

Forcillo back in court after breaching bail conditions

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Const. James Forcillo arrives at court in Toronto on Jan. 25, 2016. THE CANADIAN PRESS/Nathan Denette



A Toronto police officer convicted of attempted murder in the death of 18-year-old Sammy Yatim will appear for a bail hearing Friday.

Const. James Forcillo is accused of breaching the conditions related to his house arrest, after he was found living in a new address that hadn't been approved by the courts.

He was arrested on Wednesday and charged with failing to comply with recognizance.

Forcillo made a brief court appearance later that day. His lawyer, Peter Brauti, said a bail hearing on the new charge was set for 10 a.m. Friday.

Forcillo was sentenced to six years behind bars, a year more than the mandatory minimum, for shooting Yatim multiple times on a TTC streetcar on July 27, 2013. He had his bail conditions extended in late September, a day before he was set to appeal his conviction.

Below is a look back at our live reporting during Forcillo's sentencing. For a mobile-friendly version, [click here](#).

Documents obtained by CityNews reveal Forcillo is engaged to be married next March and he was petitioning the courts to live with his girlfriend when he was arrested.

Forcillo and his wife divorced in July and while they remain on good terms and co-parent two children, his father-in-law says the current living situation is difficult.