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On Wednesday, December 5, 2007, at approximately 12:30 a.m., detectives assigned to the Organized Crime and Narcotics Division executed a search warrant in the 12000 block of Monument Drive in Fairfax, reference a narcotics investigation. Entry was gained when a plain clothes detective knocked on the door and a resident opened it.

A uniformed officer entered the residence and announced, "Police, search warrant." The officer did not have his service weapon drawn, as his intent was to physically secure any residents upon entry. The resident who opened the door retreated from the officer down the hallway into the living room. The officer drew his service weapon and gave verbal commands for the resident to get on the ground.

While pursuing the first resident, the officer encountered a second individual, who produced a handgun from his pocket. The officer discharged his service weapon, striking him. Officers provided medical aid until relieved by Fire and Rescue personnel. The man was transported to Inova Fairfax Hospital for medical treatment.

The man's firearm, a loaded .40 caliber semi-automatic pistol, was recovered at the scene.

The man was subsequently charged with two counts of Possession with Intent to Sell Marijuana and Possession of a Firearm in the Commission of a Felony.