

NEW YORK THEFT LAWYER

Charged with Theft in New York City?

If you are being charged with theft, then you need a [New York criminal lawyer](#) that will stand up for you in the courtroom. You need an attorney that will represent you properly and ensure your freedom.

George Vomvolakis has successfully represented many defendants facing false charges of theft, and he can help you too. His winning record speaks for itself - Vomvolakis is one of New York's most noteworthy and respected defense lawyers. His dedication to his clients and his prowess in the courtroom are unmatched. Every individual case Vomvolakis works with gets close, personal attention, as does each of his clients.

Degree of Theft Charges

The specific charges you may face for theft, or larceny, are dependent upon the monetary value of the goods that were stolen at the time of the theft. There are two types of charges, grand larceny and petit larceny (also known as petty larceny). Petit larceny is a misdemeanor whereas grand larceny of any degree is a felony. It is critically important to have a competent and effective defense attorney, especially if you are being charged with grand larceny.

If the value of the contraband goods is less than 1,000 dollars, the offense is considered petit larceny and will be considered a misdemeanor rather than a [felony](#). Misdemeanors carry much more lenient penalties than grand larceny. Grand larceny of the first degree is committed when one million dollars or more worth of goods is stolen, and it is punishable by up to twenty-five years in prison. There are also fines and court fees that go along with a guilty verdict. This is a Class B felony, which is a very serious charge.

Second degree larceny is a Class C felony punishable by up to fifteen years in prison. Third degree larceny is a Class D felony, and you can receive a maximum sentence of seven years in prison if found guilty. Fourth degree larceny, the smallest felony charge associated with theft, is a Class E felony and punishable by up to four years in prison.

In addition to the criminal case, a civil case could be brought against you as well, costing you even more time and money.

It is for these reasons that you should [contact a New York theft lawyer](#) like George Vomvolakis right away. You deserve the best legal representation available. Call the offices of George Vomvolakis today at (212) 682-0700.