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Re: Amador Chaves – 2 years State

Prison for Commercial Burglary

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Amador Chaves, age 38 of Ceres, was convicted on October 13, 2009 of Commercial Burglary. Deputy District Attorney Randy Fischer prosecuted the case for the People.

On September 23, 2009 at the Patterson Auto Care facility in Patterson, Chaves cut the lock to the yard where vehicles awaiting repair were stored. Chavez then pried open the door to a Winnebago Suncrusier and stole various items from within. He was arrested on October 2, 2009. Chaves had served one prior prison term in 2007 for theft and had numerous prior theft convictions.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable Donald Shaver sentenced Chaves to two years in state prison.

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