



ACTIVITY: Surfing

CASE: [GSAF 1995.08.31.b](#)

DATE: Thursday August 31, 1996

LOCATION: The incident took place at North Inlet Beach's Inlet Park, St. Lucie County, Florida, USA.

NAME: Jason Cablish

DESCRIPTION: He is a 19-year-old male from Queen's Cove on North Hutchinson Island.

BACKGROUND

MOON PHASE: First Quarter, September 2, 1995

TIME: Evening

NARRATIVE: Jason Cablish was surfing with friends. He wiped out and had lost his board in the surf. As he reached down in the water to retrieve it, a shark bit him.

INJURY: The teen was bitten on his left forearm and hand. According to St. Lucie County sheriff's office spokesman, Bob Miller, the teen's injuries were not serious.

FIRST AID / TREATMENT: Cablish's parents drove him to Lawnwood Regional Medical Center, where he was treated and released.

SPECIES: The shark was said to be 1.2 m to 1.5 metres [four to five feet] in length.

SOURCE: Fort Pierce Tribune, September 1, 1995