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Ex-Austrian sentenced for fraud

Obama also won in Florida

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USPA NEWS - A native Austrian, was sentenced on Friday, according to a newspaper report in the U.S., because it has made in U.S. presidential elections his voice, without having been authorized to be. The Canadian citizens living in the U.S. since 1992.

He is said to have participated in both 2004 and 2008 to the U.S. presidential election. The 53-year-old apologized to the court: "I'm very sorry," he was quoted by the paper.

Detention and deportation to Canada
The prosecutor recommended, according to the online report, a year and a day in prison for the Canadians. The fact that he had chosen as a non-citizen, the defendant in fact did the voice of a U.S. citizen invalid. The judge imposed loud "Sun Sentinel" ultimately a sentence of five months imprisonment in a federal prison, after the 53-year-old will most likely be deported to Canada.

The Canadian newspaper "The Globe and Mail" reported in September, the man who is a Canadian citizen since 1979, had on the 30th to August guilty in court in Miami is known to have falsely claimed to be U.S. citizens. When he was questioned by investigators of the U.S. homeland security, he had admitted that he had lied about his citizenship in order to select and carry weapons and can buy, according to the newspaper. For it could face up to five years in prison.

Obama also won Florida electors
Far from prisons is Barack Obama: Four days after the U.S. presidential election and the state of Florida has finished counting votes - and declared the incumbent the winner. Obama has got 50.01 percent of the vote, said the local election commission, his Republican challenger Mitt Romney 49.14 percent.

For the outcome of the presidential election that it had no decisive significance anymore because Obama even without Florida had enough electoral votes to the account. The end result is now 332 for Obama and 206 for Romney.

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