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## **LOCAL DRUG DEALER SENTENCED TO 109 MONTHS IN FEDERAL PRISON**

*MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA*— Patrick Perry, a.k.a. “Bimp,” age 39, of Montgomery, Alabama, was sentenced to 109 months in federal prison for federal drug distribution charges, U.S. Attorney Leura G. Canary announced today.

On September 14, 2007, a five-count indictment was returned by a federal grand jury against Perry charging him with three counts of distribution of crack cocaine, one count of possession with the intent to distribute crack cocaine, and one count of possession with intent to distribute cocaine powder. Court documents indicate that the charges stem from Perry distributing crack cocaine to a confidential informant on three separate occasions: March 22, 2006, April 7, 2006, and April 20, 2006. The charges further stem from law enforcement’s execution of a search warrant on July 7, 2006, at a Montgomery residence. During the search, law enforcement recovered, among other things, three plastic bags containing crack cocaine and two plastic bags containing cocaine powder.

On March 5, 2008, Perry pleaded guilty to the federal drug distribution charges. On June 4, 2008, Chief United States District Judge Mark E. Fuller sentenced Perry to a term of imprisonment of 109 months to be followed by 8 years of supervised release. Perry was also ordered to pay a special assessment fee of \$500.00. Perry remains in the custody of the United

States Marshals Service pending placement by the Federal Bureau of Prisons.

The case was investigated by the Drug Enforcement Administration and the Montgomery Police Department. The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Jerusha T. Adams.