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Media Release

Roll-over Accident in Hawthorne Kills Driver

On Friday, May 3, 2013 approximately 1:35 am, Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to a roll over vehicle accident in Hawthorne on Armory Road.

The preliminary crash investigation indicates that a red Ford F350 Nevada Registration BV51168 was southbound on Armory Road in Hawthorne. The driver drifted off the west roadway edge then over corrected, exiting the east roadway edge and struck a culvert. The truck continued in a southeast direction and over turned. The driver was ejected during the roll-over.

The driver identified as Spencer Allen Hinton a 22-year-old Hawthorne resident sustained life-threatening injuries and was transported to Mt. Grant Hospital by ground ambulance. He succumbed to his injuries at the hospital.

Troopers from the Major Accident Investigation Team (M.A.I.T.) will be completing the investigation and witnesses are encouraged to call Trooper Chris Kelly at (775) 687-0400 regarding case # NHP-130502168.



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