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### Press Release - For Immediate Release

Elk Point, S.D. – State's Attorney Jerry A. Miller said today that Ryan Redler, a 27 year old Sioux City, IA resident, was sentenced on April 9, 2012 on one count of possession of controlled substance (Methamphetamine), a class 4 felony. Redler received a suspended seven year sentence to the state penitentiary and five years of supervised probation. Redler was sentenced to one-hundred days in the Union County Jail and ordered him to pay a five-hundred dollar fine. The Court also ordered that Redler obtain a new chemical dependency evaluation and complete the recommended treatment.

Sgt. Richard Headid of the North Sioux City Police Department responded to a citizen's complaint as to Redler entering a motor vehicle with an open alcoholic beverage. Sgt. Headid stopped the vehicle based upon the citizen's complaint and observed traffic violations. His investigation quickly turned to illegal and controlled substances as Redler and another occupant in the vehicle had warrants for their arrest on drug related crimes. A urine test confirmed that Redler had recently used Methamphetamine and Marijuana (THC).