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Media Release

South Carolina Women Dies in Crash in Carlin Nevada

On Wednesday, August 12, 2015, at approximately 9:30 a.m., NHP Troopers responded to a fatal vehicle crash on westbound I-80 mile marker 280 (Carlin off ramp).

The preliminary crash investigation indicates a female driver, from Rock Hills, SC, was driving a U-Haul truck W/B on I-80. The vehicle exited the Carlin W/B off ramp and the driver failed to reduce her speed.

A commercial motor vehicle (semi tractor/trailer) was stopped at the top of the off ramp waiting to make a left hand turn. For unknown reasons, the front of the U-Haul struck the rear of the semi trailer. There was no evidence of braking by the U-Haul.

The female driver, Dorinda Edwards, age 55, died at the scene. Two dogs were also in the U-Haul, one lived, and one died.

The commercial motor vehicle that was stopped at the intersection was driven by Ruslan Dabradzei, from Sacramento, CA. He was not injured.



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