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*Oakland, CA* — On January 21, 2014, at 2:53 AM, two uniformed California Highway Patrol officers driving a fully marked black and white CHP patrol vehicle attempted to conduct a traffic-related enforcement stop for a vehicle code violation (no license plates) on High Street just south of Freeway 580.

The sole occupant refused to stop and a pursuit ensued. The pursuit ended when the driver collided with two parked cars in the 5700 block of East 15<sup>th</sup> Street, a cul-de-sac. The CHP officers stopped their patrol vehicle behind the suspect vehicle and the driver exited. The officers encountered the driver, who was armed with a handgun. Both officers discharged their service weapons and the suspect was struck.

Both officers immediately rendered first aid (CPR) until medical personnel arrived on scene. While medical personnel was on scene and providing medical attention, the suspect succumbed to his injuries.

A loaded firearm was recovered from the male adult suspect and the vehicle was reported stolen.

Information is still preliminary at this time as multiple investigations continue. No further information is available.

*Consistent with Departmental policy, this officer involved shooting must be investigated by the Oakland Police Department's Homicide Section. An independent and concurrent investigation is also conducted by the Alameda County District Attorney's Office, the California Highway Patrol Critical Incident Investigation Team (CIIT) and the California Highway Patrol Multi Disciplinary Accident Investigation Team ( MAIT).*

*The Oakland Police Department is committed to transparency, but also to a full and complete investigative process that requires information be limited in order to maintain the integrity of the investigation. For this reason, only those preliminary details that do not compromise the investigation will be released. Additional information will be released as soon as practical.*

This investigation is on-going and anyone with information is asked to contact the Oakland Police Department's Homicide Section at (510) 238-3821.

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