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**Subject: Update on Child Death**

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On 3-6-2011 at about 12:16 PM, Officers of the Eureka Police Department were dispatched to the Bonnie Gool public dock at Halverson Park to a reported child abduction. After an extensive multiagency ground and water search, the child was located by divers in the waters next to the dock.

On 3-28-2011, the report concerning this investigation was hand delivered to the Humboldt County District Attorney's Office for review of possible criminal charges.

This case is still ongoing and further details will be released as they become available. Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact Det. Sgt. O'Neill at 707-268-5261.

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The media should be advised that this report (including necessary additional supplemental reports and other documentation) is well over a hundred pages and could take several days for the DA's office to review.