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PRESS RELEASE

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Date: October 1, 2008 Re: Roberta Bolton 1250417 and 1243625 Contact: Carol Shipley Assistant District Attorney Phone: 525-5550

Modesto, California – Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Roberta Bolton, age 36, of Hilmar, entered a plea of guilty to one count of second degree burglary which occurred at Staples in Turlock on September 1, 2008 and one count of misusing personal identifying information of an individual which occurred at Mervyn's in Turlock on March 15, 2008.

Bolton had been charged with five theft-related offenses related to the theft at Staples and eight theft-related offenses related to the theft at Mervyn's. In addition, Bolton was also charged with being out on bail or her own recognizance on the first case when she committed the second offense.

Upon the entry of the guilty plea, the Honorable Charles V. Stone sentenced Bolton to a total state prison term of 16 months.

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