

SI Live - Staten Island woman accused of sneaking pot into prison

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STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. -- A 47-year-old Staten Island woman was arrested after she allegedly tried to sneak marijuana into the Downstate Correctional Facility in the Hudson Valley.

Brenda L. Concepcion of Staten Island faces a misdemeanor charge of promoting prison contraband and a violation of unlawful possession of marijuana following her arrest on Nov. 25, according to a statement from the New York State Police.

Concepcion has been accused of entering the Downstate Correctional Facility in Fishkill with marijuana in her possession while she was visiting an inmate.

The New York State Police was assisted in its arrest by the state Department of Corrections and Community Supervision Office of Special Investigations.