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## **Ex-Burbank Coach Sentenced to Prison for Sexual Relationship with Teenage Student**

A former Burbank high school assistant baseball coach was sentenced today to two years in state prison for having unlawful sex with a student for nearly three years, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Deputy District Attorney Lisa Tanner said Jose Antonio Bañuelos Jr., 28, was immediately sentenced after pleading no contest to one felony count of unlawful sexual intercourse.

The defendant began the unlawful relationship with the female student in June 2013 when she was 15 years old, the prosecutor said. The relationship continued until Feb. 29 of this year.

Case GA098420 was investigated by the Burbank Police Department.

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