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Re: Alejandro Boris
Convicted killer denied parole

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Alejandro Boris, age 68, of Cuba was found unsuitable for parole during a November 14, 2018, hearing of the State Board of Parole Hearings held at the prison facility in Stockton. Deputy District Attorney Randy Fischer appeared at the hearing on behalf of the People.

On March 12, 1982, victim Rudy Gutierrez saw Boris stealing gasoline from his vehicle and confronted him. Boris pulled out a knife and chased Gutierrez down the street. When Gutierrez fell, Boris stabbed him fourteen times, killing him. Boris was convicted of murder and sentenced to serve 16 years in state prison.

While in custody, Boris was convicted of two more felony crimes including assault on a non-inmate and possession of a deadly weapon for which he received an additional eight-year sentence.

Prosecutor Fischer appeared at the parole hearing and argued for Boris’s continued confinement based on the unreasonable risk of danger he posed to the community if released. The Board of Parole Hearings agreed and denied parole for three more years.

This was Boris’s ninth hearing, having previously been denied parole eight times. Boris is now 68 years old. Due to recent changes in the law regarding elderly inmates, he may be eligible for another hearing in as soon as eighteen months.

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