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WOMAN CHARGED IN HUSBAND'S MURDER

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has charged a woman accused of murdering her husband last week.

Debra Evans (DOB: 03-16-54) is charged with *first-degree murder, after deliberation* (F1).

On April 14, 2006, Denver police officers responded to the 1900 block of East 17th Avenue on a report of a stabbing. The charges allege that Debra Evans stabbed her husband, Clifford Evans. He was later pronounced dead at Denver Health Medical Center.

Evans remains in custody in the Denver County Jail. She is scheduled to be formally advised of the charge on April 21, 2006 at 9 a.m. in Denver County Court, room 12T.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. *See* Colo. RPC 3.6