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CIB Arrest 34-year-old Male Involved in a Kidnapping

St. Croix, USVI - On November 14, 2021, at approximately 8:01 p.m., a concerned citizen reported to the 911 Emergency Call Center that an unknown male was at her residence seeking help, covered in blood, and handcuffed. The victim told the homeowner that he was kidnapped and beaten.

On Saturday, November 12, 2022, at approximately 5:56 a.m., members of the Criminal Investigation Bureau and the Special Operation Bureau executed an arrest warrant on 34-year-old Larson Prince of Annas Hope Villas Building 9. Mr. Prince was arrested without incident and transported to #45 Mars Hill, Frederiksted, where he was mirandized and declined to give a statement. He was then booked and unable to post bail of \$75,000.00. He was remanded to the Golden Grove Adult Correctional Facility pending his Advice of Rights Hearing. Mr. Larson Prince was charged with False Imprisonment/Kidnapping.

An arrest warrant is pending on his brother Lawston Prince who is off island currently regarding the same incident.

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