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PRESS RELEASE

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Date: March 13, 2009
Re: Daniel Perez, Jr. – Drug Dealer
Sentenced to 10 years, 4 months in
State Prison

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Daniel Perez, Jr., of Modesto, was convicted of two counts of selling heroin and also admitted having two prior felony convictions for selling controlled substances. Deputy District Attorney Jeffrey M. Laugero prosecuted the case on behalf of the People.

The case arose out of events that occurred on February 16th and 17th, 2009 when Perez sold heroin during a joint operation conducted in Modesto by officers and deputies from the Modesto Police Department's Narcotics Enforcement Team (MNET) and the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Special Team Investigating Narcotics and Gangs (STING).

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable Nancy Ashley sentenced the defendant to 10 years and 4 months in state prison.

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