



# NEWS RELEASE

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## Shooting In Area of 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue & East 27<sup>th</sup> Street

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PATERSON, NEW JERSEY:

August 13, 2017

Passaic County Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes and Deputy Paterson Police Chief Heriberto Rodriguez announce that at approximately 2:56 a.m. on August 13, 2017, police responded to the area of 226 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue on a report of shots fired. After canvassing the scene for a victim with negative results, police were advised a 29-year old female Paterson resident was seeking treatment at Saint Joseph's Regional Medical Center in Paterson for a non-life threatening gunshot wound. Based upon the ongoing investigation it is believed multiple shots were fired.

No arrests have been made. The investigation remains active and ongoing.

The Passaic County Prosecutor's Office asks anyone with additional information about this incident to contact us on our tips line at 1-877-370-PCPO or [tips@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:tips@passaiccountynj.org) or contact the Paterson Police Ceasefire Unit at 973-321-1342.

For media inquiries concerning this case, contact Assistant Prosecutor Seth Galkin of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office at [sgalkin@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:sgalkin@passaiccountynj.org) or at (973) 881-4849.