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MEDIA RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: June 21, 2018

Man out on Bail for Attacking Officers; Charged with Violent Home Invasion

CONCORD – On Wednesday June 20, 2018 at approximately 2:55pm Concord Police responded to 32 Cherry St, a multi-unit apartment complex, for a report of a Burglary in Progress. Officers arrested an adult male who was charged with multiple crimes related to the violent home invasion. Concord Police arrested:

IRAKOZE ILDEPHONES, Age 28yrs

Concord, NH.

Mr. Ildephones was charged with:

DEFAULT OR BREACH OF BAIL CONDITIONS (RSA 597:7-A) (Class A Misd)

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (RSA 644:8) (Class B Felony)

BURGLARY (RSA 635:1) (Class B Felony)

INDECENT EXPOSURE AND LEWDNESS (RSA 645:1) (Class A Misd)

SIMPLE ASSAULT (RSA 631:2-A) (Class A Misd)

RECKLESS CONDUCT; PLACE ANOTHER IN DANGER (RSA 631:3) (Class B Felony)

CRIMINAL MISCHIEF (VANDALISM) (RSA 634:2) (Class A Misd)

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Mr. Ildephones was held overnight at the Merrimack County House of Corrections on \$15,000 cash only bail. He will be arraigned on June 21, 2018 @ 1pm at the Merrimack County Superior Court.

“Community Committed”

Concord Police Officers responded to 32 Cherry St. for a reported Burglary in Progress. Resident reported that a male dressed only in a bathrobe was pounding on doors of the complex. The male then disrobed and scaled a wall and climbed onto a second story porch. He then smashed through the glass storm door of an occupied apartment. The two occupants of the apartment, who have no relation or acquaintance to Mr. Ildephones, fled out of the building and took refuge in a locked car.

Responding officers observed Mr. Ildephones vandalizing the apartment, throwing property off of the porch, and stomping on broken glass. The officers attempted to negotiate with the male from outside of the apartment to no avail. Mr. Ildephones began to throw shards of glass at the officers, forcing them to take cover. Officer could hear the victim family's dog barking very loudly and then go silent when Mr. Ildephones went into the residence.

Numerous back-up officers arrived and we able to secure the area, protect other residents, and then approach the suspect. Officers gained access to the building and approached the apartment where Mr. Ildephones was located. Mr. Ildephones observed the approaching officers and became aggressive. Officer used an electronic control device (taser) to subdue Mr. Ildephones. Even though he had been tased Mr. Ildephones actively struggled with officers and it took several officers to gain control of him and secure him into handcuffs. Mr. Ildelphones was transported to a medical facility to be treated for minor injuries and then brought to jail.

Officers at the scene discovered that the family's golden retriever had been seriously assaulted and strangled. The dog was brought to an emergency veterinarian for treatment and is expected to recover.

At the time of the incident Mr. Ildephones was out on bail for an incident that took place on June 18, 2018. On June 18, 2018 at approximately 1:29AM two uniformed Concord Police Officers were at Concord Hospital investigating a stabbing that occurred downtown (the stabbing victim had been transported to the hospital). Mr. Ildephones was at the hospital and being escorted by security for an unrelated and unknown reason (he was not part of that investigation). He observed the officers, who were investigating the stabbing, and initiated an aggressive verbal rant. He then clenched his fists and charged the officers. The officers were able to deflect Mr. Ildephones attack. A struggle ensued and Mr. Ildephones was taken into custody. He was charged with:

DISORDERLY CONDUCT (RSA 644:2) (MISDEMEANOR A)

**CRIMINAL THREATENING (INTIMIDATION, ETC) (RSA 631:4)
(MISDEMEANOR A)**

RESISTING ARREST OR DETENTION (RSA 642:2) (MISDEMEANOR A)

**ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SIMPLE ASSAULT ON A POLICE OFFICER (RSA 629:1)
(MISDEMEANOR A)**

He was arraigned on June 18, 2018 at the Concord District Court.

The police are asking the public for any information pertaining to either incident. Please contact Lt. Sean Ford at 225-8600 or the Concord Regional Crimeline 226-3100.

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