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## **INFORMATION RELEASE**

Subject: Felony Assault Date: 8-10-07

From: Lieutenant Kris Sell Case or Incident #: 2007-027507

2007-027514

## **Summary:**

On 8-9-07, at about 0250 hours a man called the Juneau Police Department to report a 38 year old woman had been assaulted in her home in Douglas. Officers investigated and arrested 37 year old Lesley Ann RHODES for felony domestic violence assault for strangling and punching her former roommate. RHODES was stopped driving on Douglas Highway near Lawson Creek Road and arrested for driving while intoxicated. She was later arrested for the assault as the investigation progressed.

RHODES was lodged without bail at the Lemon Creek Correctional Center on a charge of assault in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree, a C felony. RHODES was given a court date for the DWI and not lodged on that charge.

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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