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Incident: Missing Person – Harold DEMOREST

Abbotsford – August 4, 2010.

The Abbotsford Police were contacted yesterday afternoon regarding a 45 year old male who had not been observed by his landlord since July 26. The missing man, Harold DEMOREST and his 1997 green Toyota Rav 4, bearing license plate 221 GBH, have not been seen at his workplace or any other areas he normally frequents. He has not made contact with any friends and family and this, understandably, has caused a great deal of concern for them. This behaviour is completely out of character for DEMOREST and he has no drug related, financial, criminal or mental health concerns. He works as a lab technician in a local health care facility and is described as meticulous and conscientious. DEMOREST is a Caucasian man, 6'2" tall, and approximately 200 pounds. He is balding with short brown hair (see attached photos).

DEMOREST often spends time shooting hoops at outdoor basketball courts. He commonly wears suspenders.

Anyone with information about DEMOREST is asked to contact the Abbotsford Police at 604-859-5225.

**Media contact with a DEMOREST family representative can be facilitated by contacting me. **

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