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**MAN SENTENCED TO TWO YEARS FOR
ILLEGAL RE-ENTRY INTO UNITED STATES**

Madison, Wis. - John W. Vaudreuil, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Juan Manuel Larios-Buentello, 45, a citizen of Mexico, was sentenced today by U.S. District Judge Barbara B. Crabb to two years in prison, without the possibility of parole, for illegally re-entering the United States after previously being deported. Larios-Buentello pleaded guilty to this charge on November 4, 2010.

Larios-Buentello was arrested in Barron County, Wis., on August 1, 2010, for obstructing a police officer. A records check revealed that in 1996, Larios-Buentello obtained aggravated felony convictions for burglary and theft in Florida. Larios-Buentello was ordered removed from the United States in 1999, and in 2000 he was convicted of illegally re-entering the country.

The charge against Larios-Buentello was the result of an investigation conducted by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Office of Homeland Security Investigations. The prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Rita M. Rumbelow.

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