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Environmental Criminal Enforcement/Solid Waste: New Hampshire Attorney General Announces Indictment of Grafton County Construction and Demolition Debris Facility

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The Office of the Attorney General (“AG”) of the New Hampshire Department of Justice announced in a January 25th news release the indictment of Hammond Grinding and Recycling Inc. a/k/a F.C. Hammond & Son Lumber Co. (“Hammond”).

Hammond operates a permitted solid waste facility which accepts construction and demolition debris in Grafton County, New Hampshire.

The AG’s news release states that the Grafton County Grand Jury returned indictments for six class B felony charges of Solid Waste Facility Violations.

The indictments included:

- Between March 30, 2020, and March 22, 2023, failure to report to the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services exceedance of permit capacity for unprocessed construction and demolition debris.
- On March 22, 2023, March 18, 2022, and March 11, 2021, submission of an annual facility report with false quantities of waste received by the facility and false representation of compliance with permit terms.

Hammond is stated to be scheduled to be arraigned on the charges in Grafton County Superior Court on February 20th.

A copy of the news release can be downloaded [here](#).