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**MONTANA EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, CASCADE COUNTY**

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STATE OF MONTANA,	)	No. <b>BDC-14-445</b>
Plaintiff,	)	
vs.	)	<b>INFORMATION</b>
	)	
SCOTT PALMER	)	
Defendant.	)	

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Brett O'Neil, Special Assistant Montana Attorney General and Special Deputy County Attorney for Cascade County, Montana, alleges that the above-named defendant, on or about August 2011 through May 2012, in Cascade County, Montana, committed the offenses of:

COUNT I: THEFT BY INSURANCE FRAUD, common scheme, A FELONY, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §§ 45-6-301(6)(a) and 33-1-1202(1). The above-named Defendant, with the purpose to obtain money or benefit from an insurer, gave oral statements containing false, incomplete, and misleading information in support of his claim for payment pursuant to an insurance policy. The amount received was in excess of \$10,000.

A person convicted of this offense shall be imprisoned in the state prison for not more than ten years, fined not more than \$50,000, or both.

DATED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2014.

~~JOHN W. PARKER  
Cascade County Attorney~~

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The witnesses now known to the prosecution are:

Cheri Meier  
Steven Houp  
Mary Mohland  
Bernice Morgan  
Georgia Peterson  
Nicole Pilagi  
Sue French