

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE
PUBLIC INFORMATION RELEASE REPORT

STATION MERCER PATROL UNIT	CAD/CASE NO PA 2026-272054
INVESTIGATING OFFICER RIEGER,H,08831 (533519)	DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT 03-03-2026 1223
NATURE OF INCIDENT VFI INSPECTION	
LOCATION 339 NORTHGATE DR	
MUNICIPALITY(COUNTY) MARSHALL TWP (ALLEGHENY)	

PERSON(S) INVOLVED (Age based off incident occurrence date):

ARRESTEE: Kenneth ANDERSON, 58, M, GIBSONIA, PA

ARRESTEE: Bryan NICKLAS, 63, M, EVANS CITY, PA

BUSINESS(ES) INVOLVED:

Offender: IRVINE ALIGNMENT INC, WARRENDALE, PA

INCIDENT DETAILS:

Kenneth ANDERSON is the owner of Irvine Alignment Inc. From 01/01/25/12/24/25 Irvine Alignment Inc has done 161 fraudulent inspections for Keith SMITH who is the owner of Oilology. SMITH has been and is currently being charged for Deceptive and Fraudulent Business practices by Cranberry Twp Police Department for charging his customers for repairs on vehicles that he never had repaired. Irvine Alignment Inc passed a lot of these vehicles for inspection without actually inspected them. Kenneth ANDERSON is being charged with 161 counts of Tampering With Public Records/Information (M-2) or Information for entering the fraudulent inspections in the government inspection records. He is also being charged with 267 summary violations regarding inspection station violations. Mechanic Bryan NICKLAS who works at Irvine Alignment Inc. is being charged with 60 counts of Tampering With Public Records/Information (M-2) along with 60 summary counts of failing to inspect 60 vehicles of which Keith SMITH of Oilology brought to him.

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