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NEWS RELEASE

An Indictment¹ was unsealed today against Paul F. Basile and Barbara Basile, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. Both defendants are licensed chiropractors who owned and operated a chiropractic business in Allentown, known as Lehigh Valley Non-Surgical, Inc. Defendant Paul F. Basile is charged with one count of conspiracy, five counts of tax evasion, and two counts of filing false income tax returns. Defendant Barbara Basile is charged with one count of conspiracy, three counts of tax evasion, two counts of failure to file tax returns, and two counts of filing false income tax returns. Both were arrested this morning.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Paul F. Basile	Orefield, PA	54
Barbara Basile	Orefield, PA	53

If convicted, defendant Paul F. Basile faces the maximum possible sentence of 36 years imprisonment, a \$800,000 fine, 2 years supervised release, and an \$800 special assessment. If convicted, defendant Barbara Basile faces the maximum possible sentence of 28 years imprisonment, a \$650,000 fine, 2 years supervised release, and an \$800 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Internal Revenue Service Criminal Investigation Division and the Department of the Treasury's Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration. It is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Terri A. Marinari.

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