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SDPD TO SELL UNCLAIMED PROPERTY

(San Diego) The San Diego Police Department has scheduled a sale of unclaimed property for Saturday, December 12, 2009. The auction will be held at the Scottish Rite Event Center in Mission Valley, 1895 Camino Del Rio South, in the Corinthian Room.

There will be a variety of items for sale, including 100 bicycles and our usual assortment of mixed lots. There are several interesting items including: a new Tag Heuer watch, several Movado watches, a South African gold Krugerrand, a new laptop computer, Ugg boots, a number of large hand and power tools, a clarinet and a guitar. There are digital cameras, Ipods, and electronics, and new items of clothing. There are also video game systems, and sporting goods including paint ball guns, gun cases and scopes, a large number of gift cards from various businesses and assorted costume and fine jewelry.

Viewing of the items for sale will be from 9 until 10 a.m. on the day of the sale. The sale will begin at 10 a.m. Parking is free.

You may also view some items for sale at this link http://www.sandiego.gov/police/auctions.shtml.

Those interested are encouraged to arrive during the viewing time so they can examine the merchandise for sale. There will be approximately 250 lots of property for sale. Some of the typical items that will be available include:

Power & hand tools with tool boxes

•_ 100 assorted bicycles Household items

 Electronic items New clothes & shoes including designer items

 Jewelry & knives Sports equipment

 Home & car stereo equipment Cameras & binoculars

 Computer equipment Gift cards

Purchases may be made with cash or personal checks on local banks only with proper identification. Credit cards will not be accepted for payment. There will be no refunds and no guarantees on the property sold. The recorded auction information line for the public is (619) 531-2767.

The next auction is scheduled for March 2010.

<u>Special note for media</u>: If you would like to arrange to shoot video prior to the sale please contact Mona Vallon at (619) 531-2766 in advance to schedule an appointment. We will set up the auction area in the Property Room so that it can be photographed with the items for sale. Tuesday or Wednesday morning is best for coming to the Property Room since we will be loading on Thursday.

Recorded auction information is available to the public at (619) 531-2767.