

State of Connecticut Division of Criminal Justice Unemployment Fraud Unit



The Office of the Chief State's Attorney – Unemployment Compensation Fraud Unit arrested Jesse Bennefield,under the strength of an arrest warrant issued through the New Britain Superior Courthouse for Unemployment Fraud C.G.S. 31-273(f)(2) and Larceny in the First Degree 53a-122(a)(4) – Defrauding a Public Community. Bennefield is accused of collecting \$56,319 in unemployment compensation, while at the same time earning \$139,175 in earned wages from Innovation Solutions, during claim weeks of June 6, 2020 to October 23, 2023. Bennefield was released on a \$25,000 non-surety bond and issued a March 4, 2024 New Britain Superior Court date.



Jesse Bennefield
212 Middle Street, Springfield, Massachusetts

OCSA-UCF Case Number 2023-028115

Charges: Unemployment Fraud C.G.S. 31-273(f)(2)

Larceny in the First Degree – Defrauding Public Community C.G.S. 53a-122(a)(4)

Date of Arrest: February 27, 2024