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NEWS RELEASE

An indictment<sup>1</sup> was unsealed today charging Ralph J. Camacho with distribution of marijuana and possession with the intent to distribute crack cocaine, marijuana, heroin and cocaine, possession of a firearm in furtherance of those drug trafficking offenses, and convicted felon in possession of a firearm, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The indictment charges that on or about December 8, 2009, in Trevoze, Pennsylvania, the defendant distributed marijuana, possessed a variety of drugs for sale, possessed a Taurus 9 mm pistol in furtherance of his drug trafficking offenses, and possessed the weapon after having been convicted of a felony.

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.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Ralph J. Camacho	Philadelphia, PA	36

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of life imprisonment, 8 years supervised release and a \$8,750,000 fine.

The case was investigated by the Bensalem Township Police Department and the Federal Bureau of Investigation and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Jacqueline C. Romero.

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<sup>1</sup>An Indictment is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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