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On Saturday, November 15, 2008, at approximately 12:27 p.m., uniformed officers in marked police vehicles were dispatched to a person with a gun call in the 2000 block of International Drive in McLean.

The caller reported the person was a disgruntled former employee who was "acting crazy" in the business and had a gun in his jacket which he showed to other employees. Three officers encountered the man in a parking garage. He was initially in his vehicle, but exited it and started to approach the officers. The officers drew their firearms and gave commands for the man to show his hands and get on the ground. He disregarded all commands, yelled obscenities at the officers, continued to approach them and reached into his jacket. One officer discharged his service weapon, striking the man. A second officer simultaneously discharged his electronic control weapon (ECW), to no effect. The man fell to the ground and his handgun fell from his person. The officers immediately separated him from his handgun. The ECW was deployed a second time which allowed officers to secure the man in handcuffs. Officers rendered aid until relieved by Fire and Rescue personnel.

The man was treated at Inova Fairfax Hospital.

The man's weapon, a loaded 9mm semi-automatic pistol, was recovered at the scene.

The man was subsequently charged with Carrying a Concealed Weapon, Carrying a Concealed Weapon into an Establishment that Serves Alcohol, and Brandishing a Firearm.