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Press Release

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Re: Southern New Mexico Correctional Facility Correctional Officer Arrested

The New Mexico Corrections Department placed Correctional Officer Maria Calzada on administrative leave this morning. Calzada was arrested and charged with DWI by the Las Cruces Police Department at approximately 3:30 this morning. She was transported to the Dona Ana County Detention Center.

The New Mexico Corrections Department's Office of Professional Standards will investigate and a determination will be made on what disciplinary action Calzada will face up to and including termination.

This is Calzada's second DWI arrest. She was arrested in August of 2010.

August 2010 arrest details: Calzada was arrested by the Dona Ana County Sheriff's Department, she was charged with aggravated DWI, careless driving, and no insurance. Officer Calzada completed DWI offender supervision on October 6, 2011; this included an ignition interlock device, DWI school, counseling, and 24 hours of community service.

Calzada was hired September 20, 2008.

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