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### **A's Recall Rodriguez from Sacramento; Option Mazzaro to Sacramento**

**OAKLAND, Calif.** – The Oakland A's have recalled right-handed pitcher Henry Rodriguez from Triple-A Sacramento and optioned right-handed pitcher Vin Mazzaro to Sacramento, the club announced today.

Rodriguez was 0-1 with three saves in eight relief appearances with Sacramento and did not allow an earned run in 9.1 innings. He struck out 14 and walked just three and now has 435 career strikeouts in 339.2 minor league innings, an average of 11.53 strikeouts per nine innings. The 23-year old right-hander yielded a .100 batting average, including .050 (1 for 20) against right-handed hitters. Rodriguez made his Major League debut with Oakland last year and posted a 2.25 ERA and .235 opponents batting average in three games in September.

Mazzaro was recalled from Sacramento yesterday and started against Texas last night, allowing four runs on two hits and four walks in 3.0 innings. He ended up with a no decision in the A's 7-6 win. Mazzaro was 1-1 with a 2.59 ERA in five games, four starts, at Sacramento. He surrendered just one home run in 24.1 innings and allowed a .239 batting average, including .167 with runners in scoring position.

The complete 2010 statistics for Rodriguez follow:

<b>RODRIGUEZ</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>ERA</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>GS</b>	<b>CG</b>	<b>SHO</b>	<b>SV</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>
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