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### **Preliminary Statement on Police Involved Shooting In the 7900 Block of South Yates**

CHICAGO – On Monday, July 2nd, 2018 shortly after 9:30 PM, a 4th District Officer was sitting in the parking lot of a dollar store inside a marked vehicle in between calls. An armed offender approached the officer in his car at which point the officer was able to retrieve his weapon and shoot the offender. A weapon was recovered at the scene and the offender has been transported to a local hospital where he is in serious condition.

Currently, the specifics of this incident, including the comprehensive use of force investigation, are being investigated by the Civilian Office of Police Accountability with the full cooperation of the Chicago Police Department.

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 Civilian Office of Police Accountability at (312) 746-3609.

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