## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA \* CRIMINAL DOCKET NO.: 19-169

\* SECTION: "T"

LUIS FELIPE PALAFOX-ALVAREZ \*

v.

FACTUAL BASIS

Were this matter brought to trial, the United States would prove the following through competent evidence beyond a reasonable doubt. On or about August 14, 2019, LUIS FELIPE PALAFOX-ALVAREZ, ("PALAFOX-ALVAREZ"), knowingly and with intent to deceive presented a false Social Security card when signing in for a pre-employment safety class at the Gulf Coast Safety Council in St Rose, Louisiana. The defendant was to take a safety course, which his employer required as a condition of employment. Specifically, PALAFOX-ALVAREZ, falsely represented that his Social Security Number was XXX-XX-3526. In fact, the Social Security Number was assigned by the Commissioner of Social Security to another individual.

After being advised of his constitutional rights, PALAFOX-ALVAREZ admitted the foregoing facts to agents of the Department of Homeland Security, Immigration and Customs Enforcement. PALAFOX-ALVAREZ is a native and citizen of Mexico, who has no claim of

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United States Citizenship. Computer checks confirmed that **PALAFOX-ALVAREZ** was in possession of a fraudulent Social Security card with Social Security Number XXX-XX-3526 which belongs to a United States citizen.

JULIA K. EVANS

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Oct 1st 2019

LUIS FELIPE PALAFOX-ALVAREZ LUIS FELIPE PALAFOX-ALVAREZ

Defendant/

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