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## **Police: Teen lied about rape to get revenge**

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A village teenager was charged with two misdemeanors Saturday after falsely reporting a rape, according to the Lewis County Sheriff's Office.

Kayla Kelsey, 17, was charged with falsely reporting a crime and giving a false written statement. Kelsey contact the 911 dispatch center to report a rape but later said she lied about the crime to get revenge on another individual, deputies said.

Kelsey was issued appearance tickets and is due back in Port Leyden Village Court at a later date, deputies said.

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