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## **Special Agent Jamie Haase (Fmr.) U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Fredericksburg, VA**

Jamie Haase is a former special agent for U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, where he investigated and prosecuted crimes including human trafficking, narcotics smuggling, and money laundering. Before that, he served as a U.S. Customs Inspector where his primary responsibilities included reviewing manifests, targeting shipments, and inspecting arriving vessels and cargo for suspected contraband. He was involved in numerous narcotics seizures, most of which involved cocaine stashed aboard vessels that had travelled through the Panama Canal.

For a brief time, he was stationed in Laredo, Texas, and worked on a task-force where he investigated drug cases and seized thousands of pounds of marijuana. He also assisted in multiple investigations involving money and guns being smuggled from the U.S. into Mexico.

During his time on the border, Haase was particularly struck by the contrast between punishment for the end user versus drug smugglers, who are often able to evade and game prosecution. Eventually, he resigned from government work, primarily over his views against marijuana prohibition. He believes that once the drug industry is regulated and controlled, the Mexican government will finally have a fighting chance against the brutal cartels and the violence they create south of the border and in the U.S.

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