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WEST VIRGINIA CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN CONFERENCE TO CONVENE IN CHARLESTON

CHARLESTON, W. Va. – Approximately 200 professionals are expected to convene Wednesday and Thursday in Charleston, West Virginia for the West Virginia Crimes Against Children Conference sponsored by the West Virginia Children’s Justice Task Force, West Virginia Prosecuting Attorney’s Institute, West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources and the U.S. Attorney’s Office for the Southern District of West Virginia. The two day conference will provide pertinent information and training for professionals regarding the investigation, treatment and resolution of child maltreatment cases, including child sexual abuse. The conference will also include updates on new developments in law enforcement, prosecution, child protection, research, and medical treatment. A copy of the conference program/agenda is attached.

WHO: West Virginia Crimes Against Children Task Force; West Virginia Prosecuting Attorney’s Institute; West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources; and the United States Attorney’s Office for the Southern District of West Virginia.

WHAT: West Virginia Crimes Against Children Conference

WHEN: **WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20 - 21, 2010**

9:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

WHERE: Charleston Civic Center

Note: Press inquiries regarding logistics should be directed to Andrea Darr, West Virginia Children's Justice Task Force Coordinator, at (304) 558-3348.

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