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MOTORCYCLIST CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING OFFICER

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man accused of hitting a police officer with his motorcycle.

Francisco Garcia-Osornio (dob: 06-08-91) is charged with *attempted first-degree assault* (F4) and *menacing* (F5).

The charges allege that Garcia-Osornio was riding his motorcycle with four other riders on a closed ramp at the 6th Avenue interchange with Federal Boulevard when he saw a Denver police officer and accelerated directly toward him, hitting him and knocking the officer to the ground. Garcia-Osornio was arrested moments later after he lost control of his motorcycle and crashed into a curb.

Garcia-Osornio has been released from custody on a \$50,000 bond. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Courtroom 2100 on September 3, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. to be formally 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

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