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PRESS RELEASE

Defendant: Albert M. BRESSAN Jr.; age 27 of 9 Blueberry Lane, Oxford, MA

Date: Thursday, April 9, 2009

Incident: Assault and Battery (Domestic)

At 8:30 p.m., Patrolman Jacob Bloniasz was summoned to the Douglas Police station to investigate the report of a missing 15 year old. Upon his arrival, Officer Bloniasz learned that the missing teen had been located and was being transported back to the police station to speak with him. During further investigation, Patrolman Bloniasz was informed that an assault had occurred between the teen and Mr. Bressan. Mr. Bressan arrived at the police station a short time later where he was placed under arrest for Domestic Assault and Battery. He was taken into custody without incident and later bailed and released.

Defendant: Robert HOULIHAN; age 46 of 40 Walnut Street, Douglas, MA

Date: Saturday, April 11, 2009

Incident: Outstanding Warrants

At 5:15 p.m., Patrolman Jacob Bloniasz arrested Mr. Houlihan at his residence on two outstanding arrest warrants. Mr. Houlihan was taken into custody without incident. He was subsequently bailed later that evening and released.



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Defendant: Robert H. MARANDA; age 20 of 724 Buck Hill Road, Pascoag, Rhode Island
Date: Monday, April 13, 2009
Incident: O.U.I. Alcohol, Improper Operation of a Motor Vehicle, Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle

At approximately 5:27 a.m. Patrolman Travis Gould stopped a motor vehicle on South Street, Rte. 96 after observing it being operated with a defective and loud exhaust. Conversation with the operator who was identified as Mr. Maranda led Patrolman Gould to suspect he was operating under the influence of liquor. Further investigation led to Mr. Maranda's arrest for the aforementioned charges.

During his investigation, Officer Gould observed that both Maranda and his female passenger, who was identified as 18 year old Faith Rose, had sustained a number of injuries that appeared to be recent. Officers later learned that Mr. Maranda and Ms. Rose had been involved earlier in a physical altercation with one another while in Rhode Island. Patrolman Mark Kaminski contacted the Burrillville, Rhode Island Police Department and later transported Ms. Rose to them.

Mr. Maranda was processed at the Douglas Police station and subsequently transported to the Uxbridge District Courthouse where he was arraigned.