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**PRESS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

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Re: Joseph Donald Dykes  
Probation Violator Gets 3 Years Prison

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Joseph Donald Dykes admitted he violated the terms of his probation by failing to obey all laws and failing to report in person to his probation officer.

Joseph Dykes was originally convicted of Burglary in the Second Degree on October 6, 2006, and placed on three years felony probation under a suspended execution of sentence. This was Dyke's first violation of probation.

Upon the admission, the Honorable Nancy Ashley sentenced Dykes to three years in state prison.