

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Hon.
	:	
v.	:	Crim. No.
	:	
STEVEN JONES	:	18 U.S.C. § 641
	:	18 U.S.C. § 2

INFORMATION

The defendant having waived in open court prosecution by Indictment, the United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey charges:

Between in or around October 2004 and in or around December 2023, in Somerset County, in the District of New Jersey, and elsewhere, the defendant,

STEVEN JONES,

did knowingly and intentionally embezzle, steal, purloin, and convert to his use or the use of another, a thing of value of the United States and of a department and an agency thereof, in excess of \$1,000, namely, \$624,230.86.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641 and Section 2.

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

As a result of committing the violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 641 and Section 2, as charged in this Information, the defendant,

STEVEN JONES,

shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), all property, real and personal, that constitutes or is derived, directly and indirectly, from gross proceeds traceable to the commission of the offense charged in this Information.

SUBSTITUTE ASSETS PROVISION

If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty,

the United States shall be entitled, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), as incorporated by Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), to forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the above-described forfeitable property.

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