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**Northridge Woman Pleads Guilty to Auto Insurance Fraud**

*VENTURA, California* – District Attorney Erik Nasarenko announced today that Rochelle Bishop (DOB 05/02/78), of Northridge, pled guilty to felony auto insurance fraud. On February 14, 2017, Bishop was a passenger in a vehicle that collided with another car. Bishop was previously insured, but her coverage had lapsed four months prior to the accident. Two days after the collision, Bishop obtained a new insurance policy, then filed a false claim for the accident that occurred on February 14, 2017.

Bishop is scheduled to be sentenced on June 11, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. in courtroom 12 of the Ventura County Superior Court. Bishop faces up to five years in county jail.

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