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Commercial Motor Vehicle Injury Crash - Cavalier County

What: Injury Crash

Where: ND Highway 1 & ND Highway 66 - 9 Miles South of Langdon, ND

When: October 1, 2020 @ 12:15 P.M.

Road Conditions: Asphalt Roadway Surface - Dry

Weather Conditions: Partly Cloudy

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Cavalier County Sheriff Department, Cavalier County Memorial Hospital Ambulance Service, Langdon Fire & Rescue, Nekoma Rural Fire Department

Vehicle No. 1: 1992 Peterbilt - Straight Truck
Driver No. 1: Christopher Olson; Male; 45; Cavalier, ND; non-life-threatening injuries
Restraints: Unknown
Charges: No Charges Filed

Vehicle No. 2: 2007 Kenworth - Semi Tractor with Enclosed Box Trailer
Driver No. 2: Willie Singletary; Male; 55; Lake City, SC; life-threatening injuries
Restraints: Unknown
Charges: Pending

NARRATIVE: Olson was traveling southbound on ND Highway 1 driving the 1992 Peterbilt. Singletary was traveling eastbound on ND Highway 66 driving the 2007 Kenworth. Singletary failed to yield to Olson at the intersection and was struck. Vehicle 1 and Vehicle 2 entered the southeast corner of the intersection and struck a powerline pole. Both vehicles came to final rest in a water filled slough and became partially submerged. A stop sign is posted at the intersection for eastbound and westbound traffic on ND Highway 66 to stop and yield the right of way to northbound and southbound traffic on ND Highway 1.
The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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