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McKEES ROCKS WOMAN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTING TO PASS DRUG SOAKED PAPERWORK TO JAIL INMATE

Pittsburgh PA ---- Sheriff Kevin M. Kraus announced today that a McKees Rocks woman is facing several charges after attempting to pass drug soaked paperwork to an Allegheny County Jail inmate.

28-year-old Alisha Hunt gave an envelope containing paperwork to an individual she knew would be in close contact with inmate Justin Allen who was scheduled for a preliminary hearing. Allen's hearing involved contraband charges relating to synthetic cannabinoids that were found on his person and in his jail cell during a search last month.

During the hearing, deputies observed Allen attempting to grab the envelope numerous times. At the conclusion of the hearing, the individual who had been given the envelope handed the envelope to the deputies. The contents of the envelope were inspected and appeared to be soaked in a substance that had stained the paperwork. A total of 13 sheets of heavy cotton paper were discovered to have similar discoloration and subsequent testing was positive for synthetic cannabinoids.

Hunt was located and arrested last night and arraigned on 9 counts, 7 of which are felonies. She remains in the Allegheny County Jail on \$25,000 bond.

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