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**PRESS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

Date: July 13, 2009  
Re: Steven Lynn Sitsler  
Violation of Probation Results in 3  
Years Prison

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**Modesto, California** - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Steven Lynn Sitsler, a resident of the City of Hughson, was sentenced to three years in state prison following his admission of a violation of probation. In December of 2008, Sitsler pled guilty one count of grand theft and was placed on three years formal probation, given a one year county jail sentence with a three-year suspended state prison sentence. This was his first violation of probation. His violations were failing to report to probation and failing to notify probation of his address following his release from jail for the one year term. The defendant was sentenced by Judge Nancy Ashley.