NEWS RELEASE
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Police Respond to 5th DUII into Fixed Object
Calls in Two Weeks
Case No. 12-04488

SUMMARY: Police charged Damien Dasilveira Bittar, Date of Birth 3/15/91, with DUII and
Reckless Driving charges after he drove his car into a building early this morning.

At 1:28 this morning, Eugene Police Officers were dispatched to Serenity Lane, 616 E. 16th,
regarding a black 1997 Chevy Malibu that had crashed into a building. When officers arrived,
they located Damien Dasilveira Bittar, date of birth 3/15/91, as he was trying to leave the scene.
He was detained and subsequently charged with DUII, Reckless Driving, and Criminal Mischief
in the Second Degree. His car was impounded.

There have been five DUII crashes into stationary objects between this week and last.

With St. Patrick’s Day approaching police would like to remind the public to include sober
transportation arrangements in their festivity planning. The Eugene Police Department will have
additional officers on patrol this weekend for targeted DUII enforcement.

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Previous DUIIs:
March 5: 2000 Block Jefferson – Vehicle into house
March 7: 3900 Block Wolf Meadows – Vehicle into tree
March 9: 300 Block Hope – Vehicle through fence into pole
March 9: West 6th Avenue and Chambers – Vehicle into traffic meter
March 13: 3400 Block Westward Ho – Vehicle through fence into shed