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## Columbus Division of Police Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

Date: March 11, 2023

| POLICE          | Elaine R. Bryant, Chief of Police              |                 |                         |  |
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|                 | For further information, contact: Det. McCotte | er #2332 Pho    | Phone: (614) 645 - 4141 |  |
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| Type of Offense | /Incident: Accidental Shooting                 | Date: 3/11/2023 | Time: 4:00am            |  |

Location of Offense/Incident: 1200 Block of Evergreen Rd

|                      |                 | Zone:     | 2                | Precinct: 13 |  |
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| Incident Report #: 2 | 30176451        | Cruis     | er District: 134 |              |  |
| Victim: EH           |                 | Sex: Male | Race: Black      | Age: 11      |  |
| Victim:              |                 | Sex:      | Race:            | Age:         |  |
| Victim:              |                 | Sex:      | Race:            | Age:         |  |
|                      |                 |           |                  |              |  |
| Suspect:             |                 | Address:  |                  |              |  |
| Arrested             | Warrant on File | Sex:      | Race:            | Age:         |  |
| Charges:             |                 |           |                  |              |  |
| Suspect:             |                 | Address:  |                  |              |  |
| Arrested             | Warrant on File | Sex:      | Race:            | Age:         |  |
| Charges:             |                 |           |                  |              |  |

Incident Summary: On March 11, 2023, at 4:01 a.m., Officers were dispatched to the 1200 block of Evergreen Rd. on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival, officers located the victim who was suffering from a single gunshot wound to his left arm. The victim was transported to Children's Hospital in stable condition. The victim was downstairs sleeping when a family member accidentally discharged a firearm in the kitchen, causing a discharged bullet to go through the floor and strike the victim. The victim is expected to survive his injury

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Columbus Police Felony Assault Unit, Detective McCotter at 614-645-4141 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS (8477).

| Сору То:     | Executive Staff        | 🖂 Bureau Commander              | Public Information Office   |
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