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*VENTURA, California* – District Attorney Gregory D. Totten announced today that no charges will be filed at this time against Jose Alejandro Sanchez-Ramirez in connection with the February 24, 2015, Metrolink grade-crossing collision and train derailment in Oxnard, California.

The ongoing investigation of this matter is complex and involves numerous local and federal agencies including the District Attorney's Office, Oxnard Police Department, and the National Traffic Safety Board. The District Attorney must await the completion of this investigation before making a formal filing decision. While charges will not be filed at this time, the arrest of Jose Alejandro Sanchez-Ramirez by the Oxnard Police Department was clearly appropriate and lawful.

Under these circumstances, the District Attorney's Office will not provide further comment until the investigation is complete.