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PRESS RELEASE

Date: March 30, 2016
Case Number: 16ES01624

Narrative: On March 30, 2016 officers of the Essex Police Department stopped a teal Pontiac Mountaineer showing a Vermont in transit permit of X34713. The operator was identified as Kaitlyn Wells (21) of Georgia Vermont. Three additional passengers were identified as Franklyn Estevez (23) of Winooski Vermont, Stephanie McElroy (24) of St. Johnsbury Vermont and Omar Benard-Sharif (34) from Pennsylvania. During the investigation a small amount of marijuana was located. While conducting a search for other possible drugs, various bags of clothing were located in the trunk containing electronic security tags. South Burlington Police reported they had a recent theft at Victoria Secret which was the brand of clothing located inside of the vehicle. This investigation is still on going.

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