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## Man Sentenced to Eight Years in Prison for Gas Station Robbery Spree

VENTURA, California – District Attorney Gregory D. Totten announced today that Judge Ronda McKaig sentenced Andre Lamont Ingram (DOB 05/26/86) to eight years in prison. On December 16, 2019, Ingram was convicted of four robberies that occurred throughout Ventura County in 2018. Ingram also admitted that he had served a prior prison term, but that enhancement was nullified by the passage of Senate Bill 136.

Over a two week period in the summer of 2018, Ingram robbed a Shell Gas station in Ventura, a Shell Gas station in Camarillo, a Mobil Gas station in Thousand Oaks, and a 7-Eleven convenience store in Oxnard. Ingram displayed a firearm during each of the robberies.

In the course of their thorough investigation, the Ventura County Sheriff's Office obtained cell phone records that placed Ingram at the scene of the robberies and established that Ingram conducted several internet searches about the robberies shortly after they were committed. During an arrest for unrelated charges on August 10, 2018, Oxnard Police Department officers located several items from the robberies, including an imitation firearm.

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