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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **ICE CREAM VENDOR CHARGED IN ATTEMPTED ASSAULT ON CHILD**

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged an 81-year-old ice cream vendor with trying to kidnap and sexually assault a young girl.

**Salvador Galdamez** (dob: 08-06-27) is charged with *attempted second-degree kidnapping* (F3), *attempted sexual assault on a child* (F5) and *enticement of a child* (F4).

The charges allege that Galdamez approached a 10-year-old girl on her way home from school last week in the 2700 block of South Decatur Street and tried to kidnap her and attempted to sexually assault her after offering her free ice cream from his cart. The girl was able to run to her grandmother's house nearby and reported the incident to school officials the next day.

Galdamez remains in custody in the Denver County Jail; his bond is set at \$10,000. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Court, room 12T, on May 7, 2009 at 9 a.m. to be advised of the charges.