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## **Media Release**

## Henderson Motorcycle Rider Succumbs to Injuries Sustained in Crash

On Saturday, February 11, 2017 at approximately 1:07 a.m., Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to a crash northbound Interstate 15 south of the Charleston eastbound off –ramp.

The preliminary crash investigation revealed that a maroon Harley Davidson was traveling northbound on IR15 south of the Charleston eastbound off-ramp in the right exit lane. According to a witness, a dark colored Toyota passenger car was traveling northbound on IR15 to the left of the Harley. The witness stated that the Toyota entered the lane of the Harley, cutting him off. The driver of the Harley lost control, entered into the gore area of the ramp, and struck the impact attenuator.

The 41 year old female rider who was later identified as Henderson, NV resident Caroline Rose was transported to UMC trauma where she succumbed to injuries sustained in the crash at 3:32 a.m.

This is an ongoing investigation and the Nevada Highway Patrol is asking that anyone who witnessed this crash or has any information is urged to call the public information office at 702-486-4100 ext.5277. To remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 702-385-5555, on the internet at www.crimestoppersofnv.com or text CRIMENV plus tip information to 274637. Message and data rates may apply.

This marks Nevada Highway Patrol-Southern Command's 9th fatal crash resulting in 9 fatalities for 2017. 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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