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Animal Cruelty Arrest

Date: August 6, 2020
Location: 5721 Tropicana
Offender: 22 –year old Jennifer De La Cruz

Animal Cruelty Investigations detectives arrested another pet owner for the inhumane treatment of a pet. On July 11th, the carcass of a female German Shepherd was found tied to a metal pole in the backyard of the residence at 5721 Tropicana. Empty bowls, presumably for water and food were found in the yard but they were beyond the reach of the length of chain tied to the dog. Shade was not available for the dog and ground temperature at that time of discovery of the carcass was 152 degrees. 22 –year old Jennifer De La Cruz was booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility.



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