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NEWS SUMMARY

Today, the United States Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of Wisconsin announced that Choo H. Ng had been sentenced for filing a false tax return.

Ng, age 40, of Pewaukee, was sentenced by Chief United States District Judge Rudolph T. Randa after pleading guilty in June of this year to filing a false tax return in August of 2000 for his 1999 federal income taxes. In that false return, Ng deliberately understated the income that he earned from his apparel business, as well as the federal tax that he owed.

Chief Judge Randa sentenced Ng to serve six months of home confinement with electronic monitoring, three years of probation, and to pay a \$3,000 fine. In addition, Ng was ordered to cooperate with the Internal Revenue Service to determine the amount of tax he actually owed, and to pay all taxes due.

The case was investigated by the Internal Revenue Service Criminal Investigation Division and prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Stephen A. Ingraham.

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