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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Vehicle vs. Bicycle Accident Date: 05-27-2008

From: Sergeant Tom Bates Case or Incident: 080527-004

Summary:

On 05-27-2008 at 7:41am, the Juneau Police Department received a report that a young boy on a bicycle had been struck by a vehicle on Mendenhall Blvd. at Mendenhall Loop Road.

Preliminary investigation revealed a 1998 Ford truck driven by a 20 year old Vermont man struck the 13 year old Juneau boy as he crossed the street on his bike in front of the truck. Witnesses at the scene said the boy was crossing against a red light.

The boy was transported to Bartlett Regional Hospital by Capital City Fire/Rescue where he was treated for head lacerations and internal injuries. It is expected he will be flown to another medical facility for additional treatment.

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.

*** END OF STATEMENT ***
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