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On 5/26/09 The LaSalle County State Attorney's Office charged Michael M Doherty (DOB 6/19/66, 8510 14th St West, Rock Island Illinois) with Felony Retail Theft (class 3 felony). The charge stems from an investigation in which a 37" Samsung LCD TV was stolen from Walmart in Ottawa on 11/02/08.

Ottawa Police Detectives developed Doherty as a suspect. Detectives located and spoke with Doherty in Rock Island. Detectives also recovered the stolen TV as well as an additional TV that Doherty stole from the Walmart in Princeton, IL on the same day as the theft from the Ottawa store. Doherty is currently serving a prison sentence at the Lawrence Correction Center for the theft of the TV from the Princeton Walmart.