## NEWS RELEASE

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Date: <u>February 3, 2016</u>

Subject: YOUNG BOY HIT BY CAR WHILE RIDING SCOOTER



The City of Miami Police Department is investigating a traffic crash in which a police vehicle accidentally collided with a child, after the child darted out into the roadway on Northwest 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, just west of Northwest 58<sup>th</sup> Street. The young boy, who was riding a blue scooter at the time, suddenly appeared from between two parked trucks, which made it impossible to see him before the incident occurred.

The child was transported to Jackson Memorial Hospital's Ryder Trauma Center where he is in stable condition. He suffered a few broken bones and other injuries and he is being evaluated further by the hospital staff.

The incident is being investigated.

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