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MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Motor Vehicle Accident with Injury	April 12, 2014 at approximately 1749	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
2014BU008964	Intersection of Brierwood Lane, and Dale Road.	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Ofc. N. Moyer #326	540-2326	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Ofc. N. Moyer #326	Sgt. T. Radford #123	
VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:
Juvenile Male	9	Burlington
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Elise Newbold	52	Burlington
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Criminal charges pending		

NARRATIVE:

On April 12, 2014 at approximately 1749 hours the Burlington Police were dispatched to a motor vehicle accident, with injury, involving a child on a skateboard.

The child was a 9 year old male who had crashed into the rear of a black vehicle, operated by Elise Newbold, age 52, of Burlington, Vermont. The incident occurred at the intersection of Brierwood Lane and Dale Road. The 9 year old sustained multiple injuries to include bruises, scrapes and a possible broken hand and leg. Extents of injuries were not determined at the time of press release. Criminal charges are pending against the operator for failing to stay on scene until Police arrived. The case is still under investigation.

The 9 year old was not wearing a helmet or other protective equipment and may have been distracted when using a cell phone at the time of riding his skateboard. The Burlington Police Department would like to remind the public about the importance of wearing proper protective equipment as well as abiding by all traffic laws and ordinances in relation to skateboards, bicycles, and skates that may be used on public roadways and sidewalks as well as recreational areas. The Burlington Police Department would also like to advise the public that if you are involved in an accident where injury is sustained by any party involved, whether you are at fault or not, you MUST speak with a law enforcement officer prior to leaving the scene of the accident. Any witnesses or any person with information regarding the above incident is requested to contact Ofc. N. Moyer at 540-2326.

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