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**UPDATE**

## **TWO ADDITIONAL ARRESTS IN THOMPSON CT. MURDER/ ROBBERY INVESTIGATION**

During this extensive criminal investigation Connecticut State Police Troop-D developed information regarding a possible location of the two suspects CHRISTOPHER PELTIER and JOHN TETREAULT who were wanted by Connecticut State Police in this investigation. The information relative to a possible location of these suspects was shared with New Hampshire Police authorities.

On 09/13/05 in the late afternoon the Hampton Beach New Hampshire Police located suspect TETREAULT in their community. Hampton Beach Police took the suspect into custody without incident. He is being held as a fugitive from the State of Connecticut.

During the evening hours of 09/13/05 Connecticut State Troopers again developed information regarding the possible location of the second suspect PELTIER. Connecticut Troopers learned that the suspect might be located in a room at the Regal Inn 162 Ashwood Ave in Hampton Beach New Hampshire.

Hampton New Hampshire Police responded to that location and located the suspect in a room at that Inn. PELTIER was taken into custody without incident.

Both suspects were held as Fugitives From Justice From the State of Connecticut. They were arraigned today in Hampton District Court at 11:00 a.m. Both accused waived extradition and were turned over to Connecticut State Police.

**Both accused were returned to Connecticut by Connecticut State Police Detectives. They arrived at Troop-D late this afternoon. Both accused will be arraigned in Superior Court in Danielson on 09/15/05**

**ARRESTED#1: CHRISTOPHER PELTIER DOB: 8/8/75 683 Riverside Drive Thompson, CT**

**CHARGES: Murder, Felony Murder, Robbery 1<sup>st</sup>, and Assault 2<sup>nd</sup>. Accused held on \$1,750,000 bond to appear GA#11 Danielson on 09/15/05**

**ARRESTED#2: JOHN TETREAULT DOB: 6/12/87 27 Dyer Street Danielson, Ct.**

**CHARGE: Conspiracy to Commit Robbery 1<sup>st</sup>. Accused held on \$100,000 bond to appear GA#11 on 09/15/05**

**This criminal investigation is continuing.**

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