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MEDIA RELEASE

Arapahoe County Sheriff Investigates Child Homicide

On October 17, 2005 at 11:18AM the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office received a call of an unresponsive baby who was in the master bedroom of the apartment at:

**1139 South Xenia Street - Unit A
Denver, CO 80231**

Upon arrival deputies and rescue personnel contacted

**Titchenor, Steven Scott
DOB 11/08/81; Age 23**

who is the father of the child. The 14-month old male was transported by Cunningham Fire/Rescue to Children's Hospital for treatment of head injuries. The child is identified as:

Titchenor, Brandon Scott, Age 14 months

During the investigation it was determined that Steven Scott Titchenor was the only one home with Brandon when the injuries occurred. Steven Scott Titchenor was taken into custody on two outstanding warrants. The warrants are for Contempt of Court – Possession of Scheduled II Drugs – Arapahoe County – Bond \$3,000; and Failure to Appear – Assault – Aurora Police – Bond \$1,500

On October 19, 2005 at about 6:20 PM Brandon Titchenor passed away at Children's Hospital as a result of his injuries.

Steven Scott Titchenor, the child's father, will be charged with violations of the following:

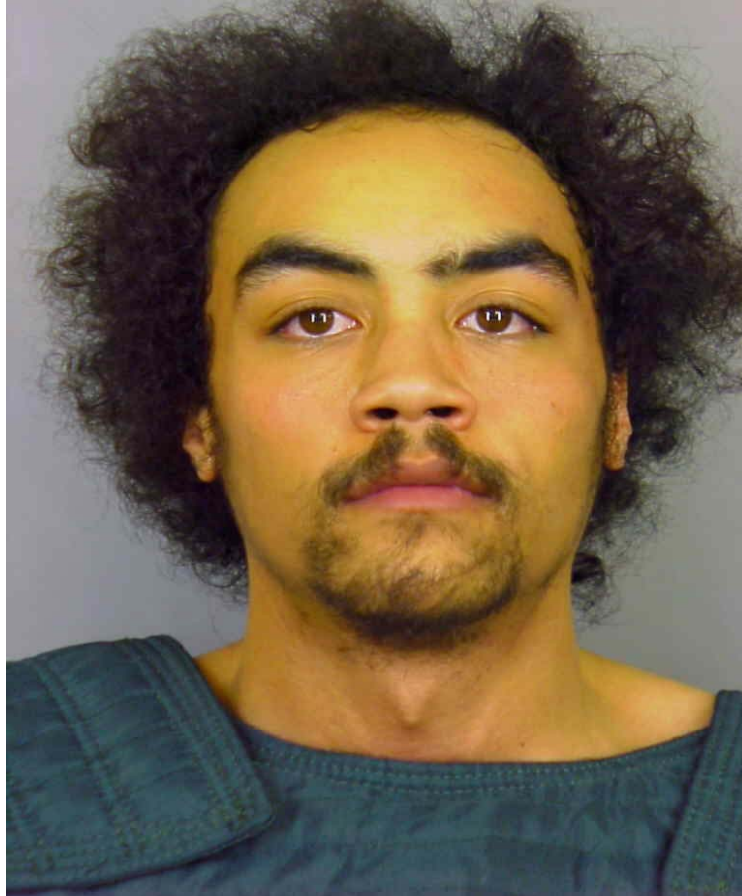
18-3-102 C.R.S., - Murder In The First Degree, a Class 1 Felony

A Class 1 Felony is punishable, upon conviction, by a sentence of life imprisonment within the Department of Corrections or death.

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18-6-401 C.R.S., - Child Abuse Resulting In Death, a Class 2 Felony

A Class 2 Felony is punishable, upon conviction, by a sentence of 8–24 years imprisonment within the Department of Corrections.



Titchenor, Steven Scott

For additional information contact Sheriff Grayson Robinson at 720.874.4165.

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