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Re: Jesse Hernandez Garibay, Jr.

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Modesto, California – Stanislaus County Assistant District Attorney Carol Shipley announced today that Jesse Hernandez Garibay, Jr., age 18, of Modesto, was sentenced to 12 years in the California Department of Corrections on 4/20/2006 for his part in the attempted armed robbery of several individuals. Mr. Garibay was a minor at the time of the crime and was tried as an adult. Deputy District Attorney Wendell Emerson prosecuted the case.

On 11/2/05, Jesse Garibay, Jr. drove his vehicle into the city of Riverbank. Mr. Garibay had two passengers when he drove to Riverbank. Mr. Garibay and his 2 passengers were active members in the Sureno criminal street gang. Mr. Garibay drove his car into a parking lot of a local business. One of the passengers then pointed a loaded shotgun at a victim and demanded cash. The victim ran away and the robbery was unsuccessful. Mr. Garibay then drove to another parking lot of a local business. While there, one of the passengers again pointed the shotgun at some victims and demanded cash. The victims ran away and the robbery was unsuccessful. Minutes later, Mr. Garibay and his passengers were apprehended by members of the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Department.