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## PRESS RELEASE

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY ANDREW T. BAXTER announced that GUILLERMO RAMOS CRUZ, age 48 and of Nassau, New York, was sentenced on today to imprisonment for a term of "time served" (5 months), followed by two years of supervised release, by United States District Court Judge Gary L. Sharpe, in Albany, New York, for illegally reentering the United States after removal. RAMOS CRUZ was immediately remanded to the custody of the Department of Homeland Security for removal proceedings. The sentencing followed RAMOS CRUZ's August 13, 2009 guilty plea.

RAMOS CRUZ, a citizen of Mexico, was removed from the United States to Mexico twice, on November 28, 2000 and June 24, 2002. On July 16, 2009, RAMOS CRUZ was encountered and arrested by an ICE officer at the Rensselaer County Jail.

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

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