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PHILADELPHIA – Acting United States Attorney Laurie Magid today announced the indictment of Antonio Zavala on one count of reentry after deportation.¹ The defendant, a native of Mexico, was previously deported in December of 2003 and again in February of 2007, but was found in Reading, Pennsylvania on September 25, 2008.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT(S)

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Antonio Zavala	Reading, PA.	24 years old

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of 20 years imprisonment, a three year period of supervised release, a \$250,000 fine and a \$100 special assessment.

The case was investigated by Immigration and Customs Enforcement and is being prosecuted by Kathy A. Stark.

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