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Re: Laura Lee Dale Phone: (209) 525-5550

14 Years Prison for Assault Charge

Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Laura Lee Dale, age 33, of Keyes, was convicted of Assault with a Deadly Weapon and having inflicted great bodily injury during the commission of the offense. Dale also admitted previously being convicted of a serious felony and having a felony conviction that falls under California's "Three Strikes" law. Deputy District Attorney Jeffrey M. Laugero prosecuted the case for the People.

On January 24, 2007, Dale confronted the victim at a trailer park in Keyes. Dale attacked the victim and used a knife to lacerate the victim's upper arm and stab the victim just above the lip. Dale fled the scene after the assault. The victim survived the attack.

The Honorable Nancy Ashley sentenced Dale to 14 years in state prison.