

Clinton County Sheriffs' Office

News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Felony Arrest

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: Michael J. Bessette

ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY

AGE-SEX: 31/Male

CHARGES:

Criminal Possession of Stolen Property 3rd Degree (D-Felony) PL 165.50

Criminal Contempt 2nd Degree (A-Misd) PL 215.50(3) – 2 Cts

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 05/29/2023 1:55am

NARRATIVE: On the above date and time, Clinton County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Michael J. Bessette on the above-listed charges following investigation into an incident in the Town of Plattsburgh. It's alleged that Bessette violated an active order of protection. It's also alleged that Bessette was found to be in possession of a UHAUL truck reported stolen in the State of Vermont.

DISPOSITION: Bessette was arraigned in Plattsburgh Town Court, following which he was committed to Clinton County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$1,000 cash bail. He is set to appear in Plattsburgh Town Court on a later date.