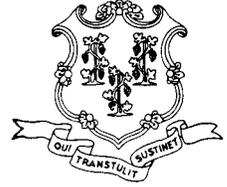




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## ***Arrest Two Individuals For Defrauding Disabled Man***

State Police Troopers from the Mansfield Resident Trooper's Office and Troop "C" in Tolland, have arrested two individuals for fraudulently charging a disabled man for assisted health and living services that were never performed.

State Police Troopers assigned to the Mansfield Resident State Trooper's Office received a complaint in January of 2003, from the estate managers of a Mansfield resident who suffers from permanent physical disabilities. The complainant reported receiving excessive billing fees from a company titled "**Differences Within L.L.C.**" for services they believe were **NOT** performed. These services include training for the disabled man in the area of independent health and living such as cooking, cleaning, self care, along with companion care such as help conducting banking and shopping.

After an extensive investigation and undercover surveillance into these allegations, State Police Troopers filed arrest warrant affidavits at Rockville Superior Court seeking the arrest of **AARON HRAMIAK** a co owner of the company and **SHANON SHEA** an employee of the company, for several counts of Criminal Attempt to Commit Larceny from a disabled person.

**AARON HRAMIAK** (30) #14 Rabbit Trail Road, Coventry CT) was taken into custody early this morning at his home by the Coventry Police Department and immediately turned over to State Police Troopers and charged with **2 counts of Criminal Attempt to Commit Larceny in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, and 2 Counts of Criminal Attempt to Commit Larceny in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree.**

**SHANON SHEA** (23) of 9A Higgins Highway, Mansfield Ct) was also taken into custody at her home by State Police personnel and has been charged with **2 counts of Criminal Attempt to Commit Larceny in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Criminal Attempt to Commit Larceny in the 5<sup>th</sup> degree and 6<sup>th</sup> degree.**

Both subjects were processed at Troop C and released on a \$10,000.00 bond and will appear at Rockville Superior Court on February 11, 2004.

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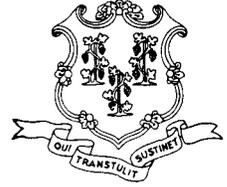
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