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NARRATIVE FOR OFFICER CODY ALVAREZ

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On Tuesday, March 28, 2023, at approximately 12:30 HRS, I, Officer Cody Alvarez of the Cheshire Police Department, was dispatched to the area of 417 North State Rd (Route 8) for a motor vehicle accident; no injuries and it was possibly a hit and run. Massachusetts State Trooper Burns and I arrived simultaneously and began speaking with the operator of a Red Pontiac car. When asked about injury, she advised that her back started hurting. Cheshire Fire and Adams Ambulance were dispatched. The operator was unable to open her driver side door.

The operator of vehicle one was identified as Jessica ROBERTS (compared and she was traveling South on route 8 when she saw and felt a red tractor-trailer truck hit the left side of her vehicle. The truck did not stop and continued driving North. Her car had moderate damage to the left rear side, and her back tire was popped. The only description given was a red tractor trailer truck with white writing and a white dry van type trailer. ROBERTS did not remember what the writing said and did not get a license plate number.

After evaluation was complete, ROBERTS was transported to Berkshire Medical Center for further evaluation. Her vehicle was subsequently towed to her house, and per policy, an inventory of the vehicle's contents was conducted. At the time of this report, the speed of the Tractor Trailer truck is unknown, and it has not been located. There were no signs of breaking or tire marks in the road to indicate either vehicle slowing down before impact.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cody Alvarez #393

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SUPPLEMENTAL NARRATIVE FOR OFFICER CODY ALVAREZ

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On Thursday, March 30, 2023 at approximately 2:00 PM, I went to Cheshire Liquor Center and asked to review camera footage of the front of the store. According to the video, at approximately 12:24 PM on Tuesday March 29, a Red "Saia" truck with a white trailer passes the store heading North. I was able to locate a phone number for the company and spoke to James PRESTENBAK who is a casualty claims adjuster for Saia Motor Freight.

PRESTENBAK was able to identify the driver and gave him my contact information. The driver of the truck, Kyle COSSEY (and a saw a red car that was driving northbound when he saw a red car that was southbound cross over into his lane. It was unknown if the vehicles collided and COSSEY did not fell anything hit the truck. COSSEY stated he looked in his side mirror and it looked to him like the vehicle hit the guard rail. He continued driving to find a safe place to stop and inspect the truck and he did not see any damage. COSSEY also advised that his truck has dash cam recording that records the front of the truck.

At approximately 4:27 PM PRESTENBAK called me and advised me of the dash cam recording and willingly sent it to me via email. In the video, COSSEY is driving North in his lane when a red Pontiac operated by ROBERTS crosses the solid double yellow line and you can hear her make contact with the truck. COSSEY applies the vehicles breaks and swerves the truck in an attempt to avoid the collision.

After reviewing the footage, ROBERTS will be issued Massachusetts Uniform Citation number violation of MGL C89 S4A marked lanes violation.