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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **CHARGES FILED IN TEEN SEXUAL ASSAULT CASE**

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man in connection with the sexual assault of a teenaged girl.

**Armando Marquez-Perez** (dob: 12-14-65) is charged with *sexual assault on a child* (F3), *second degree kidnapping* (F2) and *enticement of a child* (F4).

On Monday, February 5, 2007, at approximately 6:00 p.m., the victim and a male friend were walking along the 100 block of South Eliot Street when a man approached them and offered them a ride. They declined and continued walking, going separate ways. The charges allege that Marquez-Perez returned a short time later and forced the 14-year-old girl into his vehicle where he sexually assaulted her.

Marquez-Perez remains in custody in the Denver County Jail. His bond is set at \$75,000. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Court, room 12T, on February 15, 2007 at 9 a.m. to be advised of the charges

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. *See Colo. RPC 3.6*