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**CRIMINAL COMPLAINT** 

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## TABLE OF AUTHORITIES - CRIMINAL COMPLAINT BY PRIVATE PERSON

The Idaho Supreme Court has interpreted the following statute and rule as allowing a criminal complaint to be filed by a private citizen. See State v. Murphy, 584 P.2d 1236 (Idaho), Idaho Code, I.C. §19-501, and I.C.R., Rule 3 of the <u>Idaho Criminal Rules</u>.

Idaho Code §19-501 provides:

"Definition of Complaint. The complaint is the allegation in writing, made to a magistrate, that a person has been guilty of some designated public offense."

Rule 3 of the Idaho Criminal Rules provides:

"The complaint is a written statement of the essential facts constituting the offense charged. It shall be made upon oath before a magistrate; provided, a prosecuting attorney may, without oath or affirmation, sign a complaint before a magistrate based upon the sworn affidavit of a complainant, which shall be filed with the court. Except as otherwise provided by <a href="mailto:law">law</a> or rule, all criminal proceedings shall be initiated by complaint or indictment and prosecuted thereafter by complaint, indictment or information as hereinafter provided by these rules."

## NOTICE TO THE AGENT IS NOTICE TO THE PRINCIPAL PARTIES AND ALLEGATION OF JURISDICTION

Plaintiff/complainant is a "national" of the Idaho state, See 8 USC §1101(21), a de jure Citizen domiciled within the territory boundaries of the state of Idaho, who declares a "reasonable expectation of privacy," and, therefore, has "standing" in this Honorable Court. Accused persons are citizens of the State of Idaho or working within the State of Idaho.

28 USC §1331(c)(1) provides:

"a corporation shall be deemed to be a citizen of any State by which it has been incorporated and of the State where it has its principal place of business."