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**PHILADELPHIA MAN CHARGED IN IDENTITY THEFT CASE**

PHILADELPHIA – United States Attorney Patrick L. Meehan today announced that a federal grand jury has charged RODNEY GREENE of Philadelphia in a 15-count superseding indictment with various criminal offenses arising out of an identity fraud scheme he perpetrated from June 2004 through January 2006.<sup>1</sup> The indictment alleges that Greene unlawfully obtained financial information and means of identification of numerous individuals and obtained credit card accounts and bank accounts in those individuals’ names, but with his home address. He used the fraudulently obtained accounts to access money and to buy property for himself. The indictment also alleges that in June 2004 and again in October 2005, Greene mailed fraudulent subpoenas to Philadelphia University, ostensibly signed by a federal district court judge and by a federal district court clerk in a nonexistent civil matter, calling for financial information of a former student of Philadelphia University.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Rodney Greene	Philadelphia, PA	47 years old

If convicted, Greene faces a minimum of two years and up to a maximum of 135 years in prison, a \$3,750,000 fine, 45 years of supervised release, and a mandatory special assessment of \$1,500.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and has been assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Joan L. Markman.

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<sup>1</sup> An indictment or information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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