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NEWS RELEASE

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VPD Report Number: 21-016934

Date/Time Occurred: February thru December 2019

Type of Incident: Embezzlement arrest

Location: 300 S. Court, Visalia

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Homan, Erin

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Yes

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Details: In February 2021, the Visalia Police Department received a report of a possible embezzlement involving an employee of the Marriott Hotel. Detectives learned in 2019, an employee scheduling private parties for the hotel, took cash deposits from guests, and then kept the money for herself. The employee would then create fake receipts to cover the theft. Hotel staff was made aware of the thefts several months later and contacted law enforcement. On today's date, suspect Homan was interviewed at the Visalia Police Department and later arrested for this crime. She was booked into the Tulare County Pre-Trial Facility for embezzlement. The monetary loss is approximately \$60,000 involving over 20 victims.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Det. J. Logas I181

Supervisor: Sgt. D. Maurice S122

