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A's Recall Brad Kilby from Sacramento; Option Landon Powell to Sacramento

OAKLAND, **Calif.** – The Oakland A's have recalled left-handed pitcher Brad Kilby from Triple-A Sacramento and optioned catcher Landon Powell to Sacramento, the club announced today.

Kilby had no decisions and a 1.69 ERA in five relief appearances with Sacramento. He held the opposition to a .200 batting average and struck out seven batters in 5.1 innings. The 27-year old left-hander was 1-1 with a 6.75 ERA in 10 spring training appearances with the A's before he was optioned to Sacramento April 3, the final day of the spring. Kilby made his Major League debut with the A's last September, going 1-0 with a 0.53 ERA in 11 games, one start. He was also 4-2 with two saves and a 2.13 ERA in 45 relief appearances at Sacramento.

Powell was recalled from Sacramento Wednesday when Mark Ellis was placed on the disabled list but he did not appear in a game with Oakland. He is batting .217 with a home run and two RBI in six games with Sacramento

The complete 2010 statistics for Kilby at Sacramento follow:

ERA G GS CG SHO IP **ER** SO R BB 0 1.69 5 Sacramento 0 0 0 0 0 5.1 1 2 7

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