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## **In-Custody Death of Man in Baltimore County Under Investigation**

**BALTIMORE, MD (January 11, 2024)** – The Independent Investigations Division of the Maryland Office of the Attorney General is investigating the death of a man while he was in police custody in Baltimore County on Wednesday night.

On January 10, 2024, shortly before 11:00 p.m., five officers with the Baltimore County Police Department were dispatched for a “suspicious person” in the 10200 block of Reisterstown Road in Owings Mills, Maryland. A 911 caller also indicated the person was impaired and acting aggressively. Upon their arrival, officers located a partially clothed man standing near a shattered drive-thru window of a restaurant. The man was bleeding and acting erratically. Officers restrained the man on the ground and placed him in handcuffs and leg restraints. Officers called for medics, provided Narcan, and provided additional medical assistance until they arrived. The man was transported to an area hospital where he was pronounced dead. One officer was also transported to an area hospital for evaluation.

The IID will generally release the name of the decedent and subject officers within two business days of the incident, although that period may be extended if there is a specific reason to believe that an officer’s safety is at risk.

Officers on scene were equipped with body-worn cameras, which recorded the incident. The IID will generally release the footage within 20 business days of an incident. There may be situations where more than 20 days is necessary, including if investigators need more time to complete witness interviews, if there are technical delays caused by the need to shield the identities of civilian witnesses, or to allow family members to view the video before it is released to the public.

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