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## A's Reinstate Matt Watson from Disabled List and Outright him to Sacramento

**OAKLAND, Calif.** – The Oakland A's reinstated outfielder Matt Watson from the 15-day disabled list and outrighted him to Triple-A Sacramento, the club announced today.

Watson was placed on the disabled list August 9 retroactive to August 8 with kidney stones. He began a rehab assignment with Sacramento on Sunday and went 4 for 17 (.235) with two doubles and two RBI in four games. Watson hit .200 with a home run and four RBI in 12 games with Oakland. He began the year with the Lancaster Barnstormers of the independent Atlantic League, was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract on May 28 and assigned to Sacramento, and was promoted to Oakland on July 5.

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