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PRESS RELEASE

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Case Number: 21ES005467

Narrative: On 09/02/2021 a mother and her 8-year-old daughter were running in Indian Brook park when they saw two dogs off-leash with no owners in sight. They slowed to a walk because they did not want to run by unfamiliar dogs. One dog was described as possibly a golden doodle, and the other appeared to be a hound mix, approximately 70-75 pounds, with a short coat and black and tan coloring.

The mother advised two women approached, presumably the dogs' owners, so they took off running again. At that point, the black and tan dog turned around and ran at her 8-year-old daughter, biting her in the back/inside of her right thigh. The mother provided her phone number to the owner of the dogs. However, they have not received any calls to provide the vaccine history for the dog that bit her 8-year-old daughter.

Essex Animal Control is looking to locate the owners to obtain the vaccination status of the dogs.

If anyone has information regarding these dogs please contact the Essex Police at 802-878-8331.

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