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## PRESS RELEASE

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### Juvenile Delinquency Adjudications

Court date: March 25, 2009

Name: Michael J. Morgan

DOB: January 28, 1991

Residence: Port Murray, New Jersey

Judge: Coyle

Offenses and degree: Burglary Third Degree

Date(s) of Offense(s): January 10, 2009

Location of Offense(s): Washington  
Township, Morris Cty, NJ

Investigating Agency (ies): Washington Twp PD, Morris Cty.

Prosecuting Attorney: Dit Mosco

Defense Attorney: Nicole Lenar

### Disposition:

1 years probation

Violation of probation exposes a juvenile to a potential maximum sentence of incarceration under the jurisdiction of Juvenile Justice Commission for up to two (2) years for a third degree offense

15 hours of community service,

30 days in Morris County Juvenile Detention Center; all 30 days suspended.

Pay:

\$60.00 Violent Crimes Compensation Board Penalty,

\$15.00 Law Enforcement Officers Training and Education Fund penalty;

Provide a DNA sample;

Undergo fingerprinting,

Undergo a mental health evaluation and complete any recommended treatment,

Obtain GED

Obtain and maintain employment

Letter of apology to victims


Tour Morris County Juvenile Detention Center

### Circumstances of the offense:

At approximately 11:30 p.m. on the evening of January 10, 2009, Morgan, two other juveniles, and two adult co-defendants went to the residence of the victim with the intent to fight one of the residents, who it turned out, was not at home at the time. One of the juveniles knocked on the door of the residence. When an occupant answered the door, that juvenile engaged in a verbal altercation, knocked the resident out of the way, and entered the residence. Morgan and the rest of his companions entered the residence and more fighting ensued.

This information is provided pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2A:4A-60f

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