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## PRESS RELEASE

**Date: Saturday, September 26, 2009**

**Defendant: Maxwell B. HADERS; age 23 of 241 Grandview Drive, Warwick, RI 02886**

**Incident: O.U.I. Alcohol, Negligent Oper. of a M/V, Unlicensed Oper. of M/V, Speeding**

At 12:17 a.m. Douglas officers responded to the area of 90 Cedar Street after a caller reported a motor vehicle had driven off the roadway and crashed nearby. Upon their arrival, officers determined that the involved vehicle, upon approaching the corner in the roadway, was unable to slow sufficiently enough, causing it to leave the roadway. After continuing up onto the front lawn at 90 Cedar Street, it struck a nearby stonewall where it came to rest shortly thereafter.

Officers found the operator and lone occupant at the scene, and soon identified him as Mr. HADERS. Mr. HADERS was evaluated at the scene by Douglas E.M.T.'s and eventually refused further treatment or transportation to an area hospital.

Officers continued their investigation at the scene. As a result, Patrolman Travis Gould placed Mr. HADERS under arrest for operating under the influence of alcohol after he failed series of sobriety tests. Mr. HADERS was also found to have been operating with a suspended Rhode Island driver's license. Mr. HADERS' condition was believed to have been a contributing factor in the crash. In addition, he was charged with speeding and negligent operation of a motor vehicle.

Mr. HADERS was booked at the police station and later released on personal recognizance. He will be arraigned on the charges in Uxbridge District Court.