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Re: District Attorney's Conclusion on the Lawfulness of the Officer-Involved Shooting of Jose Manuel Reyes Rios on March 25, 2023.

Santa Barbara County District Attorney John T. Savrnoch announced today that the legal analysis of the March 25, 2023 officer-involved shooting that resulted in the death of Jose Manuel Reyes Rios has been concluded. A link to the report is posted on the Santa Barbara County District Attorney's website at https://da.countyofsb.org/documents/Melody%20Market%20OIS%20Report.pdf.

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