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Sheriff John Mina
2500 W. Colonial Drive
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RE: Officer-Involved Critical Incident Involving Orange County Sheriff's Office Deputies Paul Ortiz and Alex Duran, FDLE OR-27-0476, UF25-17-18

Dear Sheriff Mina,

The Office of the State Attorney for the Ninth Judicial Circuit is responsible for reviewing all investigations into Officer Involved Critical Incidents (OICI) that occur in Orange and Osceola counties. On June 25, 2025, the Office of the State Attorney received all documents from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement detailing their complete investigation into an OICI by Orange County Sheriff's Office Deputies Paul Ortiz and Alex Duran on February 8, 2025.

I am writing to advise you that our review of this investigation is complete and that the Office of the State Attorney has determined that there has been no violation of Florida Law; and therefore, our office will not be filing criminal charges against Orange County Sheriff's Office Deputies Paul Ortiz and Alex Duran for their use of force against Jose Luis Lopez.

Documents and supporting evidence submitted to this agency are public records under Florida Statute 119 once our investigation has been completed and can be obtained via email request to PublicRecords@sao9.org.

Sincerely,

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