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PRESS RELEASE

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Re: Parole Denied - Carrera

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Hector Carrera, age 74 of Modesto, was found unsuitable for parole at a November 18, 2015 hearing of the State Board of Parole Hearings in Stockton, California. Carrera was convicted in 1993 of attempted murder with premeditation and given a life sentence. The victim was his ex-wife, Sylvia Carrera.

Deputy District Attorney Randy Fischer appeared at the hearing and argued for continued confinement based on a psychological assessment that Carrera presents a moderate risk for violence as well as his lack of programming while incarcerated. The Board of Parole Hearings agreed and denied parole for an additional three years.

Hector Carrera had previously been denied parole in 2008 and 2010. He will be scheduled for another hearing in 2018.

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