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MEDICAL MARIJUANA FORGERS PLEAD GUILTY

A man and a woman charged earlier this summer with forging medical marijuana doctor referral forms and selling marijuana pleaded guilty and were sentenced yesterday.

Stefan Zittel (dob: 01-09-90) pleaded guilty to *distribution/sale of marijuana* (F4) and *forgery* (M1); he was sentenced to a 4 year supervised deferred judgment on the drug count and was sentenced to 2 years probation on the forgery count.

Faith Shirley (dob: 02-05-92) pleaded guilty to *distribution/sale of marijuana* (F4) and *forgery of a public document* (F5) and was sentenced a 4 year supervised deferred judgment on both counts.

In late May 2010, the Denver Police Department began an investigation into a Craigslist ad that offered medical marijuana doctor referral forms. Zittel and Shirley sold forged forms and illegally sold marijuana.

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