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## **News Release**

Richard S. Hartunian, United States Attorney for the Northern District of New York, announced that **JEFFREY AUBREY**, age 55, of Rousses Point, New York was sentenced yesterday, September 12, 2011, in U.S. District Court in Syracuse, New York. U.S. District Judge Norman A. Mordue ordered **AUBREY** to serve 33 months incarceration in connection with his guilty plea to making a material false statement related to Supplemental Security Income ("SSI") payments and fraudulent concealment of events related to SSI payments, in violation of 42 U.S.C. §1383a(a)(3). As part of his sentence the defendant is also required to pay restitution to the Social Security Administration in the amount of \$74,856 and a special assessment of \$200 to the court. Following his term of incarceration **AUBREY** will be on a term of supervised release for three years.

On December 14, 2010, **AUBREY** admitted, in violation of 42 U.S.C. §1383a(a)(2), that on or about July 5, 2007, he submitted a form to the Social Security Administration falsely stating that he had not worked from June 1, 2003 through the date of the statement, when in truth he was doing commercial construction work while also collecting SSI payments. **AUBREY** also admitted, in violation of 42 U.S.C. §1383a(a)(3), that he willfully concealed and failed to disclose his employment and the receipt of income that would have affected his continued right to SSI payments.

This case was investigated by the Social Security Administration Office of Inspector General and prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Tamara B. Thomson. Further information can be directed to the United States Attorney's Office at (315) 448-0672.

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