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## Former CASA Executive Director Pleads No Contest to Grand Theft

(Woodland, CA) – October 14, 2010- Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig announced that today 54-year-old Claudean Medlock of Carmichael, California pled no contest to one felony charge of Grand Theft from an Employer. Medlock is the former Executive Director of Yolo County Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA).

Since November, 2008, Medlock had embezzled nearly \$46,000 from CASA. As Executive Director, Medlock was entrusted with a CASA debit card. She used this debit card to take multiple cash advances, totaling approximately \$30,000, to gamble at various casinos in the region. Medlock also forged checks and falsified expense reports to obtain approximately \$16,000. As part of her sentence, Medlock will be ordered to pay full restitution to CASA.

Medlock will be sentenced on December 8, 2010 by the Honorable Kathleen M. White of the Yolo County Superior Court and faces up to one year in county jail and five years of felony probation.

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