## PS#15-24

## 5/30/15

On Saturday, May 30, 2015, at approximately 7:23 P.M., uniformed officers, in a marked police vehicle, observed a silver Infiniti, in the 1400 block of S. 18th Street. The officers checked the license plate through their Mobile Data Terminal, which revealed that the license plate was registered to a Nissan. The officers signaled for the male operator to stop. The vehicle fled at a high rate of speed through several streets and eventually struck a parked unoccupied vehicle and the exterior of a building in the 1400 block of Wharton Street. The male exited the vehicle and fled on foot with a handgun in his hand. Uniformed officers pursued the offender, on foot, for several blocks, while giving him verbal commands to stop and surrender. In the 1200 block of S. Carlisle Street, the offender partially turned toward the officers, while still holding the gun in his hand. In response two officers discharged their weapons, missing the offender. The offender fell to the ground and dropped his weapon in the 1200 block of S. Carlisle Street. The offender got back up and ran north on Carlisle Street, where a third uniformed officer deployed an Electronic Control Weapon at him. The offender then ran west in the 1400 block of Federal Street, where he was apprehended after a brief struggle. The offender was treated at Jefferson University Hospital for minor lacerations.

The offenders' firearm, a .40 caliber semi-automatic pistol, with an extended magazine, and an obliterated serial number, loaded with 20 live rounds, was recovered at the scene.

There were no other injuries as a result of this incident.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Information posted in the original summary reflects a preliminary understanding of what occurred at the time of the incident. This information is posted shortly after the incident and may be updated as the investigation leads to new information. The DA's Office is provided all the information from the PPD's investigation prior to their charging decision.