

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

TERRY LEE WHETSTONE,
[DOB: 07/01/1952]

Defendant.

No.

COUNT ONE

18 U.S.C. § 1159

(Misrepresentation of Indian Produced
Goods and Products)

NMT 1 Year Imprisonment

NMT \$25,000 Fine

NMT 1 Year Supervised Release

Class A Misdemeanor

\$25 Mandatory Special Assessment

MISDEMEANOR INFORMATION

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY CHARGES THAT:

Between on or about May 17, 2013 and on or about July 22, 2013, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant Terry Lee Whetstone, did knowingly offer, display for sale, or sell any goods, in a manner that falsely suggests it is Indian produced, or the product of a particular Indian tribe, resident within the United States, in that, the defendant, Terry Lee Whetstone maintained an Internet website, www.terrywhetstone.com, in which the defendant falsely claimed to be a "Cherokee Artist," and offered and displayed for sale, on the www.terrywhetstone.com website, American Indian artwork the defendant created.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1159.

Tammy Dickinson
United States Attorney

By



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Dated: 6-23-2015
Kansas City, Missouri