

Press Release  
Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2010  
15.15

The Garda Síochána Ombudsman Commission (GSOC) has commenced an investigation into an incident in which a member of the Garda Síochána was injured early this afternoon. The matter was referred to GSOC by the Garda Commissioner under section 102 of the Garda Síochána Act 2005. This section states that the Garda Commissioner shall refer to GSOC any matter that appears to the Garda Commissioner to indicate that the conduct of a member of the Garda Síochána may have resulted in the death of or serious harm to a person.

The injuries sustained by the garda do not appear to be life-threatening. He was taken to hospital in Limerick for treatment.

No further details are available at this time

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