

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,	criminal no. <u>10-c</u> r-2833
VS.) Count 1: 21 U.S.C. § 846:) Conspiracy;
DION CHATO)
and NEPHI CHATO,) Counts 2-6: 21 U.S.C. §§
) 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D):
Defendants.) Distribution of Marijuana; 18
) U.S.C. § 2: Aiding and Abetting;
) Count 7: 21 U.S.C. § 856(a)(1):
) Maintaining or Using a Place for
) the Distribution and Use of a
) Controlled Substance.
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INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

Count 1

Between on or about May 21, 2010 and July 30, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendants, **DION CHATO and NEPHI CHATO**, did unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally combine, conspire, confederate and agree with each other and with other persons whose names are known and unknown to the grand jury to commit the following offense against the United States, to wit: distribution of marijuana contrary to 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D).

In violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846.

Count 2

On or about May 21, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendants, **DION CHATO and NEPHI CHATO**, unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally distributed marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D) and 18 U.S.C. § 2.

Count 3

On or about June 16, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendants, **DION CHATO and NEPHI CHATO**, unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally distributed marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D) and 18 U.S.C. § 2.

Count 4

On or about July 6, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendants, **DION CHATO and NEPHI CHATO**, unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally distributed marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D) and 18 U.S.C. § 2.

Count 5

On or about June 14, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendant, **DION CHATO**, unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally distributed marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D).

Count 6

On or about July 30, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the

defendant, DION CHATO, unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally distributed marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(D).

Count 7

Between on or about May 31, 2010 and July 30, 2010, in McKinley County, in the District of New Mexico, the defendants, **DION CHATO and NEPHI CHATO**, did knowingly open, lease, rent, use, and maintain a place, namely residential premises at 100 yards west of mile post 24, U.S. Highway 491, Tohatchi, New Mexico, for the purpose of distributing and using a controlled substance, to wit: marijuana.

In violation of 21 U.S.C. § 856(a)(1).

A TRUE BILL

<u>/s/</u> FOREPERSON

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