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**PRESS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

Date: November 18, 2008  
Re: Kerry Brian Gilbert-  
Second-time batterer receives state  
prison

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**Modesto, California** - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that on November 17, 2008, Kerry Brian Gilbert, age 45, of Modesto, entered a no contest plea and was found guilty of domestic violence. Deputy District Attorney Nate Baker prosecuted the case for the People.

The case arose out of events which occurred on September 29, 2008 in the city of Modesto. Gilbert and the victim, who were living together, became involved in an argument. The defendant grabbed the victim's face, causing a bloody gouge above and below her right eye. At the time of this offense, the defendant was on felony probation for domestic violence against the same victim.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable John Whiteside sentenced Gilbert to two years in state prison.

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