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### **AUSTRALIAN ARMY CADET MEMBER ARRESTED BY THE QUEENSLAND POLICE SERVICE**

#### **NATURE OF THE INCIDENT:**

- An adult civilian member of the Australian Army Cadets was arrested and charged for the possession of child exploitation material.
- The Queensland Police Service, in coordination with the Domestic Policing Unit – Brisbane (Military), raided the member's private residence in Maryborough.
- At this preliminary stage of the investigation, there is no indication that the evidence is related to the member's service in the Australian Army Cadets.
- The member has been suspended from duty whilst investigations continue.

#### **THE DATE AND TIME OF THE INCIDENT:**

- The incident occurred on 13 February 2016.

#### **ACTIONS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY:**

- Australian Defence Force Investigative Service is assisting authorities with their investigations.

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