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Offender Charged with Murder of Off-Duty Cook County Sheriff's Deputy



Offender: Cordarrow Thompson, 32
6000 block of S. Prairie Ave., Chicago, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – Murder - First Degree
One (1) felony count – Murder - Strong Probability Death/Injure
One (1) felony count – Murder - Other Forcible Felony
One (1) felony count – Attempt - Murder - First Degree
One (1) felony count – Aggravated Battery/Discharge Firearm
One (1) felony count – Attempt - Robbery - Armed with Firearm
One (1) felony count – Armed Habitual Criminal

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – August 1, 2024

Narrative: The above offender was arrested on July 30, 2024, at 4:05 a.m., in the 200 block of E. Huron. He was identified as the offender who, several hours earlier, shot and killed off-duty Cook County Sheriff's Deputy Rafael Wordlaw, 31, during an attempted robbery in the 500 block of E. 67th St. (3rd District). A 30-year-old male victim on scene was also shot at and sustained minor injuries. The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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