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FORMER TEACHER SENTENCED FOR BOMB THREAT

A former substitute teacher accused of leaving a note with a bomb threat at an elementary school last fall has pleaded guilty and been sentenced in connection with the incident.

Jennifer Gomes (04-07-69) pleaded guilty earlier to *false reporting of explosives* (F6). She appeared in Denver District Court today and was sentenced to four years of mental health probation; one of the conditions of the probation is that she serve 180 days of in-home detention.

On October 17, 2011, at about 2:15 p.m., a note was found inside the main entrance of Escuela de Guadalupe and 3401 Pecos Street that stated, "There is a bomb inside." Gomes, who worked at the school, was later arrested and charged.

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