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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Assault at Thunder Mountain High School

Date: 9-10-08

From: Lt. Kris Sell

Case or Incident: 080910-006

Summary: On September 10, 2008, at about 9:56 in the morning, staff at the Thunder Mountain High School reported that a sixteen year old male was punching lockers and was out of control. It was also reported that school staff was considering placing the school in 'lock-down' status.

Officers of the Juneau Police Department responded and took a male student into custody. The school was not placed in 'lock-down' status.

The investigation revealed that the male had assaulted a staff member by placing her in fear of physical injury. The male was also charged with interfering with an officer based on his actions toward the first responding officer, who is a JPD officer assigned to the school resource unit.

The male was lodged at the Johnson Youth Center.

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

***** END OF STATEMENT *****

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