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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Nestor Hernandez Sentenced to Life in Prison without the Possibility of Parole for Deadly Methodist Hospital Shooting

(Dallas, Texas) – Dallas County Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot is pleased to announce a Dallas County jury has found Nestor Hernandez, 31, guilty of capital murder for the shooting deaths of Jacqueline Pokuaa and Katie Annette Flowers on October 22, 2022, at Methodist Dallas Medical Center. Hernandez received an automatic sentence of Life in Prison without the possibility of parole.

“At the time this crime occurred I vowed to see that justice was done, and I am satisfied to say that’s what we’ve accomplished. I say this knowing that justice is no replacement for these two innocent lives lost nor does it repair the trauma inflicted on the staff, officers, and other families at the hospital on that tragic day, however, we have ensured that Mr. Hernandez will die in prison,” said Dallas County Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot.

We are grateful to the jury for following the law and we thank them for their service during this difficult trial. Thank you also to Judge Chika Anyiam, the Methodist Hospital Police and Staff, the Dallas Police Department, and all of Annette and Jacqueline’s loved ones who entrusted us with this carriage of justice. Continued thanks to the trial team of ADA George Lewis, ADA Shawnkeedra Houston-Martin, ADA Jesse Allen, Investigator Anthony Winn and the countless others who helped secure this just verdict.