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Highway 10 Fatality Crash (Bismarck, ND) - UPDATE

What: Two Vehicle Fatality Crash

Where: Burleigh County Highway 10, approximately 3 miles east of Bismarck

When: July 8th, 2019 12:04 AM

Road Conditions: Normal

Weather Conditions: Night/partly cloudy

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Motorcycle

Type of Crash: Head-on

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Burleigh County SO, Metro Area Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1: 1998 Toyota Tacoma
Driver No. 1: Heather Harper, 52, Bismarck, ND, not injured
Restraints: Seatbelt
Charges: Under Investigation

Vehicle No. 2: 2007 Suzuki G60 Motorcycle
Driver No. 2: Deon Prinsloo, 54, Wing, ND, fatality
Restraints: Helmet
Charges: None

NARRATIVE: The 1998 Toyota was traveling westbound on Burleigh County Highway 10. The 2007 Suzuki Motorcycle was eastbound on Burleigh County Highway 10. The Toyota struck the Suzuki Motorcycle head-on in the westbound lane. The driver was thrown from the motorcycle which came to rest in the north ditch. The Toyota left the roadway and came to rest in the north ditch. The driver of the Toyota was not injured in the crash. The driver of the motorcycle was pronounced deceased at the scene.

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

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