

STATE OF COLORADO, MUNICIPAL COURT TOWN OF SIMLA

ADVISEMENT PER COLORADO MUNICIPAL COURT RULES

The following are the rights, which you as the Defendant has in this Case:

1. You have the right to remain silent, but any statement you may make can and may be used against you.
2. You have the right to enter a plea of not guilty and have a trial with the Court.
3. You have the right to be represented by an attorney at your own expense throughout the trial and at all proceedings leading up to trial. Advice from an attorney must include any potential impact to your immigration status if you are not a US citizen.
4. You are presumed innocent of the charges pending against you in that the presumption of innocence will remain with you throughout the trial until the prosecution presents evidence to prove you guilty based upon the standard of proof applicable to your offense.
5. Any pleas that you may make must be voluntary and not the result of undue influence or coercion.
6. At the trial you have the right to confront the witnesses called to testify against you and to cross-examine those witnesses.
7. You have the right to present evidence in your own defense at the trial and to compel the attendance of witnesses by subpoena issued by this Court.
8. You have the right to remain silent at the trial or to testify in your own defense as you choose. If you choose to remain silent, your silence cannot be used against you.
9. Depending on the charges, you may have the right to a jury trial by paying the appropriate fees to the Court within ten days from the date of this advisement.
10. After the trial is over, you have the right to appeal to a higher court to review the judgment of the Court.

If you are not a citizen of the United States, you are advised that a conviction may have the consequences of deportation, exclusion from admission to the U.S. or denial of naturalization pursuant to the laws of the United States. Consulting with an attorney is recommended prior to entering a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.

I acknowledge that I have read and understand the elements of the offense and the penalty for the offense stated in the Summons. I understand that the Town would have to prove each element of the offense before I could be convinced of that offense in a trial.