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Central Falls Man Indicted on Murder Charges:

CENTRAL FALLS – An indictment has been handed down for the killing of Simon Hernandez, the victim of an assault reported to the Central Falls Police Department on December 31, 2012.

The suspect, Devan Auclair (19) of Central Falls, was indicted on August 6, 2014 by a Providence County Grand Jury on the charge of murder after a lengthy investigation by members of the Central Falls Detective Bureau.

The incident occurred in the area of Lincoln Avenue and Acorn Street around midnight on the night in question; the forty-eight year old victim was conscious yet incoherent when police arrived on scene.

The victim was immediately rushed to Rhode Island Hospital for treatment where he later succumbed to complications resulting from his injuries the afternoon of January 8, 2013.

Auclair is expected to be arraigned in Providence County Superior Court on August 27, 2014.

The defendant is currently serving two and a half years on a prior offense of First Degree Robbery; he was arrested by the Central Falls Police Department on January 17, 2013 in connection with that previous charge.

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