

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SAN JOSE DIVISION

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

VS

ROBERT CORDOVA

a/k/a "Robert Cordona"

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NORTH DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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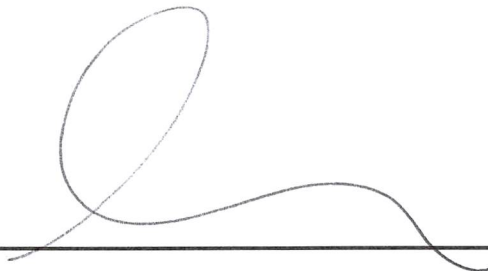
CR-25 00018 BLF SVK

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE: 18 U.S.C. § 2114(a) – Robbery of a United States
Mail Carrier

COUNT TWO: 18 U.S.C. §§ 111(a) and (b) – Assaulting a Federal
Employee

A true bill.



Foreperson

Filed in open court this 23 day of January A.D. 2025



United States Magistrate Judge

Bail. \$ No bail arrest warrant

ISMAIL J. RAMSEY (CABN 189820)
United States Attorney

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT CORDOVA,
a/k/a "Robert Cordona,"

Defendant.

CASE NO.

CR -25 00018 BLF
VIOLATIONS:

18 U.S.C. § 2114(a) – Robbery of a United States
Mail Carrier;

18 U.S.C. §§ 111(a) and (b) – Assaulting a Federal
Employee **SVK**

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNT ONE: (18 U.S.C. § 2114(a) – Robbery of a United States Mail Carrier)

On or about November 22, 2024, in the Northern District of California, the defendant,

ROBERT CORDOVA,
a/k/a Robert Cordona,

did knowingly assault a person having lawful charge, custody, and control of United States mail matter,
money, and other property of the United States, with intent to rob, steal and purloin said mail matter,
money and other property of the United States, and robbed and attempted to rob a person having lawful
charge, control, and custody of mail matter and property of the United States of such mail matter and
property of the United States, and in effecting and attempting to effect said robbery he wounded the

INDICTMENT

1 person having custody of such mail, money, or other property of the United States, all in violation of
2 Title 18, United States Code, Section 2114(a).

3 COUNT TWO: (18 U.S.C. §§ 111(a) and (b) – Assaulting a Federal Employee)

4 On or about November 22, 2024, in the Northern District of California, the defendant,

5 ROBERT CORDOVA,
6 a/k/a Robert Cordona,

7 did forcibly assault, resist, oppose, impede, intimidate, and interfere with a person designated in 18
8 U.S.C. § 1114, to wit: a United States mail carrier, who was engaged in his official duties, and caused
9 physical contact and inflicted bodily injury, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections
10 111(a) and (b).

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12 DATED: 1/23/2025

A TRUE BILL.

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FOREPERSON

ISMAIL J. RAMSEY
United States Attorney

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/s/ NEAL C. HONG
Assistant United States Attorney

DEFENDANT INFORMATION RELATIVE TO A CRIMINAL ACTION - IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT

BY: ☐ COMPLAINT ☐ INFORMATION ☒ INDICTMENT
☐ SUPERSEDING

OFFENSE CHARGED

18 U.S.C. § 2114(a)—Robbery of a United States Mail Carrier
 18 U.S.C. §§ 111(a) and (b) – Assaulting a Federal Employee

☐ Petty
☐ Minor
☐ Misdemeanor
☒ Felony

PENALTY: 18 U.S.C. § 2114(a) maximum penalties: 25 years of imprisonment, \$250,000 fine, 5 years of supervised release, and a \$100 special assessment. 18 U.S.C. §§ 111(a) and (b) maximum penalties: 20 years or imprisonment, \$250,000, 3 years of supervised release, and \$100 special assessment.

Name of District Court, and/or Judge/Magistrate location

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SAN JOSE DIVISION, U.S. DISTRICT COURT
 NORTH DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 SAN JOSE OFFICE

DEFENDANT - U.S.

Robert Cordova

DISTRICT COURT NUMBER

PROCEEDING

Name of Complainant Agency, or Person (& Title, if any)

United States Postal Inspection Service

☒ person is awaiting trial in another Federal or State Court, give name of court

Santa Clara County Court

☐ this person/proceeding is transferred from another district per (circle one) FRCrp 20, 21, or 40. Show District

☐ this is a reprosecution of charges previously dismissed which were dismissed on motion of:

☐ U.S. ATTORNEY ☐ DEFENSE

SHOW DOCKET NO.

☐ this prosecution relates to a pending case involving this same defendant

MAGISTRATE CASE NO.

☐ prior proceedings or appearance(s) before U.S. Magistrate regarding this defendant were recorded under

Name and Office of Person

Furnishing Information on this form Ismail J. Ramsey

☒ U.S. Attorney ☐ Other U.S. Agency

Name of Assistant U.S.

Attorney (if assigned)

Neal C. Hong

IS NOT IN CUSTODY

Has not been arrested, pending outcome this proceeding.

1) ☐ If not detained give date any prior summons was served on above charges

2) ☐ Is a Fugitive

3) ☐ Is on Bail or Release from (show District)

IS IN CUSTODY

4) ☐ On this charge

5) ☐ On another conviction

☐ Federal ☐ State

6) ☒ Awaiting trial on other charges

If answer to (6) is "Yes", show name of institution

Santa Clara County Court

Has detainer been filed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes" give date filed

DATE OF ARREST

Month/Day/Year
 11/22/24

Or... if Arresting Agency & Warrant were not

DATE TRANSFERRED TO U.S. CUSTODY

Month/Day/Year

☐ This report amends AO 257 previously submitted

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS**PROCESS:**

☐ SUMMONS ☐ NO PROCESS* ☒ WARRANT

Bail Amount: none

If Summons, complete following:

☐ Arraignment ☐ Initial Appearance

Defendant Address:

* Where defendant previously apprehended on complaint, no new summons or warrant needed, since Magistrate has scheduled arraignment

Date/Time:

Before Judge:

Comments:

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CRIMINAL COVER SHEET

Instructions: Effective November 1, 2016, this Criminal Cover Sheet must be completed and submitted, along with the Defendant Information Form, for each new criminal case.

CASE NAME:

USA v. Robert Cordova

CASE NUMBER:

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Is This Case Under Seal?

Yes

No

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Total Number of Defendants:

1

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2-7

8 or more

SVK

Does this case involve ONLY charges under 8 U.S.C. § 1325 and/or 1326?

Yes

No

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Venue (Per Crim. L.R. 18-1):

SF

OAK

SJ

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Is this a potential high-cost case?

Yes

No

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Is any defendant charged with a death-penalty-eligible crime?

Yes

No

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Is this a RICO Act gang case?

Yes

No

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Assigned AUSA

(Lead Attorney): Neal C. Hong

Date Submitted: January 23, 2025

Comments: