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Employee Who Stole \$55,000 from Hair Salon Pleads Guilty



ALBANY, NY – District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that MAJA MALCZEWSKI, 27, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Grand Larceny in the Third Degree, a Class D felony, before the Honorable Peter Lynch in Albany County Court this morning.

Between June 1, 2009 and October 24, 2012, MALCZEWSKI, while an employee at the Ania Hair Salon on Western Avenue in the City of Albany, stole \$55,000 by providing herself unauthorized payroll and creating false reimbursements to her credit cards. The business is owned by a member of the defendant's family.

MALCZEWSKI faces up to 6 months in the Albany County Correctional Facility in addition to 5 years of Felony Probation when sentenced on March 21, 2013. MALCZEWSKI will also be required to pay restitution to the victim in the amount of \$55,000.

Assistant District Attorney Benjamin Clark of the Financial Crimes Bureau is prosecuting this case.

For more information please contact Cecilia Logue.

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