

ACTIVITY: Unknown

CASE: GSAF 2000.02.21

DATE: Monday February 21, 2000

LOCATION: The incident took place in the Atlantic Ocean at Riviera Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, USA.

NAME: Unknown

DESCRIPTION: He is a 27-year-old male.

BACKGROUND

MOON PHASE: Waning Gibbous, 96% of the moon's visible disk was illuminated.

ENVIRONMENT: Moments before the man was bitten Canadian visitor Alain Piche said he saw another shark eat a seagull. "I was really close to it," said Piche, a coffee shop worker from Ottawa. "It was about 30 feet out, so I jumped out of the water."

TIME: Afternoon

NARRATIVE: The man was bitten just as lifeguards were warning swimmers to leave the water.

INJURY: The man was bitten on the right calf.

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