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UPDATED INFORMATION IN THE NICHOLSON DRIVE SHOOTING ARREST

Update 09-03-2021

Tonight, the 28-year-old victim, GREGORY COTTON of 1153 W. Grant Street, succumbed to his injuries.

Charges are expected to be upgraded.

Original 08-30-2021

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating a shooting that occurred today at 2956 Nicholson Drive around 8:45 a.m. Investigators believe that an argument took place inside the business between two males, a 15-year-old and a 22-year-old. As a result, the juvenile fired shots striking the 22-year-old, along with a second victim, a 28-year-old male. There was a third individual with the two victims, a 30 year-old female, who remained uninjured.

The two male victims were transported to a local hospital with serious injuries.

The juvenile was later booked in Juvenile Detention on charges of Attempted First Degree Murder (3 counts), Illegal Use of a Weapon, and Possession of a Handgun by a Juvenile.

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