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Tallahatchie Co. resident arrested for Tax Evasion

Charleston, Miss. - On February 28, 2016, an indictment obtained by investigators with the Mississippi Department of Revenue (DOR), charged Richard A. Taylor, age 45, of 459 Teasdale Rd., Charleston, MS 38921 with five (5) counts of tax evasion. Following the indictment, Taylor surrendered to the Tallahatchie County Sheriff's Department. Taylor was released on a \$20,000 bond and is tentatively scheduled for trial on October 08, 2018.

If convicted, Taylor could be punished by a fine of not more than One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) and, in the case of a corporation, not more than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) or imprisoned not more than five (5) years or both on each of the five (5) counts of Tax Evasion, which have been levied against him.

As with all cases, the defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law. This case will be prosecuted by the Tallahatchie County District Attorney's Office.

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The DOR is limited to disclosing only information that is included in the public record; therefore, no other information is available at this time. Updates will be made as additional information is made public.