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Police injured, cars damaged in pursuit

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Four police officers were injured and five cars damaged in a police chase through Adelaide's western suburbs that saw police allegedly rammed a number of times.

A 29-year-old man from Seaton was eventually charged with a number of offences, including 10 of acts to endanger life, after police used capsicum spray to subdue him.

The four injured police officers were taken to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries and three have since been discharged.

A police spokesman said the pursuit began about 7.20pm (CST) on Saturday when Port Adelaide police spotted the blue Toyota Camry committing a number of traffic offences along Grange and Tapleys Hill roads in Seaton.

He said police cars were allegedly rammed and "on more than one occasion the man driving a Toyota executed U-turns and drove directly at police vehicles that had to take evasive action".

Four police vehicles were damaged during the incident, along with one vehicle belonging to a member of the public.

The police spokesman said the man eventually abandoned his vehicle at Woodville West and police used capsicum spray to arrest him after he armed himself with a wooden stake.

The 29-year-old man - who was also charged with driving to avoid police, aggravated assault and resisting police - was refused police bail and will appear in court on Tuesday.