



ACTIVITY: Surfing

CASE: **GSAF 1997.07.02**

DATE: Wednesday July 2, 1997

LOCATION: The incident took place in the South Atlantic Ocean at Paiva, Pernambuco, Brazil.

34°51'W, 8°04'S (Recife)

NAME: Jurandir Amorim Silva

BACKGROUND

MOON PHASE: Waning Crescent, 5% of the moon was illuminated. New Moon, July 4, 1997

NARRATIVE: No details

INJURY: The surfer's right thigh was bitten by a shark.

SPECIES: Not identified

ATAQUE DE TUBARÃO

O surfista Jurandir Amorim teve a perna direita abocanhada por um tubarão na praia do Paiva, localizada no município do Cabo, a 31 quilômetros de Recife. Segundo a cirurgiã Maria da Luz, o fêmur do surfista não foi atingido, o que provavelmente evitará a amputação.

SHARK ATTACK

The surfer Jurandir Amorim had the right leg seized with the mouth by a shark in the beach of the Paiva, located in the local authority of Cabo, 31 kilometers from Recife. According to the surgeon Maria da Luz, the femur of the surfer was not reached, which probably will avoid the amputation.

SOURCE: Luciano Dias, July 2, 1997, O Globo

