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Defendant's Name: Mark Peterson
Age: 39
City and State of residence: Pocatello, ID
Criminal File Number: 13-081
Convicted of: Identity Theft (F6) 22-40-8(1) & 22-40-9(6) & (7)
Date of Sentence: November 25, 2013
Arresting Officer: Deputy Stephanie Ryan – Union County Sheriff's Office

Case Synopsis:

On March 11, 2013 Mark Peterson was working at the Coffee Cup Fuel Stop when video cameras captured images of Peterson giving a customer a pad of paper to write down his credit card information. Later the cameras picked up Peterson pocket the information and then used the information to purchase gas for his personal vehicle using the credit card numbers that he was not authorized to use.

Sentencing Synopsis:

On the charge of Identity Theft, the Court sentenced Peterson to serve one hundred and eighty days in the Union County Jail. The Court further ordered that Peterson must pay all, restitution, fines, court costs, and prosecution costs, and court-appointed attorney fees.

Criminal History Synopsis:

This is was Peterson's second career felony conviction.