UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : CRIMINAL NO.

:

v. : VIOLATION: Title 18 U.S.C. § 242

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JOSE R. SILVA

<u>INFORMATION</u>

The United States Attorney charges:

COUNT ONE

On or about November 9, 2006, in the District of Connecticut and elsewhere, the defendant, JOSE R. SILVA, a Detective with the New Haven, Connecticut Police Department, did knowingly and willfully act under the color of law, statute and custom to deprive the inhabitants of the City of New Haven of rights, privileges, and immunities secured and protected by the Constitution and laws of the United States, that is the right to be free from unlawful searches and arrests in that defendant JOSE SILVA did (1) during the execution of a search warrant, aid and abet in moving narcotics, by allowing another New Haven Police Officer to move the narcotics, with defendant JOSE R. SILVA's knowledge, from the basement to a bedroom in an apartment, resulting in the unlawful arrest of an individual; and (2) write and sign, under the penalty of state law for making a false statement, a report in which he falsely reported the location of the narcotics seized.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 242.

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