



**COUNTY OF FRESNO**

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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# **DISTRICT ATTORNEY FILES MURDER CHARGES AGAINST STANLEY PIPES FOR SHOOTING DEATH OF HIS FIANCEE**

The Fresno County District Attorney's Office has filed criminal charges against Stanley Pipes (55, of Fresno) relating to the shooting death of his fiancée, Kristie Classen, on Monday.

Stanley Pipes has been charged with one felony count of Murder, as well as an enhancement for using a firearm in the commission of the crime.

The defendant is currently in custody at the Fresno County Jail. He faces a potential life sentence if convicted.

He is scheduled for Arraignment in Department 31 of the Fresno County Superior Court on Thursday, December 31, 2015.

The Media may contact Administrative Assistant Leslie Gillespie at (559) 600-4442 with questions.

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