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NEWS RELEASE

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Re: Jessie Hernandez Parole Hearing

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MODESTO, CALIFORNIA – Stanislaus County District Attorney James Brazelton announced today that Jessie Hernandez, 42, was found unsuitable for parole at a October 25 hearing of the State Board of Prison Terms in Vacaville. Deputy District Attorney Richard Gore appeared at the hearing and argued for the continued confinement of Hernandez based on the threat he would pose to the community should he be released from prison.

Hernandez was convicted of premeditated attempted murder in 1987. Hernandez is serving life sentence and he has previously been denied parole. He will be scheduled for another hearing in one year.

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