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DRIVER ARRESTED AND ARRAIGNED IN FATAL HIT-RUN

February Crash Killed Columbia University Finance Director

(Bronx, NY – June 2, 2015) – Bronx District Attorney Robert Johnson announces the Supreme Court arraignment of **MICHAEL LONGO** in the death of a 38-year-old Columbia University financial director, Daniel Cabrera, in a hit-and-run crash that occurred on February 23, 2015 in the Marble Hill section of Manhattan.¹

The 58-year-old LONGO pled not guilty today in Bronx Supreme Court to the charge of **Leaving the Scene of an Incident Without Reporting, a Class D Felony**.

LONGO is accused of mowing down and leaving the father of one for dead in the intersection of West 225th Street and Broadway, shortly before 7pm, as Cabrera was heading home to Cortlandt Manor in Westchester County. LONGO allegedly sped away southbound over the Broadway Bridge in a Dodge Magnum. The vehicle, which was not registered to him, was later recovered in Upper Manhattan.

Assistant District Attorney Sharon Adler of the Bronx D.A. Trial Bureau 20/50 requested the defendant be remanded, but Supreme Court Justice George Villegas set bail at \$25,000 bond or \$15,000 cash and adjourned the case until August 25th Part 96 Supreme Court, Bronx Hall of Justice, 265 E. 161st Street.

If convicted of the charges, LONGO faces a potential two-and-a-third to seven years behind bars.

The charges in this indictment are merely an accusation and the defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty.

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¹ Because the location of the incident is within 500 yards of the boundary of Bronx County, jurisdiction may fall within the Bronx.