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Livestock Trailer Tips near Pekin, ND

What: Property Crash

Where: North Dakota Highway 1, approximately 1.5 miles southeast of Pekin, ND **When:** 10/21/2021, approximately 6:45 AM CDT

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: Single vehicle

Type of Crash: Rollover

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Nelson County Sheriff's Office, North Dakota Stockman's Association

Vehicle No. 1: 2011 Peterbilt truck with livestock trailer loaded with approximately 2,500 pigs

Driver No. 1: Chad Wood; male; age 51; of Dow City, Iowa; uninjured

Restraints: Seat belt in use

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: Wood was driving the Peterbilt south on North Dakota Hwy 1 and made an evasive maneuver to avoid striking deer in the roadway. The vehicle left the roadway and entered the east ditch. It continued traveling south in the ditch as it slowed, then tipped onto its side. Wood was uninjured. An as-yet-unknown number of pigs did not survive.

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