

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
**RETURN TO SEARCH WARRANT**

DET Lisa Sanchez-Padilla being sworn says that he/she conducted a search pursuant to the below described search warrant:  
(Name of Affiant)

Issuing Magistrate: Renee Korn,  
Magistrate's Court: Superior/Municipal Court, Department 45, Judicial District  
Date of Issuance: April 11, 2012,  
Date of Service: April 13, 2012,

and searched the following location(s), vehicle(s), and person(s):

TransUnionConsumer Credit  
Custodian of Records  
P.O. Box 1240  
Allex, TX 75013  
(Credit Reports for Hervey Medellin, Gabriel Campos, and William Ladewig)

Experian Custodian of Records  
555 West Adams Street  
Chicago, IL 60661  
(Credit Reports for Hervey Medellin, Gabriel Campos, and William Ladewig)

and seized the items\*

- described in the attached and incorporated inventory.
- described below:

Robbery-Homicide Division detectives received credit reports for the aforementioned individuals from TransUnion and Experian. All credit reports returned pursuant to this search warrant have been stored on a CD. The CD is in custody with the Los Angeles Police Department, Robbery-Homicide Division, within the Murder Book DR No. 12-0605881.

I further swear that this is a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me pursuant to the search warrant, and that pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1528 and 1536 this property will be retained in my custody, subject to the order of this court or of any other court in which the offense in respect to which the seized property is triable.

Lisa M. Sanchez-Padilla  
(Signature of Affiant)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of JUNE, 20 12

C.H. REHM  
(Signature of Magistrate)

Judge of the Superior Court, LOS ANGELES, CENTRAL Judicial District

\*List all items seized, including those not specifically listed on the warrant.

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**SEARCH WARRANT AND AFFIDAVIT  
(AFFIDAVIT)**

Lisa M. Sanchez-Padilla, Affiant, swears under oath that the facts expressed by him/her in the attached and incorporated **Statement of Probable Cause** are true and that based thereon he/she has probable cause to believe and does believe that the property described below is lawfully seizable pursuant to Penal Code Section 1524, as indicated below, and is now located at the locations set forth below. Wherefore, affiant requests that this Search Warrant be issued.

*Lisa M. Sanchez-Padilla*  
(Signature of Affiant)

HOBBS SEALING REQUESTED: YES  NO   
NIGHT SEARCH REQUESTED: YES  NO

**(SEARCH WARRANT)**

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO ANY SHERIFF, POLICEMAN OR PEACE OFFICER IN THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES: proof by affidavit having been made before me by Detective Lisa M. Sanchez-Padilla (Affiant) that there is probable cause to believe that the property described herein may be found at the locations set forth herein and that it is lawfully seizable pursuant to Penal Code Section 1524 as indicated below by "x" (s) in that it:

- it was stolen or embezzled.
- it was used as the means of committing a felony.
- it is possessed by a person with the intent to use it as means of committing a public offense or is possessed by another to whom he or she may have delivered it for the purpose of concealing it or preventing its discovery.
- it tends to show that a felony has been committed or that a particular person has committed a felony.
- it tends to show that sexual exploitation of a child, in violation of P.C. Section 311.3, or possession of matter depicting sexual conduct of a person under the age of 18 years, in violation of Section 311.11, has occurred or is occurring.
- there is a warrant to arrest the person.

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YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED TO SEARCH:

See attached and incorporated description pages.

FOR THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

See attached and incorporated description pages.



AND TO SEIZE IF FOUND and bring it forthwith before me, or this court, at the courthouse of this court. This Search Warrant and incorporated Affidavit was sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of April, 2012, at 10:09 A.M./P.M. Wherefore, I find probable cause for issuance of this Search Warrant and do issue it.

*RK*

RENEE KORN

HOBBS SEALING APPROVED:  
NIGHT SEARCH APPROVED:

YES  NO   
YES  NO   
Judicial District.

Judge of the Superior Court, Los Angeles Central Criminal

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1 **EquiFax**

2 Custodian of records

3 1600 Peachtree Street

4 Atlanta, GA 30309

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6 **Experian**

7 Custodian of Records

8 P.O. Box 1240

9 Allen, TX 75013

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11 **TransUnion**

12 Custodian of Records

13 555 West Adams Street

14 Chicago, IL 60661



15 Please provide a copy of a complete Credit Report for Hervey Coronado Medellin, Gabriel Campos-  
16 Martinez, and William C. Ladewig and any and all records/documents pertaining to the Credit  
17 Report records. The personal identifiers for Hervey Coronado Medellin, Gabriel Campos-Martinez  
18 and William C. Ladewig are listed below. Also, please provide any and all information pertaining  
19 to Medellin, Campos-Martinez, and Ladewig's Credit Profiles, Credit Reports, Credit Histories,  
20 Account Summaries, Any Public Records, Credit Inquiries, Payment Summaries, Personal  
21 information, any complaints of Identity Theft reported on this account, any report of any Fraud alerts  
22 to this account.

23 **Hervey Coronado Medellin**

24 **Social Security Number:** [REDACTED]

25 **Date of Birth:** [REDACTED]

26 **California Driver's License** [REDACTED]

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1 Last Known addresses:

- 2 1) 6238 De Longpre Avenue, Apt 319  
3 Los Angeles, CA 90028  
4 2) 4627 Finley Avenue, Apt 102  
5 Los Angeles CA 90027  
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7 Gabriel Campos-Martinez

8 Social Security Number: None

9 Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

10 California Driver's License: None

11 Last Known addresses:

- 12 1) [REDACTED]  
13 [REDACTED]  
14 2) [REDACTED]  
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William Norman Ladewig

Social Security Number: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

California Driver's License: [REDACTED]

Last Known addresses:

- 1) [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- 2) [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]



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1 Your affiant, Lisa M. Sanchez-Padilla, Serial No. 25999, has been a Police Officer for the Los  
2 Angeles Police Department since May 2, 1988, nearly 24 years. During her tenure, your affiant has  
3 worked various investigation assignments for the past 14 years. Your affiant is currently assigned to  
4 Robbery-Homicide Division, Homicide Special Section II and is responsible for conducting homicide  
5 investigations that are assigned to your affiant that occur in the City of Los Angeles. During the past  
6 14 years, your affiant has participated in a variety of investigative assignments, and has been  
7 responsible for the investigation of crimes that include murders, attempted murders, robberies, and  
8 violent crimes against persons. Additionally, your affiant has been an investigating officer in over 30  
9 homicides.

10 Your affiant has attended numerous classes and seminars pertaining to criminal investigations  
11 provided by the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department,  
12 and various other local governmental agencies. Some of these classes include Detective Training  
13 School, the Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigator Core Course and Homicide Course, the  
14 Behavior Analysis Training Institute's 40-hour Interview and Interrogation School, the LAPD's  
15 Supervisor School, the LAPD's Major Assault Crime Investigators School and Wiretap course. In  
16 addition to practical investigative experience, your affiant has worked with, spoken with, and  
17 obtained instruction from numerous detectives with more experience than myself in order to learn  
18 proper investigative protocol in reference to crime scene investigation, evidence preservation, and  
19 interview/interrogation regarding homicide investigations.  
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1 On January 17, 2012, Los Angeles Police Officers from Hollywood Division responded to a radio  
2 call of a found human head in the hills of Griffith Park near the Hollywood sign. The address was 3200  
3 Canyon Drive in a location called Bronson Canyon. The head appeared to have rolled down the hill  
4 after a dog being walked by hikers in the area, disturbed a possible bag that contained the head. The  
5 bag was a shopping bag from the 99 cents store. There was also a clear plastic bag next to it that  
6 appeared to have contained blood.

7 Due to the potential complexity of this case involving a dismembered human being, this case was  
8 assigned to Robbery-Homicide Division, Detectives Lisa Sanchez-Padilla, Serial No. 25999 and  
9 Charles Knolls, Serial No. 25142. Over the next three days, a detailed search was conducted of the area  
10 in hopes of finding additional body parts and a possible crime scene. A search of the area revealed a  
11 shallow grave approximately 4 feet by 3 feet above where the head was found. The grave appeared to  
12 only be approximately 6-7 inches deep and had concrete cinder blocks placed on top. Robbery-  
13 Homicide Division detectives removed some of the dirt and recovered another plastic bag from "Rite  
14 Aid." Detectives opened the bag and discovered two human feet and a human right hand. Los Angeles  
15 County Coroner Investigators responded to the scene and took possession of the body parts.

16 On January 18, 2012, the Coroner's Office obtained prints from the recovered right hand and  
17 forwarded the prints to Scientific Identification Division, Records & Identifications where the prints  
18 were inputted into the Latent Automated Fingerprint System (LAFIS). On January 19, 2012, Detective  
19 James King, Serial No. 30479, RHD, spoke with Fingerprint Identification Expert, Peter Barajas, Serial  
20 No. N1908, who made a positive confirmation of the fingerprints as Hervey Medellin a.k.a. Erby  
21 Florentin Medellin with a date of birth of November 16, 1945.

22 A records search on the victim revealed that a Missing Persons report was made on January 16,  
23 2012, at Hollywood Station. The person making the report was identified as Gabriel [REDACTED]  
24 He described himself as the victim's domestic partner and they lived together at 6238 De Longpre  
25 Avenue, Apartment 319, in Hollywood Division. [REDACTED] advised the Hollywood desk officer  
26 that he last saw the victim on [REDACTED]  
27 [REDACTED] stated that the victim was supposed to travel to Mexico and return to the United States on January 6,  
28 2012. Medellin had not returned.

29 Further investigation was done on how the missing person report was made. Detective  
30 Susan Antenucci, Serial No. 26784, RHD, met with Hollywood Detective Jim Hays, Serial No. 22768.  
31 Detective Hays stated that on January 16, 2012, he received a "We Tip" from Crime Stoppers. The



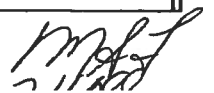
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1 person described the missing Victim Medellin. The Tipster reported that he/she had received e-mail  
2 messages stating that Medellin was in Mexico and had not returned; the e-mails were sent from the  
3 victim's e-mail account. The Tipster gave the e-mail address of the victim as hcoronado7@att.net.

4 Because of the suspicious nature of the We Tip, Detective Hays conducted a follow-up to the  
5 apartment and spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] told Detective Hays that on the  
6 morning [REDACTED] Medellin woke up [REDACTED] told him he was going to go  
7 to Mexico. [REDACTED] said when he got up he realized that Medellin had left his car and his cell  
8 phone in the apartment. [REDACTED] there was nothing out of the ordinary. Detective Hays  
9 asked [REDACTED] to go with him to Hollywood Station and make a report. [REDACTED]

10 made the report because of Detective Hays and not on his own. [REDACTED] also came to  
11 Hollywood Station later in the day and appeared to be crying uncontrollably and asked for a copy of the  
12 report. It should also be noted that prior to Detective Hays bringing [REDACTED] to Hollywood  
13 Station, Detective Hays made a cursory search of the apartment and did not see anything to indicate  
14 human blood or evidence of a crime scene.  
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16 Your affiant found no police reports involving victim Hervey Medellin. Your affiant then reviewed  
17 crime reports involving [REDACTED] Your affiant reviewed three crime reports in which  
18 [REDACTED] is listed as the victim of a Violation of a Restraining Order. All of those crime  
19 reports were completed in 2011. The suspect in that case is named on the crime reports as  
20 William Ladewig (male white with a [REDACTED] The reports revealed that  
21 Ladewig was involved in a sexual relationship with [REDACTED] in the crime reports, it is  
22 revealed that [REDACTED] is scared of Ladewig [REDACTED] also reported in one of the  
23 crime reports that Ladewig told [REDACTED] that his new roommate (referring to Medellin) and  
24 his dog "would be sorry." Ladewig also told [REDACTED] "You fucked with the wrong guy!"  
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1 Your affiant read the detectives notes on the three crime reports and learned that [REDACTED]  
2 had been in a three year relationship with William Ladewig. When [REDACTED] ended the  
3 relationship, Ladewig became irate. It should be noted that the crime reports were deemed unfounded  
4 because Ladewig had not been properly served with the restraining order.

5 On January 19, 2012, [REDACTED] consented to an interview with detectives. During the  
6 interview, [REDACTED] admitted to sharing bank accounts with the victim. [REDACTED]  
7 unemployed. During the course of the interview, [REDACTED] provided inconsistent and  
8 suspicious statements. Thus, detectives asked if Campos-Martinez would consent to a polygraph  
9 examination. [REDACTED] consented. The results of the polygraph examination revealed  
10 [REDACTED] was being deceitful of dismembering the victim's body and having knowledge of the  
11 victim's murder.

12 Additionally, during the interview [REDACTED] advised that he had access to Victim  
13 Medellin's bank account, use of Medellin's ATM card, and knowledge of Medellin's social security  
14 number. Detectives' investigation determined that [REDACTED] used Medellin's ATM card and  
15 had Medellin's monthly social security funds deposited into a bank account he had access to.  
16 Detectives further discovered that Campos-Martinez was utilizing the internet to make bank inquiries,  
17 social security inquiries, vehicle websites, housing websites, and gold and diamond websites.  
18 Detectives believe [REDACTED] may have been researching vehicle website to possibly make a  
19 purchase and housing websites for relocation. Furthermore, detectives believe he was researching the  
20 gold and diamond websites to possibly sell such items owned by the victim.

21 **Note:** [REDACTED] stated that he still had an active joint bank account with Ladewig.

22 On February 17, 2012, Detectives interviewed Ladewig and he agreed to a polygraph exam. The results  
23 of the polygraph examination showed inconclusive.

24 **Note:** During the interview with Ladewig he admitted to having a joint bank account with [REDACTED]  
25 [REDACTED] but indicated that he could not close it. Additionally, Ladewig indicated throughout the  
26 interview that [REDACTED] was the love of his life and that he was still having a hard time with the  
break-up; however, he denied having any problems with the Victim [REDACTED]

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1 Your affiant believes [REDACTED] is involved in the murder of victim Hervey Medellin. At  
2 this time, investigators are attempting to gather additional evidence as to how and why Victim  
3 Medellin was killed and determine where the initial crime took place.

4 Your affiant believes that information revealed from the credit reports for Medellin [REDACTED]  
5 [REDACTED] and Ladewig will provide investigators with the account information and banking records used  
6 by [REDACTED] and Ladewig.

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