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6 STANISLAUS COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT  
7 STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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9 D.A. No. 1056770

10 THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA )

No. 1056770

11 Plaintiff, )

INFORMATION FOR

12 vs. )

13 SCOTT LEE PETERSON ,  
14 (DOB: 10/24/1972)

Defendant. )

MURDER, COUNT I:  
VIOLATION OF §187,  
CALIFORNIA PENAL  
CODE, FELONY

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SPECIAL ALLEGATION:  
PREMEDITATION  
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SPECIAL ALLEGATION:  
SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCE  
WITHIN THE MEANING OF  
PENAL CODE  
§190.2(a)(3)

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MURDER, COUNT II:  
VIOLATION OF §187,  
CALIFORNIA PENAL  
CODE, FELONY

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SPECIAL ALLEGATION:  
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WITHIN THE MEANING OF  
PENAL CODE  
§190.2(a)(3)  
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1        **SCOTT LEE PETERSON** is accused by the District Attorney for the  
2 said County of Stanislaus, State of California, by this  
3 Information, of the crimes of COUNT I: Violation of Section 187 of  
4 the California Penal Code, and COUNT II: Violation of Section 187  
5 of the California Penal Code, felonies, committed as follows:

6        COUNT I: The said **SCOTT LEE PETERSON** on or about and between  
7 December 23, 2002 and December 24, 2002, at and in the County of  
8 Stanislaus, State of California, and prior to filing of this  
9 Information, did willfully, unlawfully, and feloniously and with  
10 malice aforethought murder **Laci Denise Peterson**, a human being.

11        SPECIAL ALLEGATION: It is further alleged as to Count I,  
12 MURDER, that the defendant acted intentionally, deliberately and  
13 with premeditation.

14        SPECIAL ALLEGATION: It is further alleged as to Counts I &  
15 II, MURDER, the defendant committed more than one murder in the 1st  
16 or 2nd degree in this proceeding, and is a special circumstance  
17 within the meaning of Penal Code section 190.2(a)(3).

18        COUNT II: The said **SCOTT LEE PETERSON** on or about and between  
19 December 23, 2002, and December 24, 2002 at and in the County of  
20 Stanislaus, State of California, and prior to filing of this  
21 Information, did willfully, unlawfully, and feloniously and with  
22 malice aforethought murder **Baby Conner Peterson**, a fetus.

23        SPECIAL ALLEGATION: It is further alleged as to Count I, MURDER,  
24 that the defendant acted intentionally, deliberately and with  
25 premeditation.

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2 II, MURDER, the defendant committed more than one murder in the 1st  
3 or 2nd degree in this proceeding, and is a special circumstance  
4 within the meaning of Penal Code section 190.2(a)(3).  
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10                    Dated this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2003.

11                    JAMES C. BRAZELTON  
12                    District Attorney of  
13                    Stanislaus County,  
14                    State of California

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16                    Rick Distaso  
17                    Deputy District Attorney

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