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Call for Subject with Gun leads to Officer Involved Shooting

Riverside, CA- On Sunday, February 6, 2011, at approximately 0115 hours, the Riverside Police Department Communications Center received a call regarding a possible hit and run with a subject brandishing a shotgun on the 9400 block of Miller.

Officers responded to the location and located a subject with a shotgun on Miller Street. The suspect leveled the shotgun towards a crowd running away, and an officer involved shooting occurred. Two suspects were taken into custody. One suspect was transported to a local area hospital with a non-life threatening gunshot wound. The other suspect, Jose Oyarce, 18 years old, of Corona, was booked into the Robert Presley Detention Center for two counts of assault with a deadly weapon and one count of illegal possession of a loaded firearm.

While this shooting was occurring, another officer encountered a male subject firing a handgun in the direction of the original responding officers. A second officer involved shooting occurred. This suspect fled the location on foot and after a lengthy search of the area, was not located.

Detectives from the Robbery/Homicide Unit responded to the scene and were assisted in their investigation by personnel from the Forensic Evidence Unit.

Anyone with additional information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Jim Simons at (951) 353-7138 or Detective Jim Brandt at (951) 353-7137.

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