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Officer-Involved Shooting Investigation

On Thursday, February 6, 2025, an officer-involved shooting occurred in the area of 42nd Street and Lakewood Drive. Around 1:18 a.m., officers responded to a reported domestic dispute. Upon arrival, a male suspect fired shots at one of our officers. The officer returned fire to neutralize the threat. The suspect was transported to a local hospital, where he is listed in stable condition.

In line with protocol, the Georgia Bureau of Investigation has been notified and will lead the investigation into this incident. Additionally, the Columbus Police Department's Office of Professional Standards will conduct a thorough internal review.

As standard procedure, the officer involved has been placed on administrative leave pending the outcome of the investigations.

