



COUNTY OF FRESNO

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY FILES SEXUAL ASSAULT CHARGE AGAINST PETE MARTINEZ ARGUIJO

The Fresno County District Attorney's Office has filed a sexual assault charge against Clovis West teacher Pete Martinez Arguijo (40, of Fresno).

Pete Arguijo has been charged with one felony count of committing a lewd act upon a child who was 14 or 15 years of age [Penal Code §288(c)(1)].

The alleged crime does not involve a student of his, and was not committed on school grounds.

Mr. Arguijo faces a potential sentence of up to 3 years in prison if convicted.

Mr. Arguijo was arrested and booked at the Fresno County Jail for this charge on July 21st. He posted bond and was released.

He is scheduled for Arraignment in Department 31 of the Fresno County Superior Court on Friday, August 5, 2016, at 8:30 a.m.

The Media may contact Administrative Assistant Leslie Gillespie at (559) 600-4442 with questions.

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