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Man Sentenced for Involuntary Manslaughter

ALBUQUERQUE - On March 1, 2010, Virgil Pinto, 32, an enrolled member of the Navajo Nation, was sentenced by U.S. District Judge James O. Browning to 33 months in federal prison, to be followed by two years of supervised release. Pinto pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter. The offense occurred in Crownpoint, New Mexico, within the boundaries of the Navajo Nation Indian Reservation.

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