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Mercer County Prosecutor's Office Press Release

On May 28, 2026, Chad A. Ralston pled guilty to Failure to Verify Address, a felony of the fourth degree. Ralston is a Tier II Sex Offender and therefore is required to verify his residence address and other information with the Mercer County Sheriff's Office every 180 days. Ralston failed to meet the requisite verification deadline.

Ralston will be sentenced on July 2, 2026. He faces a maximum of eighteen (18) months in prison and a \$5,000 fine.

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