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Media Release

Date/Time of Release: June 1st, 2021 at 8:00 PM

Date of Incident Occurrence: June 1st, 2021 at 11:30 AM

Nature of Event: Unlawful Imprisonment

Location of Event Occurrence: 105 Perrine St. Street Auburn, NY

Media Release Written By: *Det. Sean DeRosa*

On June 1st, 2021 at about 11:15 AM the Auburn Police Department were dispatched to 105 Perrine St. to check the welfare of a resident at that address since the resident had missed several medical appointments. Patrolman arrived on scene shortly after where they heard a faint call for help from inside the residence. Patrolman called for the Auburn Fire Department and TLC Ambulance to assist with what they believed was a medical distress call. Patrol started to force entry into the residence to assist the subject in distress. Upon entry into the house, they discovered that it was a domestic incident as the victim exited the house stating that he been held against his will for 3 days and the suspect ran to the back of the house where he barricaded himself in the back bedroom. The Crisis Negotiation Team and Emergency Response Team were called to the scene to assist. The suspect was taken into custody shortly after.

As precautions, the surrounding schools in that area were put into a “Lock Out” for the safety of the students and staff during the incident but the “Lock Out” was lifted when the suspect was taken into custody before normal dismissal time.

Mark A. Stopyra was arrested and charged with Unlawful Imprisonment in the First Degree. He was processed and held pending his arraignment at the Centralized Arraignment Court. The investigation is still on going and any further information can be directed to Det. Sean DeRosa at 315-255-4706 or sderosa@auburnny.gov.

Defendant:

**Mark A. Stopyra 40 years old
105 Perrine St. Auburn NY 13021**

Charges:

**1 Ct Unlawful Imprisonment in the First Degree
Class E Felony**

