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NEWS RELEASE

Vanessa Perez, a/k/a “Lala,” was charged today by Indictment¹ with kidnaping, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The indictment alleges that on June 8, 2009, Perez kidnaped T.P., a minor, and transported him from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Germantown, Maryland.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Vanessa Perez	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	21

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of life in prison, a 20 year mandatory minimum term of imprisonment, five years supervised release, a \$250,000, and a \$100 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Philadelphia Police Department and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney David Ignall.

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