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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **RENE LOPEZ SENTENCED TO 1,503 YEARS FOR SEXUAL ASSAULTS**

Today, October 21, 2016, Rene Lopez was sentenced to serve 1,503 years in custody at the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation as a result of multiple sexual assault convictions.

On September 22<sup>nd</sup>, Mr. Lopez was found guilty of one hundred eighty-six (186) counts of sexual assault; including twenty-two (22) counts of Rape of a Minor, one hundred sixty-three (163) counts of Forcible Rape, and one (1) count of Forcible Oral Copulation. Those crimes were perpetrated on a single victim over a period of five (5) years from 2009 to 2013.

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