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PRESS RELEASE

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY RICHARD S. HARTUNIAN MARCOS ANTONIO MANON, age 47, formerly of New York, New York, pled guilty today to the felony offense of re-entry by a previously removed alien before Senior United States District Court Judge Lawrence E. Kahn, in Albany, New York. Sentencing for MANON is scheduled for July 7, 2011 in Albany, New York. As a result of the conviction MANON faces a maximum sentence of imprisonment of up to 20 years, supervised release of up to 3 years, a fine of up to \$250,000, and a special assessment of \$100.

MANON, a citizen of the Dominican Republic, was involuntarily removed from the United States to the Dominican Republic on August 20, 1988. MANON was removed by the former Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) following his 1988 conviction in Manhattan, New York of the felony offense of attempted criminal sale of a controlled substance, 3rd degree, with a sentence imposed of six months imprisonment. On August 12, 2009 MANON, an inmate in the custody of the New York State Department of Corrections, was encountered by an Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) officer at the Ulster Correctional Facility.

This matter was investigated by the Department of Homeland Security, Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement(ICE), Castle Point, New York.

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