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# PRESS RELEASE

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Case Number: 21ES004282

Narrative:

On July 19, 2021, at 10:35 PM the Essex Police Department received a complaint about a late reported domestic disturbance that had occurred. Officers met with one of the parties involved, later identified as the victim at the University of Vermont Medical Center.

Investigation revealed that [REDACTED] (23) of Essex Junction assaulted the victim on two separate occasions, once at the victim's home in Burlington and once at [REDACTED]'s home in Essex Junction.

Officers made several attempts to locate [REDACTED] and were unsuccessful. Due to the severity of the incident, and the concern for the victim's safety an arrest warrant was applied for and later granted.

On July 20, 2021 at 2:27 PM [REDACTED] was taken in custody at his residence. [REDACTED] was lodged at the Northwest Regional Correctional Facility and held without bail for the following charges:

1<sup>st</sup> Degree Aggravated Domestic Assault (Felony)  
1<sup>st</sup> Degree Unlawful Restraint (Felony)  
Domestic Assault Misdemeanor

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