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Sex Offender Convicted of Indecent Exposure
People v. Timothy Aik Kensavath: Kern County Superior Court Case BM993309A

(Bakersfield) - Kern County District Attorney Cynthia Zimmer a jury conviction today. On November 19, 2024, in a case prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Truman Hance, a Kern County jury found Timothy Aik Kensavath guilty of a misdemeanor count of indecent exposure.

On August 8, 2024, at 7:45am, Kensavath went to Panorama Park in Northeast Bakersfield and approached a young mother with her 1-year-old baby in a stroller and asked her for "directions to Truxtun." When she looked back, Kensavath had exposed his genitals and began touching himself before he fled the park in his vehicle.

Kensavath has several sex-related convictions out of Kern and Fresno counties. He is a registered sex offender and was on parole at the time of his most recent crime. Kensavath's other Kern County conviction stems from an April 25, 2023, incident in where Kensavath approached two juveniles on their way home from school and touched a victim inappropriately. He was convicted of sexual battery on October 18, 2023, and sentenced to 2 years in prison.

In this case, the District Attorney's Office pursued a misdemeanor charge of indecent exposure rather than a felony charge due to the absence of prior convictions for indecent exposure, as required by law. This misdemeanor conviction now serves as a prior offense. Should Kensavath commit similar crimes in the future, a felony charge for indecent exposure could be filed, carrying more severe penalties.

District Attorney Cynthia Zimmer commented; "For a person with this history we will seek the maximum penalty for the crime - a year in jail and sex offender registration."

Sentencing is set for December 19, 2024, before the Honorable Bradley King in Department 10 of the Kern County Superior Court. Kensavath faces up to 1 year in jail.

Timothy Aik Kensavath:

