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NEW CASTLE WOMAN CHARGED WITH FILING FALSE INCOME TAX RETURNS

PRESS RELEASE

Timothy M. Morrison, Acting United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that LINDA L. WHITEHEAD, 68, New Castle, Indiana, was indicted by a federal grand jury sitting in Indianapolis for filing false income tax returns for the years 1999, 2000 and 2001, following an investigation by the Internal Revenue Service.

The indictment alleges that the income tax returns WHITEHEAD filed in 2003 for the years 1999, 2000, and 2001 were false because she failed to report approximately \$300,000 in income she had received during the years 1999, 2000, and 2001.

According to Assistant U. S. Attorney Joe H. Vaughn, who is prosecuting the case for the government, WHITEHEAD faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 9 years and a maximum possible fine of \$750,000.

The indictment is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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