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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **JUVENILE CHARGED AS AN ADULT IN SEPARATE ATTACKS**

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a 16-year-old as an adult in connection with two separate attacks on women.

**Shakiel Madden-Vaughn** (dob: 10-30-92) is charged with *unlawful sexual contact with force* (F4), *enticement of a child* (F4) and *false imprisonment* (M2) in connection with an incident involving a 12-year-old girl on January 19, 2009. He is charged with *second-degree assault on an at-risk adult* (F3) in connection with an attack on a 69-year-old woman on January 21, 2009.

The charges allege that on January 19, 2009 he approached a 12-year-old girl at a playground in the area of the 9000 block of east Mansfield Avenue and that he grabbed her and fondled her. The charges further allege that on January 21, 2009 he came up behind a 69-year-old woman in the same neighborhood and hit her numerous times in the back of the head with a brick.

Madden-Vaughn will be transferred to the Denver County Jail; his bond is set at \$75,000. He is scheduled to appear in Denver District Courtroom 17 for advisement tomorrow, January 29, 2009 at 8:30 a.m.

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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*