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**VICE PRESIDENT JOE BIDEN, ATTORNEY GENERAL ERIC HOLDER
AND ACTING ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL MARY LOU LEARY TO DELIVER
REMARKS AT A WHITE HOUSE MEDAL OF VALOR CEREMONY**

WASHINGTON – Vice President Joe Biden will host a Medal of Valor ceremony with Attorney General Eric Holder and Acting Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs Mary Lou Leary **TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2013, at 1:30 p.m. EST**. The Medal of Valor is awarded to public safety officers who have exhibited exceptional courage, regardless of personal safety, in the attempt to save or protect others from harm.

WHO: Vice President Joe Biden
Attorney General Eric Holder
Acting Assistant Attorney General Mary Lou Leary

WHAT: Remarks at a White House Medal of Valor ceremony

WHEN: **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2013**
1:30 p.m. EST

WHERE: The White House
Eisenhower Executive Office Building
South Court Auditorium
Washington, D.C.
OPEN PRESS

NOTE: All media must present government-issued photo I.D. (such as a driver's license) as well as valid media credentials. Press who wish to cover this event should RSVP to press@ovp.eop.gov by TODAY, Tuesday, February 19, 2013, at 6:00 p.m. EST. Press who DO NOT have a White House hard pass should include their full name, date of birth, Social Security Number, gender, citizenship and current city/state of residence for clearance. All press must enter the White House at the Northwest Gate.

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