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PRESS RELEASE

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Re: Pete Bailon, Jr.
Stalking nets 3 years in state prison

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Pete Bailon, Jr., age 48, of Hughson, was convicted of felony stalking and was sentenced by the Honorable Thomas Zeff to three years in state prison. Deputy District Attorney Annette Rees prosecuted the case for the People.

Bailon was released on parole and called his 70-year-old father to pick him up. Once in the car, Bailon became angrier and angrier. By the time they pulled into his father's residence, Bailon stated "be happy now, 'cuz you're not going to be breathing later" and "better shoot me now before something bad happens." Bailon had been in prison for being a felon in possession of a firearm after shooting up his father's property. He blamed his father for sending him back to prison. There were two guns inside the house. The victim left the scene and contacted the Sheriff's Office.

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