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“Police Respond to Shooting Incident on Pavie Ave”

At approximately 1:48 a.m. on July 19, 2011 officers of the New Bern Police Department responded to a report of shots fired close to 908 Pavie Ave. The caller reported that she heard five or six gunshots; her window shattered and believes it was related to the gunshots she heard. The caller further stated that some of the glass from the window struck her young child in the face, however she refused EMS.

At approximately 1:56 a.m. while officers were canvassing the area, New Bern Emergency Communications received a call from Carolina East Medical Center stating that they had a victim of multiple gunshot wounds in the Emergency Room.

Officers responded and identified the victim as Nassar Ture **Mack B/M D.O.B 02/17/1981** of Williams St. in New Bern. **Mack** was later flown to Pitt County Memorial Hospital for further evaluation and treatment of his injuries.

Detectives are currently investigating the shooting incident and are actively looking for leads and suspects in this incident.

The New Bern Police Department is committed to Community Policing. Citizens are encouraged to become a “**Partner in Policing**,” by reporting suspected illegal activity to the New Bern Police Department’s **TIPS** line at **(252) 636-5034** or the Craven County Crime Stoppers line at 633-5141.

For additional information, please contact Lt. Linda T. Godette, Public Information Officer at the New Bern Police Department at (252) 672-4196.

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