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COUPLE PLEADS GUILTY TO LEAVING CHILD IN TOWED CAR

A man and woman accused of leaving their child unattended in a car that was later towed have pleaded guilty in connection with the case.

Rene Calderon (dob: 03-04-78) and **Guadalupe Torres-Sanchez** (dob: 01-29-78) have each pleaded guilty to attempted child abuse, a class 2 misdemeanor. Calderon pleaded guilty earlier this year and is scheduled for sentencing on April 15, 2011. Torres-Sanchez pleaded guilty yesterday and was sentenced to one year of probation and was ordered to attend parenting classes.

The charges stemmed from an incident on November 30, 2010, when a towing firm called the Denver Police Department to report that a child had been found inside a vehicle the company had towed from 2146 Curtis Street.