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WEST POINT, N.Y. – Christopher Monge, a member of the Class of 2017, was convicted by a military judge for drug-related offenses during court-martial proceedings today. He was sentenced to 30 months confinement, dismissal from the U.S. Army, and forfeiture of all pay and allowances.

Monge was formally charged in November 2016 with violations of Article 112a (Wrongful Possession and Wrongful Distribution of the Controlled Substances Alprazolam and Oxycodone) and violations of Article 81 (Conspiracy to Distribute controlled substances), of the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

“Cadet Monge’s behavior is inappropriate and inconsistent with the values of the military academy. The facts were presented in a full and open hearing and the issue was resolved in a manner consistent with military law and due process requirements” said Chief of Media Relations, Theresa Brinkerhoff.