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MOSS LANDING MAN CONVICTED OF DUI

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Monterey County District Attorney Dean D. Flippo announced today that on December 5, 2018, John Terry Ramirez was found guilty of driving under the influence and driving with a blood alcohol of 0.08 percent and above after a three-day jury trial.

On September 1, 2017, after drinking in San Jose, Ramirez attempted to drive his truck to his home in Moss Landing. He did not make it home, however, as his truck ran out of gas on US-101 near Crazy Horse Canyon Road. A CHP officer in the area noticed Ramirez' truck because it was partially blocking the number two lane of travel. Upon stopping and talking with Ramirez, Officer Eric Goto noticed he had been drinking. A full DUI investigation followed, Ramirez was arrested, and he later submitted to a blood test. His blood alcohol concentration was .19 %.

The case was heard by Monterey County Superior Court Judge Thomas Wills. After trial, Judge Wills sentenced Ramirez to 20 days in jail and 5 years probation.

CHP Officers Eric Goto and Isidro Muro investigated this case and testified at trial.

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