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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Assault 3rd Degree Date: March 30, 2007

From: Sgt Erickson Case or Incident #: 2007-009957

Summary:

On March 30, 2007 at about 2325 hours, the Juneau Police Department received a report from a Downtown Hotel employee reporting he was chased by a man with a knife.

The employee told police he was asked by a patron of the hotel to check on a man on the second floor. The employee found the man and the man became hostile and yelled profanities at the employee. The employee attempted to ascertain where the man was supposed to be and while talking with the man, the man produced a knife and began threatening the employee. The man then chased the employee with the knife from the second floor of the hotel.

Juneau Police Officers responded to the hotel and contacted the man, who was identified as 32 year old Juneau resident Roy GUTHRIE. GUTHRIE was taken into custody without incident and found to be in possession of a knife matching the description provided by the employee. GUTHRIE was arrested for Assault in the 3rd Degree, a Class C Felony and lodged at the Lemon Creek Correctional Center with standard no bail conditions.

Any charges reported in this press release are merely accusations and the defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.