



HARRISON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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*****PRESS RELEASE*****
For Immediate Release

On Monday March 27, 2017, Sheriff Troy Peterson announced the arrest of 52 year old Candace Webb who resides at 15328 Hudson Krohn Road Biloxi, MS, on a felony charge of embezzlement.

According to Sheriff Troy Peterson, Webb was employed by Groundscape Inc. in Biloxi, MS, and handled all financial transactions for the business. Sheriff Peterson said that the owner of Groundscape became suspicious after noticing several checks Webb had written to herself. Sheriff Peterson said that Webb was confronted over the checks and ultimately resigned. Sheriff Peterson said that Webb had embezzled a total of \$9,400.00 over an eighteen month period.

Candace Webb was booked into the Harrison County Adult Detention Facility and charged with one felony count of embezzlement. Candace Webb is being held in lieu of a \$10,000.00 dollar bond set by Justice Court Judge Bruce Strong.

Investigative Officer: Inv. Anthony Piazza

Arresting Officer(s): Deputy Ryan Thornton

Approved For Release: _____

Troy J. Peterson, Sheriff, Harrison County, Mississippi