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DRIVER CHARGED IN DEADLY CRASH

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a woman accused of causing a crash that killed two women from Connecticut last week.

Sandra Jacobson (dob: 01-19-69) is charged with two counts of *vehicular homicide* (F3), two counts of *leaving the scene of an accident resulting in death* (F4), and *DUI* (M).

The charges allege that on January 28, 2009 at about 10:30 a.m., Jacobson was driving northbound on Pena Boulevard under the influence of alcohol when she caused a fatal crash involving a taxi cab. The crash resulted in the death of 71-year-old Kathryn McClelland and 54-year-old Kathleen Krasniewicz and resulted in injuries to the driver, 27-year-old Nejmudean Abdusalam.

Jacobson has been released from custody on a \$50,000 bond. She is scheduled to appear in Denver County Court, room 12T, on February 13, 2009 at 9 a.m. to be formally advised of the charges.

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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