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### A's Place Anderson and Ellis on 15-Day Disabled List

*Oakland Recalls Cramer and Selects Weeks from Triple-A Sacramento*

OAKLAND, Calif. – The Oakland A's placed left-handed pitcher Brett Anderson (left elbow soreness) and infielder Mark Ellis (right hamstring strain) on the 15-day disabled list and recalled left-handed pitcher Bobby Cramer and selected infielder Jemile Weeks from Triple-A Sacramento, the team announced today. To make room for Weeks on the 40-man roster, the A's transferred Dallas Braden from the 15-day DL to the 60-day DL.

This marks Cramer's third stint with the A's this season. He was on the team's Opening Day roster before being optioned to Sacramento April 25 when Michael Wuertz was reinstated from the DL. He was then recalled May 27 before being optioned May 29 when Andrew Bailey was reinstated from the DL. Cramer is 0-1 with a 2.45 ERA in three appearances, all in relief, with the A's and has no decisions and a 4.03 ERA in six games, all starts, with the River Cats.

Weeks, the A's first-round selection (12th selection overall) in the 2008 First-Year Player Draft, will be making his Major League debut. He was batting .321 with three home runs and 22 RBI in 44 games with the River Cats this season.

Anderson is 3-6 with a 4.00 ERA in 13 starts this season. He is 1-5 with a 5.73 ERA, 21 walks and eight home runs allowed in 48.2 innings over his last eight starts after going 2-1 with a 1.56 ERA, four walks and no home runs in 34.2 innings through his first five starts. Anderson went 7-6 with a 2.80 ERA in 19 starts last season and is 21-23 with a 3.66 ERA in 62 career starts. This is his third career stint on the DL.

Ellis is batting .213 with one home run and 15 RBI in 58 games. He ranks second among American League second basemen with a .994 fielding percentage this season. Ellis is eighth on the Oakland career list with 204 doubles and is tied for eighth with 22 triples. This is his sixth career stint on the DL.

The complete 2011 statistics for Cramer and Weeks follow:

CRAMER	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento	0	0	4.03	6	6	0	0	0	22.1	22	11	10	12	16
OAKLAND	0	1	2.45	3	0	0	0	0	3.2	1	1	1	1	2

WEEKS	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.321	44	184	30	59	6	4	3	22	28	32	9	4	.446	.414

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