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11/12/13

On Tuesday, 11/12/13, at approximately 7:53 P.M., uniformed officers, in a marked police vehicle, responded to a Police Radio assignment of a "Male with a gun" in the 5200 block of Jefferson Street. Upon the officers' arrival in the area, they observed several males inside a mini-market in the 5200 block of Jefferson Street, fitting the provided description. The officers entered the store and conducted a safety frisk of several males. As one officer began to frisk one of the males, the officer felt a handgun on the offender's right side. The offender began to physically struggle with the officers and reached for the handgun. The struggle moved from the store to the outside sidewalk. One officer released his grip on the offender, drew his weapon and discharged it, striking the offender. The offender was secured and transported to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania for treatment.

The offender's weapon, a 9MM semi-automatic pistol, loaded with thirteen live rounds, was recovered at the scene.