

# Clinton County Sheriff's Office

## News Release

**TO: AREA NEWS**

**REPORTED BY: Deputy Malcolm**

**APPROVED BY: Lt. Leon**

**SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Updated Release on the Two Vessel Personal Injury Accident which occurred on 8/4/2016**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Major Michael Reid**

**NAMES OF VESSELS/OCCUPANTS:**

**"Eiger Stubli" – 36' Sailboat**

- Heather Main 49 y/o Female - South Burlington, Vermont
- David Main 45 y/o Male - South Burlington, Vermont
- 16 y/o Male - South Burlington, Vermont
- 14 y/o Male - South Burlington, Vermont

**"Mame" – 41' Sailboat**

- Trent Toensing – Lyme, NH

**ADDRESS: Lake Champlain NY**

**NARRATIVE:** The "Eiger Stubli" was sailing in a Westerly direction towards Point AuRoche with the four occupants. The "Mame" was operating in an Easterly direction away from Point AuRoche. Heather Main was at the Helm of the "Eiger Stubli" steering it when the bow of the "Mame", which was being operated by Toensing, struck the starboard quarter of the "Eiger Stubli" and continued up onto it where the anchor/bow of the "Mame" struck and injured Heather Main. None of the other occupants of either vessel reported being injured or struck by the vessels.

The victim was transported to C.V.P.H. where she was treated for her injuries and released.

The "Eiger Stubli" sustained damage to the starboard quarter and helm/steering area but was still operational and was able to leave the scene under its own power. The "Mame" sustained damage to the freeboard area of the bow and was also still operational and was able to leave the scene under its own power.

No tickets have been issued as of the time of this release since the investigation is still on-going and there has been no determination of which vessel was at fault yet.

