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DATE: June 11, 2008

CONTACT: Health Department Communication Office: 802-863-7281

WHO: Vermont Media

WHAT: Medical Surge Exercise/Media Briefing

WHEN: June 11, 2008, 1:00 p.m

WHERE: Vermont Department of Health, 108 Cherry Street, Burlington. Please check in at lobby and check in with a Health Department Media Liason. You will be escorted to the room in which the press conference will be held,

BACKGROUND: Governor Jim Douglas along with State Health Department and hospital officials will provide a situation update on the status of a possible, limited human-to-human transmission of influenza A H5N1 in Vermont.

Vermonters can find information on how to protect themselves from illness at <http://healthvermont.gov/emerg/med-surgeDRILL/index.aspx>

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