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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Sexual Abuse of a Minor 2nd Degree

Date: 05/23/2008

From: Sgt David Campbell

Case #: 080523-001

Summary:

On 05/22/2008, at approximately 2300 hours, the Juneau Police Department received a report of a recent incident that involved the sexual abuse of a minor. In essence, a parent called and reported that their 15 year old child had been sexually abused the previous day by a 38 year old neighbor.

The investigation revealed that 38 year old female Juneau resident Lindi VINJE had sexually abused a 15 year old juvenile victim. The incident took place at a residence on the 5000 block of the North Douglas Highway. Alcohol was a factor in the incident.

On 05/23/2008, at approximately 1900 hours, VINJE was contacted at the 5000 block residence of the North Douglas Highway. VINJE was arrested for Sexual Abuse of a Minor in the 2nd Degree. She was taken to the Bartlett Regional Hospital for an examination. VINJE was then transported to and lodged at the Lemon Creek Correctional Center without bail.

The investigation is continuing.

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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