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Change of address

The Nicholson Nugget: "Doing jury trials is like cooking. Anybody can learn how to do it but not everyone can do it well.

The Law Office of Mark Nicholson is starting the new year in a new office. The new address is <u>6437 Rucker Road, Suite E-1, Indianapolis, IN 46220</u>



MARK NICHOLSON



Founder and owner of the Law Office of Mark Nicholson

It's a Travesty of Justice when the government charges the wrong person with a crime or violates your rights. I am the attorney known for fighting against these unfortunate travesties. I will fight for you!

If the government comes knocking you need to come calling, the Law Office of Mark Nicholson. We are here to help you fight against false accusations, inaccurate police reports, and violations of your constitutional rights. If you have been charged with a crime, I will fight for you.

I will fight for the protection of your constitutional rights and a fair hearing. From misdemeanor to felonies. From State to Federal. Inside of Marion County or Outside of Marion County. Remember, it's a travesty of justice when the government comes knocking but you need to come calling, <u>The Law Office of</u> <u>Mark Nicholson</u>, for a free consultation.

DNA

Last year the *Indiana Lawyer* published an article about a law in Indiana that allows for authorities to take a DNA sample.



Indiana authorities are now required required under state law to collect a DNA sample from those who are arrested for a felony crime. The law that took effect requires that police collect a DNA cheek swab, along with fingerprints and photographs, during the booking process. That will enable law enforcement to check a database for matches with DNA evidence gathered in other crimes.

The sample may be expunded from the system if an arrestee is acquitted, a charge is lowered below a felony, or if no charges are filed after a year. State legislators approved the law in April of 2017. Supporters contended it would help solve crimes, along with exonerating the innocent. Critics argued the DNA collection goes against the U.S. Constitution's protection from unreasonable search and seizure. With the change in law, Indiana joins the majority of states that collect DNA samples from felony arrestees.

If you have been arrested for a felony or misdemeanor and need the assistance of an experienced attorney with a <u>5 star rating</u>, call the Law Office of Mark Nicholson at 317-667-0718