

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Icy roads are believed to be the cause of three separate earlymorning accidents that briefly shut down traffic in both directions on a section of Interstate 87.

Shortly after 1:30a.m. this morning deputies from the Clinton County Sheriff's Office assisted New York State Police in responding to and investigating a 911 report of several cars off the road on the southbound lane of Interstate 87, near the Saranac River overpass.

Once on the scene, deputies learned three separate motor vehicles were involved in unrelated accidents due to icy road conditions on the Saranac River overpass.

Interstate 87 was closed in both directions near the overpass for about an hour while emergency personnel from South Plattsburgh and District 3 responded to the scene.

All the individuals who were involved in the accidents suffered minor injuries and were treated at the scene.