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Re: Kyle Warren McKinnis – Theft

Attempt Nets Two Years in State Prison

Modesto, California – Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Kyle Warren McKinnis, age 22, of Modesto, was convicted of second degree burglary on February 17, 2008. On December 29, 2008, McKinnis walked into Ace Check Cashing in Modesto and attempted to cash a stolen check The manager became suspicious and called the owner of the checking account. The owner informed the manager that it was stolen. The manager called the police, but Mr. McKinnis fled the store prior to their arrival. He was arrested on January 8, 2009 when an officer spotted him. McKinnis had previously served a term in state prison for an attempted burglary.

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