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MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:
Agency Assist	February 18, 2015
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:
15BU3955	South Willard Street and Pearl Street
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:
Detective Dwayne Mellis	(802) 540-2297
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:
Lt. Art Cyr	Deputy Chief Bovat
VICTIM:	AGE: VICTIM ADDRESS:
SUSPECT:	AGE: SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Alonzo Jones	32 Brooklyn New York
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:	

NARRATIVE:

This morning Burlington Police assisted the United States Marshal Service with the execution of a search warrant on South Willard Street, in connection with an ongoing investigation. During the warrant a New York man jumped from a second story window. As he did so his pants became caught on a piece of the building and he was stuck, suspended by his pants outside of the apartment window. He was assisted down by members of the Burlington Fire Department.

The man was later identified as 25 year old man from Brooklyn, NY. The man was transported to the hospital and treated for minor injuries. It is unclear at this time what prompted him to jump from the window. At this time he has not been charged with any crime and was released.

During the execution of the warrant, Alonzo Jones, a 32 year old resident of Brooklyn, NY was witnessed throwing crack cocaine out a window of the apartment. Jones was taken into custody and will appear in court later today.

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Officer James P. McGrath, end of watch May 12, 1904; Officer J. Albert Fisher, end of watch December 15, 1947; Officer Robert W. Provost, end of watch January 13, 1954 Detectives from the Burlington Police Department have taken over the drug investigation related to this incident.

<u>At this time there is no photograph available for Jones</u>. As soon as one is ready it will be forwarded.

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2/18/15, 12:07P UPDATE:

It has been determined that the man arrested in regards to the event on South Willard Street may have provided false information as to his identity. Police are waiting for a finger print comparison response from the FBI National Data Base. This request could take up to two hours. As soon as the identity of Alonza Jones is confirmed or proven false we will update you.

2/18/15, 12:58P UPDATE:

The FBI has confirmed that the man in police custody is Alonzo Jones. A 32 year old male from Brooklyn New York.

