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NEWS RELEASE

An indictment¹ was unsealed today charging Christopher Britt with engaging in bank fraud and aggravated identity theft, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The indictment alleges that between October 2, 2007 and October 17, 2007, the defendant made fraudulent withdrawals from PNC Bank customer accounts using the account holder's identifying information.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Christopher Britt	Oxford, Pennsylvania	25

If convicted, the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of 42 years imprisonment, with a mandatory minimum of 2 years imprisonment, 5 years of supervised release, a \$2,500,000 fine and a \$700 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the United States Secret Service and the United States Postal Inspection Service. It is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Leo R. Tsao.

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