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Re: Kenyon Graham Reynolds 3 years prison for Committing Lewd Acts upon a Child Carol Shipley, Assistant District Attorney Phone: (209) 525-5550

**Modesto, California** - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Kenyon Graham Reynolds, age 44, of Ceres, was convicted on November 4, 2009 of Lewd Acts upon a Child. Deputy District Attorney Elaine G. Casillas prosecuted the case for the People.

On September 15, 2007 in Ceres, Officer Art Hively saw Reynolds sitting in his parked vehicle in an undeveloped, industrial area. When Officer Hively parked his patrol car, Reynolds got out of his van with his pants unfastened and his zipper partially down. A search of Reynolds's van revealed a large amount of child pornography including one video of a 7-year old female identified as living in Ceres. Upon viewing the video, it was apparent to law enforcement that Reynolds was the person who filmed the video of the young child in the nude.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable Ricardo Cordova sentenced Reynolds to 3 years in state prison and he will be required to register as a sex offender for life. Due to the amount of child pornography in Reynolds's possession, as well as a prior misdemeanor conviction for possession of obscene material, Reynolds will be transported to federal court and face additional charges there.

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