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Oxnard Man Convicted of Sexually Assaulting Two Children

VENTURA, Calif. – Ventura County District Attorney Erik Nasarenko announced today that Anibal Paz Perez (DOB 01/31/77) of Oxnard, was convicted of multiple sex acts on two minor children. Perez was convicted of one count of committing an unlawful act with a child, two counts of lewd act upon a child, and one count of aggravated sexual assault of a child. The jury also found true all aggravating circumstances and special allegations, including the two victims were under the age of 14, they were vulnerable, that Perez engaged in substantial sexual conduct, and that he took advantage of a position of trust.

In 2018, Perez molested the first victim, a nine-year-old female, at a community pool in the city of Oxnard. In 2022, Perez committed additional crimes against the second victim, a thirteen-year-old female, in his home while he was living in the city of Oxnard.

Deputy District Attorney Rosa Romero, a member of the Ventura County District Attorney's Office, prosecuted the case.

"I extend my sincere gratitude to the jury for their careful and thorough consideration of all the evidence," Mrs. Romero said. "Although justice for these victims was delayed, their verdict means that it was not ultimately denied. I hope that this verdict provides the victims with a sense of closure as they continue their journey towards healing."

Perez is scheduled to be sentenced on November 25, 2024, at 8:30 a.m. in courtroom 26 of the Ventura County Superior Court. He faces a maximum of 80 years to life in state prison.

Case: 2022012585

Defendant Information:

Anibal Paz Perez (DOB 01/31/77)

Oxnard

Charges:

- PC 288.7(b) – Unlawful act with a child 10 years old and under
- (2 counts) PC 288(a) – Lewd act upon a child
- PC 269(a)(1) – Aggravated sexual assault of a child - Rape

Special Allegation:

- PC 1203.066(a)(8) – Substantial sexual conduct
- PC 667.61(c)/(e)(4) - Multiple victims
- PC667.61(j)(2) – Victim under age 14
- CRC 4.421(a)(3) – Victim was vulnerable
- CRC 4.421(a)(11) – Defendant took advantage of a position of trust and confidence to commit the offense

