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ABC Investigators & the University of Southern California Department of Public Safety Officers Crack Down On Alcohol Violations in the USC Area

LOS ANGELES – California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Investigators and the University of Southern California (USC) Department of Public Safety Officers cited 11 individuals for a variety of alcohol violations on March 30, 2007 on or near the USC campus.

The citations were issued during a joint task force operation. Most of the citations involved minors in possession of alcohol, but some were written for other violations such as drinking in public and being a minor in possession of a fake identification. Five of the citations were given to minors in possession of alcohol, 3 adults were cited for drinking in public, 2 minors were cited for purchasing alcohol and one of them was also cited for being in possession of a fake identification.

ABC has been conducting enforcement operations statewide in order to reduce the availability of alcohol to minors. This operation was part of a continuing partnership involving the ABC, local law enforcement, colleges, community-based organizations and youth organizations such as the Friday Night Live Partnership and the Youth Leadership Institute.

ABC is a Department of the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, which is under the direction of Secretary Dale E. Bonner, a member of the Governor's Cabinet.