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NEWS RELEASE

Hector Leonel Pinto-Catalan, a/k/a “Hector Leonel Pinto Catalan,” a/k/a “Hector Leonel Pinto,” was charged today by Indictment¹ with one count of illegal reentry after deportation, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. The indictment alleges that on or about October 15, 2010, Pinto-Catalan, an alien, and native and citizen of Guatemala, was found in the United States after having been deported from the United States on or about October 7, 1998.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	YEAR OF BIRTH
Hector Leonel Pinto-Catalan	Reading, PA	1975

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

The case was investigated by the Department of Homeland Security, Immigration and Customs Enforcement (“ICE”), and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Pamela Foa.

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