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Shots Fired at House

Shortly after 1:00 am, early Sunday morning, March 22nd Officers of the Lancaster Bureau of Police were dispatched to a residence in the 900 Blk Edgewood Ave, in Lancaster Township, for a report of shots fired at a house. Upon arrival, it was determined that multiple shots had been fired at this house, with some of these shots striking the windows, doors and brick wall of this residence.

Detectives responded and along with Officers, processed the scene and collected evidence. It was determined that, at the time the shots were fired, the home was occupied by three adults(two males and a female) and two children(ages 11 and 2—both asleep). One of the adults sustained very minor injuries(abrasions), possibly as a result of fleeing, as he was inside the house and the shots were fired. The occupants of the home were interviewed and some of these interviews continue at this time. The very preliminary information obtained thus far indicates that this was apparently a targeted attack. As further information is developed and it is appropriate to do so, additional information will be released.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Lancaster City Police at 735-3300. Callers do not have to give their names to provide information.

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