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REPEATED UNLICENSED CONTRACTOR ARRESTED

(Las Vegas, NV) – Falakesi Puta, suspected of a string of alleged incidents of contracting without a license, was arrested recently by the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department Fugitive Detail, acting upon a request by the Nevada State Contractors Board. Puta was arrested on eleven (11) outstanding warrants including nine for contracting without a license, one for obtaining money under false pretenses and one for check fraud. Puta's history of alleged unlicensed contracting charges go back as far as 1996, leaving a string of victims around the Las Vegas Valley. Puta is currently in the Clark County Detention Center under \$35,000.00 cash bail and is awaiting trial on these charges.

Charges against Puta were the result of investigations by the Nevada State Contractors Board Special Investigations Unit. Puta's arrest was a significant goal of the Contractors Board.

NRS 624 makes contracting without a license a Misdemeanor for the first offense, a Gross Misdemeanor for the second offense, and a Class E Felony for the third offense.

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