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## A's Release OF Willy Taveras

**OAKLAND, Calif.** – The Oakland A's have released outfielder Willy Taveras, the club announced today. Taveras was acquired from the Cincinnati Reds along with infielder Adam Rosales for infielder Aaron Miles and a player to be named later on February 1 but was immediately designated for assignment. He batted .240 with a home run and 15 RBI in 102 games with Cincinnati last year. The 28-year old right-handed hitter has a .276 career average in 643 games with Houston (2004-06), Colorado (2007-08) and Cincinnati (2009).

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