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Re: People v. Michael Jackson

On March 30, 2017, in Department 2 of the Solano County Superior Court, before the Honorable Daniel J. Healy, the defendant was sentenced to serve thirty one years to life in state prison after having been previously convicted of second degree murder in violation of Penal Code section 187(a).

On September 05, 2014, the defendant was at a park in North Vallejo when he got into an altercation with two unknown individuals. At the conclusion of the altercation, the defendant left the park. He returned to the park a short time later while armed with a knife. The defendant then stabbed the victim, who was not involved in the earlier altercation, several times. The victim succumbed to his wounds a short time later.

On August 09, 2016, a jury found the defendant guilty of murder. They jury also found that the defendant had a previous "strike" conviction at the time of the offense.



Officer Raul Munoz of the Vallejo Police Department and Solano County District Attorney Investigator Mason Mineni investigated the case. The case was prosecuted by Deputy District Kevin Tali.