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## **Media Release**

## Driver Killed in Rollover Accident on I-80 South of Fernley

On Sunday, December 23, 2012, at approximately 8:32 am, troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to a single vehicle roll over accident approximately 29 miles south of Fernley.

The preliminary crash investigation details indicate that a 2003 Silver Nissan Murano was traveling westbound on Interstate I-80 occupied by a single male occupant from California. The Nissan for unknown reasons at this time left the roadway into the median over turning several times. The accident did not block or cause any travel lanes to be closed.

The driver was pronounced deceased on scene. Once the next-of-kin have been notified, we will release the name of the deceased driver.

Our Major Accident Investigation Team (M.A.I.T.) will be investigating the accident. Witnesses to the event, or anyone with additional information, should contact Trooper Scott Morron at (775) 689-4623 regarding case # NHP-121220919.

