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Unlicensed Contractor With Multiple Identities Indicted; Faces Possible Deportation



Guerra-Chavez

Glenn Alejandro Guerra-Chavez, 37, aka Jaime Orellana, Glenn Alejandro Guerra and also known by 16 other aliases with six birth dates and four Social Security numbers, was recently indicted in U.S. District Court in Reno for allegedly entering the country illegally. Guerra-Chavez was taken into custody at Reno Justice Court in May, after he pled not guilty to a citation issued by the NSCB for *advertising without a contractor's license*. He had been advertising as the "King of Kings Handyman" on Craigslist.

U.S. Immigration & Customs Enforcement (ICE) has taken custody of Guerra-Chavez, while he awaits trial in July for allegedly entering the country illegally. Court documents reveal that he previously served time in the California Penal System for robbery and has twice been deported for illegally entering the United States. Guerra-Chavez was identified through a passport provided to U.S. Immigration & Customs Enforcement.

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“The NSCB conducts stings and cites unlicensed contractors in an effort to free our neighborhoods of these contractors, who prey on innocent consumers,” said Margi Grein, Executive Officer of the Nevada State Contractors Board. “Consumers need to be careful before inviting a contractor into their home. Always check out their license first.”

Contracting without a license in Nevada is a misdemeanor for the first offense, a gross misdemeanor for the second offense and a Class E felony for the third offense. Homeowners who use unlicensed contractors are not eligible for the Residential Recovery Fund, and by law their contracts are null and void.

Consumers can check whether a contractor is licensed by calling: (702) 486-1100 in Southern Nevada, or (775) 688-1141 in Northern Nevada. License checks can also be conducted on the NSCB website at: **www.nscb.state.nv.us**

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