

## **Final report now available: IIU concludes investigation into allegation of injuries sustained during BPS arrest**

On Feb. 24, 2023, the Brandon Police Service (BPS) notified the IIU of an incident that had occurred on Oct. 15, 2022. According to the notification, at approximately 5 a.m. on Oct. 15, 2022, BPS officers responded to a call for service to a domestic incident on Fifth Street in Brandon. The complainant called 911 to report that a male had broken into her house and threatened her with a knife. Officers attended the scene but the male had already fled the area. The K9 unit tracked the male to a nearby parking lot, where officers found him hiding behind a shed. The male resisted arrest and a use-of-force encounter ensued. The male was transported to the Brandon Regional Health Centre, where he was medically cleared.

The affected person had charges pending before the court as a result of this incident, which have now been disposed of. The IIU final report is now available on the IIU's website.

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