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Three Vehicle Injury Crash-Rural Milnor

What: Injury

Where: Highway 13 mm 357, which is seven miles east of Milnor

When: October 20th, 7:55 PM, Central

Road Conditions: Good, dry

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Sideswipe and angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Sargent County Sheriff's Office, Richland County Sheriff's Office, Lisbon Ambulance, Milnor Ambulance, Milnor Fire, Wyndmere Ambulance, Wyndmere Fire, Forman Ambulance, Sanford Air Med

Vehicle No. 1: 2020 Nissan Altima

Driver No. 1: Male, 39, Fargo, Serious life-threatening injuries

Restraints: Under Investigation

Charges: Under Investigation

Vehicle No. 2: 2016 Toyota Avalon

Driver No. 2: Female, 23, Fargo, uninjured

Restraints: Seatbelt, Airbags deployed

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 3: 2018 GMC Terrain

Driver No. 3: Female, 28, Milnor, Serious non-life-threatening

Restraints: Seatbelt, Airbags deployed

Charges: None

Passenger No. 1: Female, 1, Milnor, uninjured

Restraints: Rear facing car seat, Airbags deployed

NARRATIVE: The Toyota Avalon was east on Highway 13 and the GMC Terrain was behind the Toyota, also east bound. The 2020 Nissan was west and had pulled into the east bound lane to pass another west bound vehicle. The Toyota swerved right, and the Nissan side swiped the Toyota in the east bound lane. This caused the Nissan to rotate, and the GMC struck the Nissan on the passenger side in a "T-Bone" manner. The Nissan caught fire, and the driver was pulled out by passerby's who came upon the crash.

The driver of the Nissan was transported to Lisbon Hospital via ambulance and then Sanford Air Med flew the driver of the Nissan to Sanford Hospital in Fargo.

The driver and passenger of the GMC were transported to Sanford Hospital in Fargo via Ambulance.

The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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