



**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION FOR ARREST WARRANT
AND THE ARREST WARRANT FOR THE PERSON(S) OF:**



Jacob Raffit Ibarra 10/16/96 [REDACTED] For
Tampering with Physical Evidence 18-8-610 (1)(a) F6, Cruelty to Animals 18-9-
202(1)(a) M1 and Cruelty to Animals 18-9-202(1.5)(a) M1

I, Detective Wheeler 06041, the Affiant, state under oath that the facts known to the Affiant which establish probable cause to believe that a criminal offense was committed, and that the offense was committed by the above-named person(s), are the following:

On 3/1/21 at approximately 1500 hours, several witnesses observed a dark colored Chevrolet S10 pickup truck with a red tailgate, CO temp 8006610, traveling S/B S Platte River Dr approaching W Mississippi Ave (City and County of Denver) with a dog, connected by a leash, being dragged on the ground along the truck's passenger side. The vehicle was observed going at least 45mph. Witnesses managed to honk their horns and get the vehicle to stop. The driver and a passenger both got out and saw the dog on the ground no longer connected by the leash. Several onlookers were taking pictures of the dog and suspect vehicle. Both then got back in the truck and fled the area without notifying police. Witnesses took the dog to a nearby animal hospital where she was pronounced deceased.

On 3/2/21 at approximately 0934 hours, Denver Animal Protection Officer [REDACTED] responded to initiate an investigation. She contacted all witnesses, learned the facts of this case, and obtained written statements. She also responded to the VRCC Animal Hospital at 3550 S Jason St and took custody of the dog. Master Files was called regarding the temporary tag displayed on the truck and she was informed that it was no record found.

On 3/3/21, Your Affiant, Detective Wheeler 06041, was notified of this incident. Your Affiant created a case and assigned himself as lead investigator at supervisor's request. Your Affiant created a Crime Stoppers Bulletin which was disseminated to the public.

On 3/9/21, Your Affiant received an anonymous tip that the person who committed this crime was someone named "Jacob" with a phone number of 702-4[REDACTED]. This tipster also stated that "Jacob" was currently hiding the suspect vehicle and trying to get rid of it. According to [REDACTED], that phone number is used by Jacob Raffit Ibarra 10/16/96. Further search of the phone number in Accurant showed that it was assigned to Jacob Raffit Ibarra 10/16/96 at an address of 73[REDACTED] E 82nd Ave, Commerce City, CO. Denver Police Fugitive Unit Detectives responded to the Commerce City address and located a vehicle in the yard, locked behind a gate but in view. The vehicle had been spray-painted all black, including the red tailgate, and had no license plate displayed. The vehicle was an exact match to the make and model and also physical characteristics (missing rear bumper) of the suspect vehicle. While holding it for a search warrant, a protective sweep was conducted to ensure no one was inside the vehicle and CO temp 8006610 was observed lying in plain-view on the front passenger seat. The search warrant was written, and vehicle was impounded.

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On 3/10/21, Your Affiant spoke with Ibarra by phone at 702- [REDACTED] and recorded the conversation. Mr. Ibarra confirmed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He at first agreed to meet with Your Affiant in person to make an official statement, but then stated he wouldn't be able to come.

This case was presented to the Denver DA's Office who provided a tentative acceptance of charges against Jacob Raffit Ibarra 10/16/96 [REDACTED] DPD# [REDACTED] for Tampering with Physical Evidence 18-8-610 (1)(a) F6, Cruelty to Animals 18-9-202(1)(a) M1 and Cruelty to Animals 18-9-202(1.5)(a) M1.

Your Affiant respectfully requests an arrest warrant be issued Jacob Raffit Ibarra 10/16/96 [REDACTED] DPD# [REDACTED] for Tampering with Physical Evidence 18-8-610 (1)(a) F6, Cruelty to Animals 18-9-202(1)(a) M1 and Cruelty to Animals 18-9-202(1.5)(a) M1

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I affirm this information to be true and correct

Michael Wheeler 06041

Signature of Affiant

Subscribed under oath before me on

3/11/2021

2:03pm

Date

Time

Adam J. Espinosa

Judge or Notary Public

My commission expires: _____

ARREST WARRANT

To all Sheriffs, Peace Officers and Police Officers with the said State:

You are hereby commanded to take the person of the defendant and bring him without unnecessary delay before a Judge of the County Court to be dealt with according to law.

Bail fixed at \$ at first appearance

Adam J. Espinosa

Signature of Judge

Date 3/11/2021

Adam J. Espinosa

Printed name of Judge

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I executed the above warrant on (date) 03/12/2021 by taking IBARRA, JACOB
_____ (name of person arrested) into custody and placing said person in the DDC Jail for safekeeping until
further order of the court.

R Yoder 91034

Signature of Arresting Officer

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