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POLICE OFFICER CHARGED WITH WIRE FRAUD

Charles Jacoby was charged today by Information¹ with wire fraud, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The Information alleges that Jacoby, during the course of his official duties as a Philadelphia Police Officer, stole debit and credit cards from recently arrested and incarcerated individuals, and used the cards to purchase various items for himself and gasoline for his personal vehicle.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Charles Jacoby	Philadelphia, PA	1980

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of 20 years imprisonment, three years supervised release, a \$250,000 fine, and a special assessment of \$100.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Philadelphia Police Department, and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Kevin R. Brenner.

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