

## Orange County District Attorney & Orange County Sheriff's Department Media Advisory



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March 8, 2013 Case # 13CF0463

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## **MEDIA ADVISORY** LONNIE KOCONTES ARRAIGNMENT

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WHO: Lonnie Loren Kocontes, 55, Safety Harbor, FL

WHAT: Was extradited from Florida to Orange County and arrived shortly after midnight this morning, March 8, 2013. He will be arraigned on charges of murdering his ex-wife for financial gain by strangling her to death and throwing her overboard while on a cruise in Italy.

WHEN: Monday, March 11, 2013, at 12:00 p.m.

WHERE: Department CJ-1, Central Jail, Santa Ana

For additional information on this case, visit www.orangecountyda.com and select under Press Releases/Media Advisories the Feb. 16, 2013, press release titled, "Attorney Arrested for Murder for Financial Gain of Ex-wife by Strangling and Throwing her Overboard on Italian Cruise."

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