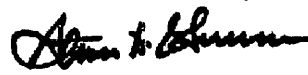


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DISTRICT COURT

CLARK COUNTY, STATE OF NEVADA

10 STATE OF NEVADA,

Case No.: C-14-297101-1

11 Plaintiff,

Dept. No.: V

12 v.

13 JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES, #2735266,  
14 AND REGINA GENOVEBA OWENS,

15 Defendant.

17 INDICTMENT

18 Defendant<sup>LS</sup> JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES and REGINA GENOVEBA OWENS are  
19 accused by the Grand Jury of Clark County, Nevada, of the crimes of UNEMPLOYMENT  
20 INSURANCE FRAUD (a Category C Felony, in violation of NRS 612.445); CONSPIRACY TO  
21 UNLAWFULLY OBTAIN OR INCREASE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (a Gross  
22 Misdemeanor, in violation of NRS 612.720); and OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE  
23 PRETENSES (a Category B Felony, in violation of NRS 205.380) committed within Clark  
24 County, Nevada as follows:

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AMENDED BY ORDER OF THE COURT  
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STEVEN D. GRIERSON, CLERK OF THE COURT  
BY  DEPUTY  
DENISE HORTON, #2735266

**COUNT ONE**  
**UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FRAUD**  
**(NRS 612.445 – Category C Felony)**

On or about August 26, 2013 through October 27, 2013, within Clark County, Nevada, Defendant~~s~~ JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES and REGINA GENOVEBA OWENS made and/or directly or indirectly counseled, encouraged, hired, commanded, induced or otherwise procured another to make, false statements or representations, knowing them to be false, or knowingly fail to disclose a material fact, to the Employment Security Division of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation of the State of Nevada, located at 2800 East Saint Louis Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89104-4267, to wit, stating that JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES, was able to work and failing to disclose JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES' incarceration in the Clark County Detention Center and the High Desert State Prison, in order to obtain benefits in the amount of \$650 or more, but less than \$3,500, under Chapter 612 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

**COUNT TWO**  
**CONSPIRACY TO UNLAWFULLY OBTAIN OR INCREASE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS**  
**(NRS 612.720 – Gross Misdemeanor)**

On or about August 26, 2013 through October 27, 2013, within Clark County, Nevada, Defendant~~s~~ JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES and REGINA GENOVEBA OWENS conspired to obtain or increase benefits or other payments under Chapter 612 of the Nevada Revised Statutes by making false statements or representations knowing them to be false, or by knowingly failing to disclose a material fact, as more fully set forth in Count One.

**COUNT THREE**  
**OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES**  
**(NRS 205.380 – Category B Felony)**

On or about August 26, 2013 through October 27, 2013, within Clark County, Nevada, Defendant~~s~~ JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES and REGINA GENOVEBA OWENS by any false pretense obtained from any other person any chose in action, money, goods, wares, chattels, effects or other valuable thing valued at \$650.00 or more, with the intent to cheat or defraud the other person, in that they made and/or directly or indirectly counseled, encouraged, hired, commanded, induced or otherwise procured another to make, false statements or

1 representations, knowing them to be false, or knowingly fail to disclose a material fact, to the  
2 Employment Security Division of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation  
3 of the State of Nevada, located at 2800 East Saint Louis Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89104-  
4 4267, to wit, falsely and fraudulently stating that JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES was able to work  
5 and failing to disclose JOSHUA EPHRAIM JONES' incarceration in the Clark County  
6 Detention Center and High Desert State Prison, in order to obtain benefits of \$650.00 or more  
7 under Chapter 612 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

8 All of which is contrary to the form, force, and effect of the statutes in such cases made  
9 and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Nevada.

10 DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2014.

11 CATHERINE CORTEZ MASTO  
12 Attorney General

13 By: Michael C. Kovac  
14 MICHAEL C. KOVAC, ESQ.  
15 Deputy Attorney General  
16 Nevada Bar No. 11177

17 ENDORSEMENT: A True Bill

18 By: [Signature]  
19 Foreperson, Clark County Grand Jury  
20 CJ#13BGJ066A-B

21 WITNESS LIST:

- 22 1. David Molnar (State of Nevada, Office of the Inspector General);  
23 2. Oscar Pericon (State of Nevada, Department of Employment, Training, and  
24 Rehabilitation);  
25 3. Person most knowledgeable of Clark County Detention Center;  
26 4. Any and all persons most knowledgeable deemed necessary; and  
27 5. Any and all other custodians of records deemed necessary.  
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