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A Keeseville New York man who was just arrested two weeks ago and charged with stealing copper from a local utility company is now facing charges for violating the conditions of his probation.

41-year-old Joseph Brelia was out on probation for criminal trespass from an incident that occurred in June 2010 when he was arrested on December 21, 2010 and accused of stealing copper from the NYSEG facility in Plattsburgh.

Deputies from the Clinton County Sheriff's Office arrested Brelia yesterday and charged him with misdemeanor violation of probation.

Brelia, who was already being held at the Clinton County Jail without bail -- on grand larceny charges, was arraigned in Ausable Justice Court and remanded back to the Clinton County Jail on \$2,000 cash bail or \$5,000 bond for the violation of probation charge.

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