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A's Acquire RHP Guillermo Moscoso from Texas

Minor League RHP Ryan Kelly Sent to Rangers; RHP Philip Humber designated for assignment

OAKLAND, Calif. – The Oakland A's acquired right-handed pitcher Guillermo Moscoso from the Texas Rangers in exchange for minor league right-handed pitcher Ryan Kelly, the club announced today. To clear a spot on the 40-man roster, the A's designated right-handed pitcher Philip Humber for assignment.

Moscoso spent most of last season at Triple-A Oklahoma City where he was 7-7 with a 5.18 ERA in 23 games, 22 starts. He allowed a .283 opponents batting average and struck out 107 in 123.1 innings. The 27-year old right-hander also pitched in one game for Texas in May, allowing two runs on two hits and two walks in two-thirds of an inning for a 27.00 ERA. Following the season, the native of Venezuela pitched for Caracas in the Venezuelan Winter League and was 3-0 with a 2.66 ERA in 10 games, eight starts. Moscosco posted a 3.21 ERA in 10 appearances with the Rangers in 2009 and has a 4.30 ERA in 11 career appearances.

Kelly was acquired by the A's from the Pittsburgh organization in a minor league deal in which the A's traded infielder/outfielder Corey Wimberly to the Pirates Dec. 23, 2010. He was 2-3 with four saves and a 4.20 ERA in 38 games, one start, with Single-A West Viriginia. The 23-year old right-hander was originally drafted by Pittsburgh in the 26th round of the 2006 draft.

Humber was claimed off waivers from the Royals Dec. 17. He went 5-6 with a 4.47 ERA in 21 games, 20 starts, at Triple-A Omaha before he was selected by Kansas City Aug. 5. Humber was also 2-1 with a 4.15 ERA in eight games, one start, with the Royals, and allowed a .259 opponents batting average.

The complete 2010 and career statistics for the players involved in today's transactions follow:

MOSCOSO	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	н	R	ER	ВВ	SO
Oklahoma City	7	7	5.18	23	22	1	0	0	123.1	142	82	71	49	107
TEXAS	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.2	2	2	2	2	2
MLB CAREER	0	0	4.30	11	0	0	0	0	14.2	17	9	7	8	14
KELLY	w	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	sv	IP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	so
West Virginia	2	3	4.20	38	1	0	0	4	75.0	75	47	35	14	75
MILB CAREER	6	7	4.74	81	11	0	0	11	184.0	204	125	97	43	171
HUMBER	w	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	н	R	ER	ВВ	so
Omaha	5	6	4.47	21	20	1	1	0	118.2	131	68	59	20	80
KANSAS CITY	2	1	4.15	8	1	0	0	0	21.2	22	10	10	7	16
MLB CAREER	2	1	5.26	26	2	0	0	0	51.1	59	30	30	24	35

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