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PRESS RELEASE

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Re: People v. Anthony Solorzano

7 Years Prison for Sale of Cocaine

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MODESTO, CALIFORNIA - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced that Anthony Solorzano, 34, of Ceres, was convicted on October 1, 2009 of Possession of Cocaine for Sale. Solorzano also admitted having a prior conviction for drug sales and having served a prior prison term.

On May 22, 2009, Ceres police officers conducted a parole search of Anthony Solorzano's home. Solorzano was on parole for previous narcotics convictions. Inside Solorzano's garage, officers found five and a half grams of cocaine along with a digital scale. During questioning, Solorzano admitted the cocaine was his.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable Donald Shaver sentenced Solorzano to seven years in state prison.