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PRESS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

Date: November 2, 2009
Re: Freddy Figueroa Toscano
6 years Prison for Gang Member
Having Assault Weapon for Sale and
Possession of a Loaded Firearm

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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Freddy Figueroa Toscano, age 19, of Turlock, was convicted on November 2, 2009 of possession of an assault weapon for sale and possession of a loaded firearm by a gang member. Deputy District Attorney Shawn D. Bessey prosecuted the case for the People

On August 18th, 2009 in the city of Turlock, the Central Valley Gang Impact Task Force conducted a search of Toscano's residence on West Bradbury Road. The search of Toscano's home yielded several guns including an illegal SKS assault weapon. During a subsequent traffic stop, Toscano was found to be in possession of a loaded .25 caliber handgun.

Upon entry to the no contest plea, the Honorable John G. Whiteside sentenced Toscano to 6 years in State Prison.

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