

ACTIVITY: Wading

CASE: GSAF 2016.06.21.a

DATE: Tuesday June 21, 2016

LOCATION: The incident took place in the Atlantic Ocean off Pelican Beach Park in Satellite Beach, Brevard County, Florida, USA.

NAME: Unknown

DESCRIPTION: Male

BACKGROUND

WEATHER: At 14h58, Patrick Air Force Base recorded a light drizzle. The air temperature was 81.3°F, heat index 85.2°F, dew point 70.5°F, humidity 70%, sea level pressure 30.14 inches and wind direction was East at 11.5 mph.

MOON PHASE: Full Moon

ENVIRONMENT: Bull, lemon and other shark species frequent the area.

TIME: Lifeguards responded to the man around 14h55.

NARRATIVE: The man, a surfer, said he was wading through the water when he was bitten.

INJURY: Lacerations to right calf.

FIRST AID / TREATMENT: The surfer turned down an offer by Brevard County Fire Rescue to go to the hospital for further treatment.

SOURCES: JD Gallop, Florida Today, June 22, 2016

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