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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## Kaleo Schreiner Sentenced to 45 Years to Life for Killing His Ex-Girlfriend

Today, October 27, 2022, Kaleo Schreiner (28, of Tracy, CA) was sentenced to 45 years to life for the July 20, 2015, first-degree murder of Megan Troen (27, of Tracy, CA), as well as an enhancement for personal discharge of a firearm. On March 17, 2022, Schreiner pled guilty to first-degree murder. Schreiner's sentence was handed down by the Honorable Arlan Harrell in Department 33 of the Fresno Superior Court.

Although Schreiner was eligible for a reduction in sentence pursuant to SB 81 and Cal. Pen. Code § 1385(c), the sentencing judge determined that the protection of public safety dictated the imposition of the firearm enhancement.

On July 30, 2015, Troen was found floating in the California Aqueduct near Firebaugh, CA. Troen had been shot a total of seven times, including once in the back of her head. On August 25, 2015, Schreiner was arrested by law enforcement in El Monte, CA on an unrelated charge. In October of 2017, evidence presented at the preliminary hearing showed that Schreiner had created a "kill list" with supplies needed for Troen's murder.

The Fresno County District Attorney's Office would like to thank the Fresno Sheriff's Department Homicide Detectives for their dedication to this case.

The case was successfully prosecuted by Senior Deputy District Attorney Kelly Smith with our Homicide Unit. Mr. Smith was assisted by District Attorney Senior Investigator Jennifer Machado from the Fresno County District Attorney's Bureau of Investigations.

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