

Lawyer Accused of Smuggling Drugs into Prison Is Reportedly Shot Outside Casino - ABA Journal

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A 68-year-old Illinois lawyer accused of trying to smuggle drugs into a federal prison was reportedly shot early Thursday in the parking lot at Harrah's casino in Metropolis.

Sources close to the case told [WSILTV.com](http://www.wsil.com) that the shooting victim was lawyer and

former judge Robert Drew of downstate Marion, Ill. He was arrested in August on charges of trying to smuggle heroin and marijuana into a Terre Haute, Ind., prison.

Drew told police he was delivering the drugs because of anonymous telephone threats. The [Daily Republican](http://www.dailyrepublican.com)

and the

[Tribune Star](http://www.tribunestar.com)

have published stories in August on the arrest.

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