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SALINAS WOMAN SENTENCED TO PRISON FOR BRINGING DRUGS INTO THE JAIL

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Monterey County District Attorney Dean D. Flippo announced today that Maria Fanene, age 36, a resident of Salinas, was sentenced to four years in state prison for bringing a controlled substance into the jail.

On August 3, 2016, Fanene arrived at the Monterey County Jail to turn herself in to serve a 10 day jail sentence on a prior case. A deputy with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office located a package containing 3 grams of methamphetamine during a search of Fanene's person.

The case was investigated by deputies from the Monterey County Sheriff's Office.