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Bostick Once Again Convicted for Domestic Violence Incident
People v. Michael Bostick: Kern County Superior Court Case BF198514A

(Bakersfield) – Kern County District Attorney Cynthia Zimmer announced a jury conviction relating to a domestic violence incident. On June 20, 2024, in a case prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney David L. Eller, a Kern County jury convicted Michael Bostick, age 38, of Felony Assault with a Deadly Weapon, Violating a Domestic Violence Court Order with a Prior Violation, and Injuring a Fiancé Causing a Traumatic Injury. The case was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney David L. Eller.

On March 9, 2024, Bostick woke up just around midnight and was upset that the victim, his fiancé, did not have a meal ready for him. He proceeded to grab a wooden stick and beat her repeatedly with it, causing injuries to the victim's elbow and leg. The victim was able to contact one of her friends to call for law enforcement aide. The Kern County Sheriff's Office responded and took Bostick into custody.

Bostick was on probation at the time of the incident as he had previously been convicted of Injuring a Fiancé Causing a Traumatic Injury in September of 2023, when on that occasion he struck the same victim multiple times in the face.

Kern County District Attorney Cynthia Zimmer commented; "It is common for domestic violence victims to remain in unhealthy relationships – often out of fear, lack of resources, or false hope. We recognize the challenges but will continue to fight for those who are in vulnerable positions to speak up for themselves."

Sentencing is scheduled for July 18th, 2024, before the Honorable Judge Tiffany Organ-Bowles in Department 8 of the Kern County Superior Court. Bostick faces up to 6 years and 8 months in prison.

Michael Bostick:

