



# NEWS RELEASE

## Chicago Police Department

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### **Preliminary Statement on Police-Involved Shooting in the 3100 block of N. Central Ave.**

**CHICAGO** – On Saturday, May 31, 2025, at approximately 2:10 a.m., Chicago Police Department officers assigned to the 25th (Grand Central) District were responding to a call of a battery in progress and shots fired at a business establishment in the 3100 block of N. Central Ave.

Upon arrival, an employee of the business relayed to officers that during a large fight outside of the business, an offender had just fired a gun. The employee then directs officers to the offender, who was getting into a red pickup truck. As officers approached the vehicle on foot, they ordered the offender to exit the vehicle. The offender did not comply and accelerated the vehicle in their direction, striking an officer. The officers then discharged their weapons at the vehicle. The vehicle continued to flee the scene. Responding officers located the vehicle in the 3200 block of N. Menard. A 28-year-old offender who had been struck by the officers' gunfire was discovered on the ground near the vehicle. The offender sustained gunshot wounds to the body. Officers immediately rendered aid. Chicago Fire Department EMS arrived on scene to treat the offender and transported him to Illinois Masonic hospital in critical condition. A weapon was recovered inside the offender's vehicle.

The Investigative Response Team is investigating the circumstances involving the incident. The Civilian Office of Police Accountability was notified. The investigation is ongoing.

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 minimum period of 30 days. This 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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