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## **SHOOTING**

On February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2011, the Fort Lauderdale Police Department responded to a call in reference to a possible accidental shooting that took place at 6540 Northeast 21 Road, in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Upon arrival, Fort Lauderdale Police Officers found an 18 year old W/M, later identified as Nico Daniel Modoux, who had sustained a gunshot wound to his head.

Modoux was transported by Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue to North Broward Medical Center, where he was later pronounced deceased.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that Modoux was handling his firearm, when it discharged, fatally striking him in the head.

The investigation is still on going and anyone with further information is encouraged to contact Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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