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**CHRISTIAN C. KISTNER, ELKVILLE, SENTENCED  
TO FIVE YEARS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
FOR RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY**

Michael C. Carr, Jackson County State's Attorney, announced today that Christian C. Kistner, 22, of Elkhaville, Illinois, pled guilty to one count of Residential Burglary on March 30, 2017. On May 11, 2017, he was sentenced to serve forty-eight (48) months of TASC probation. TASC stands for "Treatment Alternatives for Safe Communities." On July 17, 2017, a probation revocation hearing was held and the Court found that Kistner had violated the terms of his TASC probation in that he had committed new criminal offenses of driving while license revoked and possession of drug paraphernalia while serving his period of probation.

On December 5, 2017, Kistner was sentenced to serve five (5) years in the Illinois Department of Corrections, which will be followed by a two (2) year period of Mandatory Supervised Release. Kistner meets the eligibility requirements to be placed in the Illinois Impact Incarceration Program through the Illinois Department of Corrections. The Impact Incarceration Program is an intervention program designed to promote lawful behavior in criminal offenders through a highly structured program of discipline.

The investigation was conducted by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office and the Murphysboro Police Department. Assistant State's Attorney Rebecca L. Blomer was responsible for the prosecution of this case.