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SACRAMENTO MAN SENTENCED FOR USING THE INTERNET TO SEND THREATENING EMAILS

SACRAMENTO, Calif.—United States Attorney McGregor W. Scott announced today that ADRIAN J. C. McCOY, 23, of Sacramento, Calif., was sentenced today for sending threatening emails on September 20, 2007 to the FBI's Web site in Washington, D.C., threatening to kill members of the heavy metal rock band KORN, as well as law enforcement officers and federal agents.

The case was investigated by the Sacramento Violent Crimes Task Force, which includes the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Sacramento County Sheriff's Office.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Michelle Rodriguez, who prosecuted this case, McCOY suffered from mental health problems.

United States District Court Judge Edward J. Garcia sentenced McCOY to federal supervised release of 36 months. McCOY had been in custody for 72 days since his arrest.

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