

Clinton County Sheriff's Office

News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

REPORTED BY: Deputy D.E. Rosoff

APPROVED BY: Sgt. Dominy

SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Illegal Eviction

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Major Robert Craig

NAMES OF ARRESTEE: Antonio Ortona

AGE-SEX: 62/Male

ADDRESS: Montreal, QC Canada

CHARGES: Willfull Violation of Lease Terms (Violation) RP 235

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 08/01/2014 at 3:00pm

NARRATIVE: On August 1, 2014, Sheriff's Deputies charged landlord Antonio Ortona with a violation of the Real Property Law after he allegedly attempted to illegally evict a tenant from his property on Harmony Lane in the Town of Beekmantown. Deputies had responded to the residence on July 29 after the tenant at that location reported that her belongings had been removed from the residence over the weekend, placed on the porch and left out in the rain. An investigation by Deputies determined that the property was allegedly removed at the direction and request of Mr. Ortona and that no Warrant of Eviction had been issued for the tenant or premises.

DISPOSITION: Mr. Ortona was issued an appearance ticket. He is set to appear in Town of Beekmantown Court to face the allegations in mid-August.