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LCSO Investigation Leads to Arrest of Former Corrections Officer

On Monday, June 12, a former Leon County Detention Facility (LCDF) Corrections Officer was arrested for charges related to inappropriate relations with inmates.

The internal criminal investigation began in January, after LCDF officials were provided information that an employee was engaging in sexual misconduct with inmates and bringing contraband into the facilities. The employee was identified as 34-year-old Corrections Officer Jennifer Adams.

A subsequent search by corrections staff found contraband in an inmate cell and LCSO detectives were able to find more evidence to support the allegations of sexual misconduct.

Adams began her employment with the Leon County Sheriff's Office in October 2021 and resigned during the investigation, in March 2023.

Adams is charged with Sexual Misconduct with an Inmate and Felony Introduction of Contraband to a Detention Facility. She was arrested for the warrants related to those charges in Wakulla County and booked into the Wakulla County Detention Facility.



