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‘REAL CHOICES...REAL CONSEQUENCES’, EDUCATION AND PREVENTION PROGRAM SCHEDULED AT INDIO HIGH SCHOOL

WHAT: A real sentencing for a defendant convicted of driving under the influence

WHEN: 10:00 a.m., Friday, April 30, 2010

WHERE: Indio High School, 81-750 Avenue 46, Indio, CA

WHO: Boys & Girls Club of the Coachella Valley
City of Indio Teen Center
Coalition to Reduce Underage Drinking (CRUD)
Defense Attorney Walter Clark
Indio High School
Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD)
Riverside County District Attorney’s Office
Riverside County Injury Prevention Services
Riverside County Public Defender’s Office
Riverside County Public Health Department
Riverside County Sheriff’s Department
Superior Court of California, Riverside County

SUMMARY: The “Real Choices...Real Consequences” program brings a deputy district attorney, defendant, defense attorney, judge and sheriff’s deputy in front of high school students to conduct an actual, legal sentencing on a driving under the influence case. The purpose of the program is to educate students on the very real consequences of driving under the influence and help prevent students from engaging in such dangerous and deadly behavior. The program is funded by the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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