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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Sexual Assault 3rd Degree

Date: 08/25/2009

From: Sgt. David Campbell

Case # 090825-004

Summary:

On 08/25/2009, at approximately 9:24 am, the Juneau Police Department received a report of a sexual assault that occurred in the woods above Gastineau Avenue. In essence, a 44 year old male Juneau resident reported that he had been camping in the woods with his girlfriend, a 42 year old female Juneau resident. The male victim said that he woke up to discover a man fondling his genitals. The male victim said that the female was naked from the waist down. The male victim said that he chased the suspect away from the campsite.

The investigation determined that the male suspect was 21 year old Juneau resident Ernest Roy JOHNSON Jr. On 08/25/2009, at approximately 4:20 pm, JOHNSON Jr. was located at the Glory Hole on Franklin Street. JOHNSON Jr. was detained and taken to the Juneau Police Department.

Ernest Roy JOHNSON Jr. was arrested for Sexual Assault in the 3rd Degree, a Class C Felony. JOHNSON Jr. was transported to and lodged at the Lemon Creek Correctional Center and held on No Bail.

The investigation continues.

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

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