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Oxnard Man Convicted of 11 Felony Child Molestation Counts

VENTURA, Calif. – Ventura County District Attorney Erik Nasarenko announced today that Pedro Ocampo Alvarez (DOB 06/29/68), of Oxnard, was convicted on November 4, 2026, of 11 felony counts of child molestation. Alvarez waived his right to a jury trial, opting for a court trial conducted by Ventura County Superior Court Judge Paul Feldman. Judge Feldman found Alvarez guilty of four counts of lewd acts upon a child, three counts of using a child for sex acts, two counts of unlawful sexual intercourse with a child 10 years old and under, and one count each of oral copulation with a child 10 years and under and possession of child pornography. The special allegations of substantial sexual conduct and the victim being particularly vulnerable were found to be true.

In August 2022, Alvarez was living in a converted shed behind a residence in Oxnard. Neighbors witnessed Alvarez touching the private parts of the 10-year-old victim who lived in the main residence of the property. The neighbors contacted the victim's mother, and the Oxnard Police Department was contacted shortly after. Responding officers spoke with the victim who disclosed that Alvarez had been molesting her for approximately one year. Officers then conducted an interview with Alvarez who admitted to molesting the victim over the past year. Alvarez also admitted to recording videos of the abuse.

Deputy District Attorney Tessa McCarty, a member of the Ventura County District Attorney's Office Sexual Assault Unit, prosecuted the case.

"I am deeply grateful to the victim for her bravery and strength throughout this process," Ms. McCarty said. "Coming forward and participating in the pursuit of justice takes tremendous courage and I hope this conviction brings her closure and the justice she so rightfully deserves."

Alvarez is scheduled to be sentenced on December 14, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in courtroom 24 of the Ventura County Superior Court. He remains in custody without bail and faces a maximum sentence of 74 years 8 months to life in state prison.

Case #: 2022021977
Defendant Information
Pedro Ocampo Alvarez (DOB 06/29/68)
Oxnard

Charges convicted of:

- PC 288(a) – Lewd act upon a child (4 counts)
- PC 288.7(b) – Unlawful act with a child 10 years old and under – oral copulation
- PC 311.4(c) - Using minor for sex acts (3 counts)
- PC 288.7(a) – Unlawful act with a child 10 years and under – sexual intercourse (2 counts)
- PC 311.11(a) – Possession or control of child pornography

Special allegations found true:

- PC 1203.066(a)(8) – Substantial sexual conduct
- CRC 4.421(a)(3) – The victim was particularly vulnerable

