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FBI's "Operation Gumshoe" Cocaine Bust Puts Forfeited Home in Canton, Ohio up on the Online Auction Block

Forfeited to the Federal Government, a single family home in Canton, Ohio is up for bids online

SILVER SPRING, Md., February 14, 2008 – Bid4Assets, Inc., a leading online auction site for forfeited, surplus and tax-defaulted property from federal, state and local government and private industry, today announced that it will auction a single family residence in Canton, Ohio, forfeited to the U.S. Government. The home is currently in preview on the Bid4Assets Web site at www.bid4assets.com/usms. Online bidding begins February 19 - 21, 2008.

The home is located at 6967 Deer Trail Avenue, NE, Canton, Stark County. It is a detached two-story residence with four bedrooms, three bathrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, laundry room, two fireplaces and a three-car garage. There is a finished family room with a .75 bath in the basement. The home has 2,558 +/- square feet of gross living area and is situated on 27,375 +/- square feet.

The minimum bid for the home starts at \$237,100. The U.S. Marshals require bidders to submit a pre-bid deposit of \$23,710 prior to placing a bid. The pre-bid deposit submission is simple and can be completed on the auction listing page on the Bid4Assets Web site. See Web site for details.

Specifications, photos, appraisal details and other information are currently available online at <http://www.bid4assets.com/usms>. Interested buyers can contact Bid4Assets with any questions by sending an email to service@bid4assets.com. For those individuals who are unable to access the Internet, they can contact Bid4Assets toll-free at 1-877-4ASSETS to request an off-line bid form.

"We offer buyers across the country with immediate access to a trusted network of U.S. Government agencies auctioning off high-value assets. The U.S. Marshals Service conducts about 500 auctions annually on the Bid4Assets Web site. The wide variety of unique, high-value property forfeited to the Marshals and other government agencies and placed up for auction is mind boggling," said Jenny Lynch, spokeswoman for Bid4Assets.

“The Internet allows interested buyers to find all of the information they need to make a purchasing decision online.”

Bid4Assets has been conducting auctions for the U.S. Marshals since December 1999 to include residential and commercial real estate, luxury automobiles, collector cars, aircraft, boats, jewelry, timeshares, sports memorabilia and financial instruments. The property offered for sale is either seized by and/or forfeited to the United States under federal forfeiture laws.

About Bid4Assets, Inc.

Bid4Assets (<http://www.bid4assets.com>) is the leading online auction site that provides buyers across the country with universal online access to a trusted network of U.S. Government agencies and private sellers auctioning off high-value property. Founded in 1999, Bid4Assets developed one of the first sales platforms for government-controlled property on the Internet and formed its premier partnership with the U.S. Marshals Service. Bid4Assets has since conducted sales of seized, forfeited, tax-defaulted, surplus and non-strategic assets for more than 80 federal, state and local government agencies nationwide. Clients include the U.S. Marshals Service, the Department of Energy, the Department of the Treasury, the states of Georgia and Maryland and the county of San Francisco, California. The company is located in Silver Spring, Md., phone (301) 650-9193, fax (301) 650-9194.

About U.S. Marshals Service

The Marshals Service (<http://www.usdoj.gov/marshals/>) administers the Department of the Justice’s Asset Forfeiture Program by managing and disposing of properties seized and forfeited by federal law enforcement agencies and U.S. attorneys nationwide. Currently, the Marshals Service manages more than \$878 million worth of property. The proceeds from the sale of forfeited assets such as real property, vehicles, businesses, financial instruments, vessels, aircraft and jewelry are deposited into the Asset Forfeiture Fund and are used to further law enforcement initiatives.

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