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NEWS RELEASE

Kenneth G. Reidenbach was charged today by second superseding indictment¹ with making a false declaration or certification in connection with a bankruptcy case, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The additional charge alleges that Reidenbach, an attorney in Lancaster, represented an individual in a bankruptcy proceeding. It is alleged that as part of the bankruptcy proceeding, Reidenbach falsely certified that he had received and agreed to accept \$1,500 as fees for services rendered, and to be rendered, in contemplation of, or in connection with, the bankruptcy, when he had in fact received approximately \$4,800.

The first superseding indictment charged Reidenbach with bankruptcy fraud, concealing assets during a bankruptcy proceeding, and embezzling from a bankruptcy estate arising from the concealment of \$40,000 in real estate proceeds in a law firm account controlled by Reidenbach. The indictment also alleges that Reidenbach falsely represented that he had agreed to receive only \$1,500 for representing the client in the bankruptcy proceeding.

The original indictment, filed December 9, 2010, charged Reidenbach and co-defendant Herbert P. Henderson, another attorney in Lancaster, with conspiracy to commit bankruptcy fraud and concealing assets in bankruptcy by concealing more than \$51,000 of clients' real estate sales proceeds from the bankruptcy court.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Kenneth G. Reidenbach	Lancaster, Pennsylvania	1950

If convicted of all charges in the superseding indictment, Reidenbach faces a maximum possible sentence of 45 years in prison and a fine of \$2.25 million.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney David J. Ignall.

¹An Indictment or Information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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