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Hip-Hip rap artist Obie Trice, the second rap artist who signed to rap artist Eminem's hip-hop based 'shady Records" after the hip-hop group D-12, was shot early Saturday morning while driving on a Michigan highway, according to Michigan State Police.

Obie Trice (real name Obie Trice III) and his girlfriend, according to Michigan State Police Sgt. Mario Gonzales, were on the freeway at about 1:00 A.M., when another car started shooting at him.

The rapper and his girlfriend managed to keep driving and exited the freeway near the suburb of Southfield; where his girlfriend managed to hail a police officer.

The Detroit rap artist was taken to Providence Hospital in Southfield, and is listed in good condition, Gonzales said.

His girlfriend, who was not identified, was not injured.