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PRESS RELEASE

PHILADELPHIA – United States Attorney Michael L. Levy today announced the filing of a one-count indictment¹ charging Sam Stallings with possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Sam Stallings, a/k/a Craig Gay	Philadelphia, PA	38 years old

The indictment alleges that on April 4, 2009, having been previously convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, Stallings possessed a Sig Sauer 9 mm pistol and a Ruger 7.62x32 rifle in Philadelphia.

This case is part of Project Safe Neighborhoods, a federal initiative designed to identify and prosecute firearms offenders in federal court, where the defendant is likely to receive a substantial sentence upon conviction. If convicted, Stallings faces a maximum possible sentence of 10 years imprisonment, three years supervised release, a \$250,000 fine and a \$100 special assessment.

This case was investigated by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms & Explosives and the Philadelphia Police Department. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Joe Khan.

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