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Date: August 31, 2009 Re: Claudia Monique Madeiros -Convicted of Being an Accessory to A Felony Carol Shipley, Assistant District Attorney Phone: (209) 525-5550

Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Claudia Monique Madeiros, age 27, of Modesto, was convicted on August 28, 2009, after a four-day jury trial of being an Accessory to a Felony. Deputy District Attorney Miles Kowalski prosecuted the case for the People.

The case arose out of events that occurred on September 15, 2008 in the city of Modesto. Madeiros drove convicted felon, Ryan Davis, to two locations. At one of the locations, Davis burglarized a vehicle, stealing approximately \$1,000 worth of property. Afterwards, Madeiros drove Davis back to her apartment. Madeiros testified that she did not know Davis's intent prior to the commission of the crime, but admitted knowing that the property was stolen after they returned to her apartment. Madeiros gave Davis a black plastic trash bag to conceal the items before he left her apartment. Madeiros never reported the incident to law enforcement.

After receiving the guilty verdict, the Honorable Thomas D. Zeff placed the defendant on 3 years informal probation, ordered her to pay restitution and sentenced her to 60 days in the county jail.

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