## Clinton County Sheriffs Office News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Arrest - Prison Contraband

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: Mark L. Gagnier and Audrey N. Filion

ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY

AGE-SEX: 52/M, 20/F

**CHARGES: See Narrative** 

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 11/25/12 - 1400 hours

**NARRATIVE**: Clinton County Sheriff's deputies arrested Mark L. Gagnier and Audrey N. Filion on the above date and time for allegedly promoting prison contraband. During a visit at the Clinton County Jail, Gagnier allegedly passed a controlled substance to Filion, who is currently incarcerated at the Clinton County Jail. Gagnier was charged with Conspiracy 4<sup>th</sup> degree (E Felony), Promoting Prison Contraband 2<sup>nd</sup> degree (A Misdemeanor), Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance 5<sup>th</sup> degree (D Felony), Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance 3<sup>rd</sup> degree (B Felony) and Promoting Prison Contraband 1<sup>st</sup> degree (D Felony). Filion was charged with Conspiracy 4<sup>th</sup> degree (E Felony), Promoting Prison Contraband 2<sup>nd</sup> degree (A Misdemeanor), Promoting Prison Contraband 1<sup>st</sup> degree (D Felony), and Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 7<sup>th</sup> degree (A Misdemeanor).

**DISPOSITION**: Both Gagnier and Filion were arraigned in the Town of Plattsburgh court are were remanded to Clinton County Jail on \$10,000 cash/\$20,000 bond. Gagnier and Filion are due to reappear in the Town of Plattsburgh court on 11/26/12 at 1600 hours.