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MAN SENTENCED IN VEHICULAR ASSAULT

A man accused of driving into three Denver police officers on bicycles last December, seriously injuring one of the officers, has been sentenced in connection with the case.

Christopher Booker (dob: 03-09-73) pleaded guilty earlier this year to *vehicular assault* (F5) and *attempt to influence a public servant* (F4). Today he was sentenced in Denver District Court to six years in Community Corrections.

On December 3, 2014, Booker was driving a vehicle that crashed into three Denver police officers who were on bicycles at Colfax Avenue and High Street. Officer John Adsit was seriously injured after being caught underneath the vehicle and dragged. Booker knew he should not be driving, because of a medical condition, but he gave untruthful information to the Colorado Department of Motor Vehicles to obtain a driver's license.

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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

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