

**Marilyn Benjamin**

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**From:** Adrian Chaplin  **GRO**  
**Sent:** 28 June 2011 11:34  
**To:** Rob G Wilson; Marilyn Benjamin  
**Subject:** Leeds CC Alison Hall Indictment

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Dear Rob and Marilyn,

Please find attached my proposed indictment which I understand (from my instructions and from the phone message left yesterday by Marilyn) has to be lodged with the Court and served on the Defence by tomorrow 30th June 2011.

You will see I have added an alternative Count 2 of Fraud (false accounting): I hope you might agree that a plea to this would be acceptable.

As to evidence, I'll advise further after the PCMH.

Best regards,

Adrian Chaplin  
9-12 Bell Yard  
London

THE CROWN COURT AT LEEDS

THE QUEEN

V

ALISON LORAIN HALL

Charged as follows:

COUNT 1

STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

THEFT, contrary to Section 1 of the Theft Act 1968

PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE

ALISON LORAIN HALL between 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2010 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2010 stole £14,842.37 in money belonging to Post Office Limited.

COUNT 2

STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

FRAUD, contrary to Section 1 of the Fraud Act 2006

PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE

ALISON LORAIN HALL between 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2010 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2010 dishonestly made false representations as to the Cash on Hand figure within the Branch trading statements for Hightown Post Office for the period 24<sup>th</sup> February 2010 to 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2010, namely that the cash on hand was greater than the true figure, intending thereby to make a gain for herself or another or to expose Post Office Limited to the risk of loss.