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STATEMENT FROM MAYOR BILL DE BLASIO

“Tonight’s shooting is an important reminder of the critical and dangerous work our police department does each day. Today, a detective put his life on the line as he bravely performed his duty to protect our city and its residents from harm. The team of police officers involved in tonight’s incident represents the best of the NYPD, and I want to thank them on behalf of our city for their actions tonight. We’re grateful the detective is doing well, and we wish him a safe and swift recovery.”

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