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*****MEDIA UNVEILING THIS
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH AT 11:00 AM*****

As John Dillinger Departs, Ted Bundy Arrives*Media invited to first-ever public unveiling of Ted Bundy's deadly VW Beetle*

WHAT: With the move of the John Dillinger 1933 Essex Teraplane getaway car to the Southwest terminal at BWI Airport, the National Museum of Crime and Punishment (NMCP) is welcoming a new vehicle to its main lobby floor. The media is invited to the first public opportunity to view the car of notorious serial killer Ted Bundy's 1968 VW Beetle, the automobile used in a slew of women's murders from 1974-1977. The car, purchased by a collector and stored in a private collection until its arrival at NMCP, will serve not only as a unique artifact but also as a teaching tool for museum visitors to learn how to avoid becoming victims of vicious criminals such as Bundy.

On hand at the media preview to address questions and offer safety tips will be Wyndell C. Watkins, Sr. retired Deputy Chief of Police for the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) in Washington, D.C. During his tenure with MPD he served in elite positions such as commander of the Homicide and Sex Offense Branches, commander of The Cold Case Squad, Director of Internal Affairs, and commander of the Intelligence and Special Investigation Divisions. Upon retiring he became a court certified expert witness in police policy and procedures, licensed private investigator, and a certified examiner in the use of the Computer Voice Stress Analyzer (CVSA). In 2008, Watkins authored "YouVestigate, Don't Speculate," a book using time proven processes, procedures and technology to illustrate to the public the importance of being safe by being sure.

DATE/TIME: **Thursday, February 18, 2010, 11:00 AM (rescheduled date due to snow)**

LOCATION: **National Museum of Crime and Punishment**
575 7th Street NW (between E and F Streets), Washington, D.C.
Gallery Place/Chinatown Metro (Arena exit).

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About the National Museum of Crime & Punishment

NMCP's mission is to provide guests of all ages with a memorable insight into the issues of crime, crime fighting, and the consequences of committing a crime in America through a captivating interactive, entertaining and educational experience. The museum is located on 7th Street NW between E and F Streets in downtown Washington, D.C. at the Gallery Place/Chinatown Metro (Arena exit). For more information, visit www.crimemuseum.org

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