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## **CLAY COUNTY MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO FEDERAL CHARGE OF AGGRAVATED IDENTITY THEFT**

Jacksonville, FL - United States Attorney A. Brian Albritton announces that Anthony Drew Parker (age 48, of Clay County) today pleaded guilty to aggravated identity theft. Parker faces a mandatory minimum of two years in federal prison.

According to court documents, Parker went to the Division of Drivers License Office in Orange Park, Florida in June 2008. He used an illegally obtained birth certificate and social security card to get a Florida identification card in the name of his identity theft victim. Parker then used the Florida identification card to open bank accounts at Bank of America and SunTrust Banks Inc. in the victim's name and made numerous fraudulent purchases in the name of the victim.

This case was investigated by the United States Postal Inspection Service, the Clay County Sheriff's Office, and the Florida Highway Patrol. It is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Kevin C. Frein.