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DRUG DEALER SENTENCED TO 20 YEARS IN PRISON

A prominent Detroit **drug dealer** was **sentenced** Tuesday **to 20 years in prison** for his role **in** the violent cocaine gang that allegedly plotted robberies, kidnappings and killings of rivals **in** the 1990s.

U.S. District Judge John O'Meara **sentenced** Raymond Canty, 36, during a hearing **in** Ann Arbor. Canty pleaded guilty last **year to** conspiring **to** distribute cocaine and launder money.

Canty was **sentenced in** part for his role **in** the 1997 slaying of Mischa D. Dorsey. The hit man, Eugene Mitchell, testified that Canty paid him \$10,000 **to** kill Dorsey, who had robbed Canty of \$2,000. Mitchell was **sentenced in** December **to** 25 **years in prison**.

A codefendant, Milton (Butch) Jones, 52, of Detroit, founder of the **drug** gang Young Boys Inc., also pleaded guilty and faces a possible sentence of 30 **years in prison**.

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