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WICHITA, KAN. – Jonathan Hernandez, 34 of Wichita, has pled guilty as charged to battery, a class B misdemeanor in 18CR0967. At the request of the parties, the Court approved the journal entry in the case today and sentenced Mr. Hernandez to one year of probation with a six-month underlying jail term. Standard conditions of probation were imposed, including requiring employment, prohibition against consumption of drugs or alcohol and prohibition against leaving the state without permission of the probation officer. Additionally, Mr. Hernandez was ordered to successfully complete a court-approved parenting class.

In February, Hernandez struck the six-year-old son of his girlfriend, causing redness and swelling on the boy's chest.

No court appearance is typically held and is not required by Kansas law when a person is charged with and pleads guilty to a class B misdemeanor.

Mr. Hernandez was scheduled for a jury trial on July 16th.

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