

June 12, 2023

Case Number: 2023-0033

IIU investigating single motor vehicle collision in Long Plain First Nation

The Independent Investigation Unit of Manitoba (IIU) is investigating a single motor vehicle collision in Long Plain First Nation.

Manitoba First Nations Police Service on June 10, 2023, advised the IIU of an incident that occurred at approximately 1 p.m. that same day. According to the notification, police were conducting a traffic stop to investigate a possible impaired driver. After the driver had exited the vehicle, a male passenger in the car jumped into the driver's seat, drove off and eventually rolled the vehicle in a ditch. He sustained injuries to his lower body and was airlifted by STARS air ambulance to Health Sciences Centre in Winnipeg for treatment.

As the civilian director has determined it is in the public interest, the IIU will be investigating.

Witnesses or other individuals who have information or video footage that may assist this investigation are asked to contact the IIU toll free at 1-844-667-6060.

The investigation is ongoing and no further details will be provided at this time.

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