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TUCSON MAN SENTENCED TO 9 YEARS IN PRISON FOR FIREARMS OFFENSE

TUCSON, Ariz. - Ryan D. Heidrich, 30, of Tucson, was sentenced today by U.S. District Court Judge Cindy K. Jorgenson to 106 months in federal prison for possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

On September 21, 2007, Heidrich, a convicted felon, was found in possession of 40 rounds of ammunition and two firearms, an automatic rifle that had been stolen from a police officer and a stolen shotgun with an obliterated serial number. Heidrich had previously been convicted of felony weapons offenses and was on federal supervised release at the time of the recent offense.

The investigation leading to the conviction was conducted by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives and the Tucson Police Department. The prosecution was handled by Angela Woolridge, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz.

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