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Media Release

Elko Resident Dies in Vehicle Crash South of Carlin

On Wednesday January 14, 2015, at approximately 2:20pm, Nevada Highway Patrol Troopers responded to a fatal crash on State Route 278 mile marker 47 (approximately 50 miles south of Carlin).

Preliminary investigation indicates a 1998 Chevrolet van was traveling N/B on State Route 278 when for unknown reasons, the driver, Mr. Charles Price, age 70, from Elko, Nevada allowed the van to drift off the right paved shoulder. The van continued to travel off the highway and crashed into a ditch.

Mr. Price succumbed to his injuries at the scene.

The passenger, Mr. Tyerel Goddard, age 28, from Elko, was transported to Renown Hospital in Reno for non life threatening injuries.

Mr. Price and Mr. Goddard were both wearing their seatbelts.

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