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U.S. POSTAL CARRIER JOHN R. JORDAN CHARGED IN FEDERAL COURT

PRESS RELEASE

Timothy M. Morrison, Acting United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that JOHN R. JORDAN, 48, Knightstown, Indiana, was charged in an Information with unlawfully obstructing the mail, following an investigation by the United States Postal Inspection Service and the United States Postal Service Office of Inspector General.

The complaint filed previously alleged that on July 11, 2007, JORDAN was assigned a postal delivery route in Greenfield, Indiana. On that day, JORDAN made one delivery to an address on his route and disappeared. His undelivered mail, scanner, cell phone and wallet were all found inside his locked postal delivery truck. On July 14, 2007, JORDAN was arrested by Columbus, Indiana police in a Columbus laundromat and charged with unlawful possession of a handgun.

According to Assistant U. S. Attorney James M. Warden, who is prosecuting the case for the government, JORDAN faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 6 months and a maximum possible fine of \$5,000. An initial hearing will be held today at 4:00 p.m. before U.S. Magistrate Judge Foster in Indianapolis.

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