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## Salinas Man Charged with Murder for Deadly Oxnard Stabbing

VENTURA, Calif. – Ventura County District Attorney Erik Nasarenko announced today that Gonzalo Garcia Rodriguez (DOB 03/05/01), of Salinas, has been charged with the first-degree murder of Eugenio Lopez Ramirez. Garcia Rodriguez also faces special allegations and aggravating circumstances, including use of a deadly weapon, causing great bodily injury, and that the victim was vulnerable. He pled not guilty to all charges at today's arraignment.

On February 23, 2025, Garcia Rodriguez allegedly stabbed Mr. Ramirez multiple times before fleeing the scene. The Oxnard Police Department responded to a 911 call, and Mr. Ramirez was transported to Ventura County Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead.

After a two-week investigation, detectives identified Garcia Rodriguez as the murder suspect and former boyfriend of Mr. Ramirez's girlfriend. At the time of his arrest for the murder, he was already in custody at the Ventura County Jail for a domestic violence case.

Senior Deputy District Attorney Amber Lee, a member of the Ventura County District Attorney's Office Major Crimes Homicides Unit, is prosecuting the case.

Garcia Rodriguez is scheduled to return to court for an early disposition conference on April 21, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in courtroom 12 of the Ventura County Superior Court. He remains in custody without bail.

**Case: 2025006191**

**Defendant Information:**

Gonzalo Garcia Rodriguez (DOB 03/05/01)  
Salinas

**Charges:**

- PC 187(a) – Murder

**Special Allegations:**

- PC 189 – First-degree murder
- PC 12022(b)(1) – Use of deadly weapon
- PC 1203.075 – Crime committed with great bodily injury
- CRC 4.421(a)(3) – Victim was vulnerable