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IIU investigating shooting on Kenaston Boulevard

The Independent Investigation Unit of Manitoba (IIU) is investigating a police-involved shooting that occurred this afternoon in Winnipeg.

Members of the Winnipeg Police Service (WPS) were involved in a pursuit of a single vehicle that ended near the intersection of Grant Avenue and Kenaston Boulevard. Shots were fired by WPS and, as a result, an individual required first aid on the scene and was later transported to hospital. The IIU was formally notified and investigators were immediately deployed to the scene.

The IIU has assumed responsibility for the investigation in accordance with section 65(1) of *The Police Services Act*. The investigation is ongoing, so no further details will be provided at this time.

The IIU investigates all serious incidents involving police officers in Manitoba, occurring on or off duty. For more information about the IIU, visit www.iiumanitoba.ca

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