

CPL ARTICLE 110:
LOCAL CRIMINAL COURT ARRAIGNMENT.

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If an individual is arrested without a warrant *before* a criminal case is file, he may be brought to court immediately, or in the alternative given an "appearance ticket" requiring him to show up on a future date.

Upon the filing of an instrument, if the defendant is not then present, the Court can either issue a summons, or warrant.

Whenever an instrument charging a crime is filed with a local court *other* than NYC, a copy must be transmitted to the District Attorney on or before arraignment.

If such instrument is a police/peace officer's Simplified Information, that agency transmits it to the D.A.; otherwise the clerk.