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## **IIU investigating injuries sustained during arrest in RM of Grahamdale**

The Independent Investigation Unit of Manitoba (IIU) is investigating a report of a male who suffered frostbite after being exposed to the elements during an arrest in the Rural Municipality (RM) of Grahamdale.

On March 18, the IIU was notified of an incident that occurred on March 14 in Little Saskatchewan First Nation where two officers from the Gypsumville RCMP detachment were investigating a report of a home invasion involving a firearm. The officers tracked the alleged suspects and vehicle to a home in the RM of Grahamdale. Six individuals were taken into custody. One male was taken to hospital, where he was diagnosed with frostbite from exposure to the cold weather.

The IIU civilian director has determined it is in the public interest for the IIU to investigate this matter.

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

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