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A's Agree to Terms with RHP Joey Devine on One-Year Contract

OAKLAND, Calif. – The Oakland A's agreed to terms with right-handed pitcher Joey Devine on a one-year contract, the club announced today. The deal with Devine leaves the A's with five players eligible for arbitration: Dallas Braden, Craig Breslow, Conor Jackson, Kevin Kouzmanoff and Brad Ziegler.

Devine has missed each of the last two seasons after undergoing "Tommy John" surgery on his right elbow, April 21, 2009. He last pitched in the majors in 2008 when he was 6-1 with a 0.59 ERA in 42 relief appearances with the A's. The 27-year old right-hander has a 2.48 ERA in 67 career appearances.

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