

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	*	CRIMINAL DOCKET NO.: 18-31
v.	*	SECTION: "S"
RUFINO MEJIA-ACOSTA a/k/a Miguel A. Pacheco-Gonzalez	*	VIOLATION: 42 U.S.C. § 408(a)(7)(B)
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FACTUAL BASIS

Were this matter brought to trial, the United States would prove the following through competent evidence beyond a reasonable doubt. On or about July 3, 2017, **RUFINO MEJIA-ACOSTA, a/k/a Miguel A. Pacheco-Gonzalez ("MEJIA-ACOSTA")**, knowingly and with intent to deceive used a false Social Security Number on a United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) "Employment Eligibility Verification" Form I-9. Specifically, **MEJIA-ACOSTA** completed the Form I-9 in connection with his employment at a business located in St. Tammany, Louisiana. On the USCIS Form I-9, **MEJIA-ACOSTA** falsely stated that his Social Security Number was XXX-XX-8565. In fact, the Social Security Number was assigned by the Commissioner of Social Security to another individual.

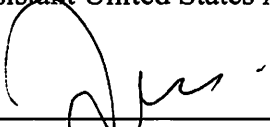
After being advised of his constitutional rights, **MEJIA-ACOSTA** admitted the foregoing facts to agents of Homeland Security, Immigration and Customs Enforcement.



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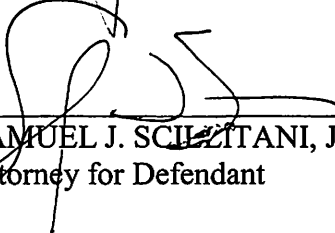
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RUFINO MEJIA-ACOSTA
Defendant

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