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## Preliminary Statement on Police Involved Shooting—3300 block of W. Monroe (Update)

CHICAGO – On January 15, 2017, at approximately 12:23 a.m., 11<sup>th</sup> (Harrison) District Officers were on routine patrol in the vicinity of the 3400 block of W. Madison, when they heard several loud reports. Officers responded to the area where the shots emanated from and observed an offender fleeing the scene. Officers initiated a foot pursuit during which the offender ran to an alley and confronted them with a weapon. As a result of this action, one of the pursuing Officers discharged his weapon striking the offender multiple times. Officers subsequently rendered aid to the offender and requested emergency medical services.

Officers did not sustain injuries during the incident. The offender, a 34 year old male, was subsequently transported to an area hospital for treatment but was ultimately pronounced. A weapon was recovered on the scene.

During the course of the investigation three persons were discovered shot on the 3400 block of W. Madison. A 51-year-old female sustained a gunshot wound to the chest and was listed in stable condition; a 30-year-old male sustained a gunshot wound to the buttocks and was listed in stable condition; and a 21-year-old female sustained a graze wound to the left leg and was listed in good condition. All three victims were transported to area hospitals for treatment of their injuries.

Currently, the specifics of this incident, including the comprehensive use of force investigation are being investigated by the Independent Police Review Authority with the full cooperation of the CPD.

The officer(s) involved will be placed on routine administrative duties for a period of 30 days.

The matter remains under investigation and all further inquiries can be directed to the Independent Police Review Authority at (312) 746-3609.

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