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**Woman Sentenced to 15 Years in Prison For
Robberies in Los Angeles Area**

A woman known as the “Pink Shoe Bandit” was sentenced today to 15 years in prison after pleading no contest to charges that she robbed Los Angeles-area businesses, the Los Angeles County District Attorney’s Office announced.

Chelle Michelle Swan, 22, of Los Angeles, entered her plea to three counts of robbery and admitted a gun allegation. She was immediately sentenced by Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge Michael Pastor.

Swan was dubbed the “Pink Shoe Bandit” by police because of her light-colored footwear she wore during the heists. Deputy District Attorney Joshua Ritter said Swan’s plea was in connection with three robberies that took place earlier this year at businesses around Los Angeles.

The case was investigated by Los Angeles Police Department’s Robbery-Homicide Division.

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About the Los Angeles County District Attorney’s Office

Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to seeking justice for victims of crime and enhancing public safety. Last year, the [Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office](#) prosecuted more than 73,000 felony defendants and 113,000 misdemeanor defendants.