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Media Release

Pedestrian Struck and Killed on Interstate 15

On Sunday, November 14, 2016 at approximately 6:22 p.m., Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to an accident involving a pedestrian on southbound on Interstate 15 south of Craig Rd.

The preliminary crash investigation revealed that a blue Dodge Ram van was traveling southbound on IR15 south of Craig Rd in the right travel lane. A pedestrian was in the right travel lane of southbound IR15 south of the blue van. The driver of the blue van applied brakes and steered right in an attempt to avoid collision. The front of the van struck the pedestrian and continued to the west paved shoulder of IR15. The driver steered left causing the van to rotate counter clockwise across all southbound travel lanes. The right side of the van then struck the center median barrier wall.

The 55 year old female driver of the Dodge van remained on scene with claimed injuries and was not transported by EMS.

The 19 year old male pedestrian succumbed to injuries sustained in the crash and was pronounced deceased on scene. He was later identified as Santiago Miranda-Placido who resided in Las Vegas, NV.

You can contact Trooper C. Stuenkel at 702-469-3882 or Trooper J. Buratczuk at 702-533-6808 for further information.



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