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**AMENDED**  
**PRESS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

Date: March 24, 2009  
Re: Ronnie Carlton Rogers – Child  
Molester sentenced to 22 years in state  
prison

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**Modesto, California** - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Ronnie Carlton Rogers, age 25, of Modesto, was convicted on March 24, 2009 of Engaging in Three or More Acts of Substantial Sexual Conduct With a Child Under Age 14, and Committing a Lewd and Lascivious Act upon a Child Under the Age of 14. Deputy District Attorney Elaine Casillas prosecuted the case for the People.

The case arose out of events that occurred between August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2001 and April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008. During that time, the defendant touched the victims inappropriately and performed numerous sexual acts with them.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable Timothy Salter sentenced the defendant to 22 years in state prison and ordered him to register as a sex offender for the rest of his life pursuant to Penal Code section 290. In the event of any new law violations, the current offenses will count as “strikes” under California’s “Three Strikes” law.

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