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2 Vehicle Rear End Crash

What: Two Vehicle Injury Crash

Where: Highway 40 milemarker 8 approximately 4 miles North of Tioga

When: August 20, 2020 at approximately 0720hrs CST

Road Conditions: Good,

Weather Conditions: Sunny

Crash Involvement: 2 Pickups

Type of Crash: Rear end crash

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Williams County Sheriff’s Department, Tioga Police Department and Tioga Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2013 Ford F150 Pickup

Driver No. 1: Larry Moody, male, 64, Battleview ND, Injuries

Restraints: No seat belt worn, Air Bag deployed

Charges: Pending

Vehicle No. 2: 2019 Ford F250 Pickup

Driver No. 2: Adam Mesker, male, 34, Powers Lake ND, Injuries

Restraints: Air bags deployed, Seatbelt worn

Charges:

NARRATIVE: Moody was following Mesker Southbound via ND Highway 40. Mesker was slowing down to make a lefthand turn. Moody’s vehicle struck the rear end of Mesker’s vehicle. Mesker’s vehicle went into the West ditch where it struck a hay bale. Moody’s vehicle came to rest on the East should facing South. Mesker’s vehicle came to rest in the West ditch facing South. Both vehicles were towed from the scene.

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