Guy M. Aydlett to five years for possession with intent to distribute cocaine.**

**Sword then suspended all but 10 days if Aydlett, a former director of water quality for the Hampton Roads Sanitation District, successfully completes two years of supervised probation.**

**Sword said he took Aydlett's health into consideration when determining the sentence.**

**Aydlett, 57, said he has an immune system disorder. He also testified during his trial in June that he bought cocaine after he became desensitized to pain medication.**

**Portsmouth police arrested Aydlett on June 25, 2006, after they found him with a crack pipe and about \$2,100 worth of powder cocaine.**

**Aydlett, a chemist, testified during his trial that he turned powder cocaine into a solid into his bathroom sink.**

**His attorney, Warren Kozak, said he plans to appeal the conviction because there was no evidence Aydlett planned to distribute the cocaine.**