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Mcville Semi v. Pickup Injury Crash

What: Injury

Where: State Highway 15 MM 83

When: November 18, 2020 @16:36 PM

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Dusk, daylight fading

Crash Involvement: Semi v. Pickup

Type of Crash: Sideswipe

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Nelson County Sheriff’s Office, Mcville Fire Department, Mcville Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1: 2013 Kenworth Semi with grain semi-trailer

Driver No. 1: Anton Tomko, 35 yo, Mcville, ND, no injuries

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: None

Passenger No. 1: Timur Tomko, 8 yo, Mcville, ND, no injuries

Restraints: None

Vehicle No. 2: 2019 Ford F150

Driver No. 2: Jack Wollum, 72 yo, Mcville, ND, severe injuries

Restraints: none

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: Wollum was driving the pickup which pulled out from 114th Ave NE turning to go east on State Highway 15 in route to Mcville. Tomko was driving the semi which was coming from Mcville heading east on State Highway 15 in route to drop off a load of barley. Wollum pulled out in front of the Tomko, getting struck in the front in sideswipe collision. Tomko attempted to miss Wollum and veered north in an attempt to not fully strike the
pickup. Tomko drove off the road, struck a power pole and knocked down electric wires which have been repaired by Nodak Electric Coop. Wollum sustained severe injuries and life flight to Altru. Wollum is being treated for his injuries at Altru. The crash is still under investigation by the NDHP.

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