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Re: Clinton Wilson found Guilty of Murder Phone: (209) 525-5519

Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Clinton Curtis Wilson, age 38, was convicted on July 18, 2016 of first degree murder with personal use of a firearm and arson. The jury deliberated less than a full day before returning its verdict. Deputy District Attorney Michael Houston prosecuted the case for the People.

On May 4, 2011, after having a friend bring Mario Tubera over to a house he was remodeling, Wilson shot Mario Tubera about a dispute over a debt. He then set the house on fire to attempt to cover his crime.

Judge Scott Steffen set a sentencing hearing on August 15, 2016 where the victim's family will have the opportunity to give victim impact statements. Wilson faces a maximum sentence of up to 59 years to life in prison.

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