



Dear District Attorney Gonzalez,

We are Janelle Babington and Penny Eims, animal welfare petitioners with AnimalVictory.org. We recently created a petition asking for Kaleem Gholsby to receive the maximum punishment for his 3rd Degree Felony charge of Cruelty of a Non-Livestock Animal, which resulted from video documented abuse of a cat named Baja.

Gholsby's cruel actions were captured on video and shared on various social media outlets. Thanks to the video footage, he was identified and arrested, and the cat was found and taken to a veterinarian for care.

**Over 14,600 people**, hoping to see Gholsby punished, have signed our petition (please see link for signatures and comments). It is our hope that this young man will receive the maximum sentence for his crime, and that a strong sentence now will deter him from violent behavior in the future. It is well documented that people who commit acts of cruelty to animals frequently move on to harm humans. Kaleem Gholsby must face repercussions for his actions now, before he hurts another animal, or a person.

We look forward to hearing back from you about the status of this case. If we do not receive the courtesy of a response, we will be in touch again soon.

Thank you for your time and hard work on this case.

[https://www.animalvictory.org/football\\_player\\_facing\\_felony\\_charge\\_for\\_slamming\\_cat\\_to\\_ground](https://www.animalvictory.org/football_player_facing_felony_charge_for_slamming_cat_to_ground)

Very Truly,

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