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DNA LEADS TO CHARGES IN SEXUAL ASSAULT CASE

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man accused in a brutal sexual assault that occurred last December.

Cung Van Do (dob: 10-20-78) is charged with *sexual assault* (F2) and *kidnapping* (F2).

The charges allege that on December 7, 2007, the defendant attacked a 33-year-old woman in the 500 block of Santa Fe, forcing her into his vehicle at knifepoint and later assaulting her. An arrest warrant was recently issued when a DNA profile submitted in connection with the case came back as a match. Do was located in Avon, Colorado last week by Avon police and was taken into custody on the Denver warrant. His bond is set at \$1 million dollars.

He is scheduled to appear for formal advisement on Tuesday, May 27, 2008 at 9 a.m. in Denver County Courtroom 12T.

The Cold Case DNA Project is an ongoing collaborative effort involving Denver police detectives, the Denver Police Department Crime Lab and the Denver District Attorney's Office with grant funding through the National Institute of Justice.

