## Clinton County Sheriffs Office News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

**REPORTED BY: Deputy Malcolm** 

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**SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Tractor Trailer Accident** 

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: Vartan Shamirian

**ADDRESS: Laval Qubec** 

AGE-SEX: Male

CHARGES: 1120A Failure to keep right

**DATE AND TIME OF ARREST**: 09/21/2011 01:12am

**NARRATIVE**: On 09/21/2011 at approximately 01:12am Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to a Tractor Trailer which left the roadway coming to rest in the median on Interstate 87 in the Town of Beekmantown. The investigation showed that Vartan Shamirian, the operator of the tractor trailer, fell asleep at the wheel and awoke to the rumble strip. Shamirian refused medical attention at the scene. Shamirian was cited for failure to keep right. Deputies remained on scene until 08:00am while the tractor trailer was removed from the median and the roadway was cleaned and reopened.

**DISPOSITION:**