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Release Date/Time: April 25, 2015 at 1:00 AM

Subject: Fatal Traffic Collision

Case Number: 15-005870

Details:

On Friday, April 24th, at about 10:10 PM, the Huntington Beach Police Department responded to the area of Lancaster Drive and Montclair Lane regarding an injury traffic collision involving a motorcycle and a house.

Officers arrived at a single family residence in the 16800 block of Montclair where they located a black 1986 Harley-Davidson FLST motorcycle with major damage. The rider, a 51 year old male from Huntington Beach, was lying nearby. Huntington Beach Fire Department paramedics responded to treat the injured rider. He was transported to UCI Medical Center in critical condition. He later succumbed to his injuries at the hospital. His name is being withheld until next of kin can be notified.

The collision caused minor damage to a portion of the garage. The residents of the damaged residence were home at the time of the collision and were uninjured.

Based on the preliminary investigation, it appears the Harley-Davidson motorcycle was traveling eastbound on Lancaster at a high rate of speed when it collided with a parked silver 2012 Ford F150 truck. The truck was parked in the driveway of the damaged residence. The motorcycle then struck a portion of the attached garage and continued into the side yard.

The investigation is ongoing and is being conducted by the HBPD Major Incident Reconstruction Team (M.I.R.T). Investigators would like to speak to anyone who might have seen the events leading up to and including the collision.

Anyone with information about this collision is asked to contact Huntington Beach Police Accident Investigator Josh Page at 714-536-5670 or Accident Investigator Bob Barr at 714-536-5663. During non-business hours or on weekends, calls should be directed to 714-960-8825.