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***RE: People v. Isaac Valentino De Luna - Case No. 20CR07406***

Santa Barbara County District Attorney Joyce E. Dudley announced today that a felony complaint has been filed against Issac Valentino De Luna, 20, of Lompoc. The charges stem from an August 22, 2020, head-on vehicle collision on Harris Grade Road in Lompoc that resulted in the death of Benjamin Romayor.

Mr. De Luna is charged with gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated in violation of Vehicle Code section 191.5(a), driving while under the influence of alcohol causing injury to another in violation of Vehicle Code section 23153(a), and driving while having 0.08 percent or more of alcohol causing injury to another in violation of Vehicle Code section 23153(b). In addition, it is also alleged that De Luna personally inflicted great bodily injury in violation of Penal Code section 12022.7(a), and that he was driving while having a blood alcohol content over 0.15 percent.

Mr. De Luna is out of custody on bail of \$100,000, and will appear in Department 1 of the Lompoc Superior Court for arraignment on the above charges at 1:30 p.m., October 22, 2020.

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