

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
Plaintiff,
v.
KIRK LAROY RICHARDSON,
dob 02/24/1964;
Defendant

Docket: 01-26-00001
DA No: 0131159073

COMPLAINT - FELONY

Count 1) PC187(a)
Count 2) PC187(a)

COUNT 1 – MURDER

The undersigned states, on information and belief, that Kirk Laroy Richardson, Defendant, did commit a Felony, a violation of PC187(a), Murder, committed as follows:

On or about December 31, 2025, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, the crime of Murder in violation of PC187(a), a Felony, was committed in that KIRK LAROY RICHARDSON did unlawfully, and with malice aforethought murder Nedra Richardson, a human being.

ENHANCEMENT 1

PC12022.53(d): Special Allegation-Personal And Intentional Discharge Of A Firearm, GBI
It is further alleged as to Count 1 that said defendant, KIRK LAROY RICHARDSON personally and intentionally discharged a firearm, a handgun, which caused great bodily injury and death to Nedra Richardson within the meaning of Penal Code Section 12022.53(d) also causing the above offense to become a serious felony pursuant to Penal Code section 1192.7(c)(8) and a violent felony within the meaning of Penal Code section 667.5(c)(8).

COUNT 2 – MURDER

The undersigned states, on information and belief, that Kirk Laroy Richardson, Defendant, did commit a Felony, a violation of PC187(a), Murder, committed as follows:

On or about December 31, 2025, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, the crime of Murder in violation of PC187(a), a Felony, was committed in that KIRK LAROY RICHARDSON did unlawfully, and with malice aforethought murder William Richardson, a human being.

ENHANCEMENT 1

PC12022.53(d): Special Allegation-Personal And Intentional Discharge Of A Firearm, GBI
It is further alleged as to Count 2 that said defendant, KIRK LAROY RICHARDSON personally and intentionally discharged a firearm, a handgun, which caused great bodily injury and death to William Richardson within the meaning of Penal Code Section 12022.53(d) also causing the above offense to become a serious felony pursuant to Penal Code section 1192.7(c)(8) and a violent felony within the meaning of Penal Code section 667.5(c)(8).

Complainant requests that the Defendant[s] be dealt with according to the law.

Dated: January 2, 2026, at Martinez, California

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SUMMARY SHEET

<i>Cnt</i>	<i>Charge</i>	<i>Range</i>	<i>Special Allegation</i>	<i>Effect</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i>
1	PC187(a)	Check Code State Prison	PC12022.53(d)	+25 Yrs. to Life, MSP*	
2	PC187(a)	Check Code State Prison	PC12022.53(d)	+25 Yrs. to Life, MSP*	