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NEWS RELEASE

Theresa Morris-Finnimore was charged today by information¹ with two counts of mail fraud, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger.

According to the information, Morris-Finnimore fraudulently obtained a power of attorney for an elderly victim and exercised this power for her own benefit, not the victim's. Morris-Finnimore defrauded the victim of approximately \$398,249 in cash and real property.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Theresa Morris-Finnimore	Philadelphia, PA	43 years old

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of 40 years imprisonment, 3 years supervised release, a \$500,000 fine and a \$200 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the U.S. Postal Inspection Service and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Terri A. Marinari.

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