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## **SALINAS WOMEN SENTENCED TO 3 YEARS IN PRISON FOR IDENTITY THEFT**

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Monterey County District Attorney Dean D. Flippo announced today that Kathleen Reynosa, age 34 was sentenced to 3 years in prison for identity theft.

In March of 2016, Jane Doe was at medical office in Salinas when she set down her purse on one of the seats in the lobby. Jane Doe accidently left the building without grabbing her purse. When she returned to retrieve her purse she discovered that her wallet had been stolen from her purse. Inside Jane Doe's wallet were her personal identification information and her social security card. On August 28, 2016 Reynosa used the identity of Jane Doe to purchase a 2016 Dodge Journey SUV from a Salinas auto dealership. The vehicle was recovered on September 20, 2016 by Del Rey Oaks Police Department. The vehicle sustained minor damage and required minor repairs prior to being resold.

Monterey County Superior Court Judge Julie R. Culver sentenced Reynosa 3 years in prison which will be served in the county jail due to Realignment.

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