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AUTOS, JEWELRY AND MORE TO BE AUCTIONED ***County's Auction Set for Saturday, November 15, 2008 at 8 a.m.***

The public will once again have the opportunity to bid on autos, jewelry and hundreds of other items during the County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency, Public Administrator/Public Guardian's (PA/PG) auction.

The event will take place Saturday, November 15, 2008 at 8:00 a.m. at the County's Operations Annex in Kearny Mesa, 5201-A Ruffin Road, San Diego.

The auction will feature assets from numerous Superior Court-appointed decedent and conservatorship estates managed by PA/PG.

"People looking for a special deal will find great bargains as the County's auction offers unique and everyday items," said Lori Bays, Public Administrator for the Health and Human Services Agency. "An added bonus is that their bids will benefit the estates we administer."

Registration and viewing of items begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. Vehicle auction bidding starts at 8:30 a.m., followed by all other items. Customers are required to pay for and pick up their property by 2:00 p.m. the same day. Photos of items for sale are available on the PA/PG website at www.papg.org.

PA/PG investigates and administers the estates of persons who die with no will or without an appropriate person willing or able to act as an administrator, usually managing the affairs of 300-400 estates at any given time. PA/PG also investigates conservatorship matters and serves as the legally appointed guardian for elderly and disabled persons found by the Court to be unable to manage their own assets and personal care.

The personal property estate sales are held on the third Saturday of odd-number months. For additional information about items available for sale, please call (858) 694-3500.

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Editor's Note: Members of the media are invited to preview the auction items during the week before the auction. Please call the number above to make arrangements.