

—NEWS RELEASE——Chicago Police Department

Fred L. Waller Interim Superintendent

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Offender Charged with Child Endangerment Death of an 8-Year-Old Male



Offender: Ramon Sumerlin, 41

3100 block of W. Flournoy St.

Chicago, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – Cause Child Endangered/Death

One (1) felony count – UUW – Weapon – Felon Possess Weapon/2ND+

Court: Central Bond Court – 2600 S. California – August 31, 2023

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by the Chicago Police Department and members

of the Great Lakes Regional Task Force on August 28, 2023, in the 11400 block of S. Elizabeth St. He was identified as the offender who, on August 15, 2023, at approximately 4:34 a.m., left an 8-year-old male victim unattended inside a residence in the 3100 block of W. Flournoy St. (11th District). The victim then located a firearm and subsequently sustained a gunshot wound to his chest causing his death. The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly.

No additional information is available at this time.

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