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FEDERAL GRAND JURY RETURNS INDICTMENTS

United States Attorney Kenneth J. Gonzales announced that, on October 27, 2010, a federal grand jury sitting in Albuquerque returned true bills in the eighteen cases including the following cases:

- <u>United States v. Armstrong</u>, Crim. No. 10-2961 MV. The one-count indictment charges **Craig Andrew Armstrong**, 24, of Louisville, Kentucky, with travel with intent to engage in illicit sexual conduct. If convicted, Armstrong faces imprisonment for not more than thirty years; a maximum fine of \$250,000; and up to a lifetime of supervised release. Armstrong was arrested September 27, 2010 and remains in custody pending trial. Armstrong is scheduled for arraignment on the indictment on November 4, 2010. For more information, see press release Kentucky Man Charged in Federal Court with Child Sexual Exploitation Offense issued on September 28, 2010.
- <u>United States v. Harrison</u>, Crim. No. 10-2959 BB. The four-count indictment charges **Michael Lyle Harrison**, 29, of Shiprock, New Mexico, with: assault with intent to commit murder (count 1); assault with a dangerous weapon (count 2); assault resulting in serious bodily injury (count 3); and abandonment or abuse of a child (count 4). If convicted of all charges, Harrison faces a maximum sentence of imprisonment for not more than twenty years; a \$250,000 fine, and up to three years supervised release. Harrison was arrested on September 23, 2010 and remains in custody pending trial. Harrison is scheduled for arraignment on the indictment on November 4, 2010. For more information, see press release <u>Navajo</u> Man Faces Attempted Murder Charge issued on October 7, 2010.

- <u>United States v. Wayne Shirley</u>, Crim. No. 10-2960 BB. The six-count indictment charges **Wayne Shirley**, 58, an attorney who resides in Cedar Crest, New Mexico, with: distribution and attempted distribution of visual depictions of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct (count 1); receipt of visual depictions of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct (counts 2-3); and possession of matter containing visual depictions of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct (counts 4-6) counts. If convicted of all charges, Shirley faces a maximum sentence of imprisonment for not less than five years and not more than twenty years; a \$250,000 fine, and up to a lifetime of supervised release. Shirley was arrested on September 29, 2010 and is released pending trial on conditions of release. Shirley is scheduled for arraignment on the indictment on November 4, 2010. For more information, see press release Operation Predator: a Multi-Agency Statewide Operation Targeting Child Pornography Offenders issued on September 29, 2010.
- <u>United States v. Toledo</u>, Crim. No. 10-2955 MV. The one-count indictment charges **Lucas Michael Ray Toledo**, 22, of Jemez Pueblo, New Mexico, with first degree murder and crime in Indian Country. If convicted, Toledo faces a maximum sentence of death or imprisonment for life; a \$250,000 fine; and up to five years supervised release. Toledo was arrested on September 29, 2010 and remains in custody pending trial. Toledo is scheduled for arraignment on the indictment on November 4, 2010. For more information, see press release <u>Jemez Man Charged</u> with First Degree Murder issued on September 30, 2010.

Charges in indictments are only accusations. All criminal defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.

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