

Report as prepared by EPT CIT including all facts pertaining to the case listed above

This report is based on the El Paso Sector (EPT) Critical Incident Team's (CIT) observation of the post-incident scene and submitted reports from the Las Cruces Border Patrol Station (LAS), New Mexico State Police (NMSP), and written statements of the employees and persons involved.

On August 3, 2021, Assistant Chief Patrol Agent (ACPA) $\longrightarrow$, received a call from Las Cruces Border Patrol Station (LAS) in reference to a privately owned vehicle collision involving undocumented aliens (UDAs) requiring medical attention. Program Manager (PM) $\square$ activated CIT Investigators and $\square$ to respond to the scene. CIT Investigator $\square$ was activated to respond to University Medical Center (UMC). Preliminary information received was that LAS Border Patrol Agent (BPA)
 was conducting roving patrol duties south of the New Mexico Highway 185 (HWY 185) Border Patrol Checkpoint, located at $\square$ when he observed and began following a suspected vehicle loaded with UDAs. The vehicle was later identified as a blue 1998 Ford Expedition, bearing Texas license plate and VIN $\square$ VEH returned registered to of $\square$ At approximately 4:46 AM, VEH approached the checkpoint and slowed down, before swerving around the traffic cones and fleeing at a high rate of speed. BPAs $\square$ and attempted to conduct a vehicle stop and activated their emergency equipment. At approximately mile marker 26, BPAs reported VEH was traveling at approximately 73 MPH . At approximately mile marker 29, VEH approached a curve on the roadway and began to skid off the roadway before rolling over into a pecan orchard. It was later learned there were 10 occupants in VEH where seven were ejected during the rollover and three remained in VEH. BPAs immediately requested Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and NMSP to the scene. At approximatcly 5:00 AM, NMSP and EMS arrived on-scene. Three subjects were transported to Mountain View Hospital (MVH) via ambulance, three subjects were transported to Memorial Medical Center (MMC) in Las Cruces, NM via ambulance, and four subjects were transported to UMC in El Paso, TX via Native Air Life. (See Section E; Civilian).

CIT Investigators arrived at the scene and met with Watch Commander (WC) who provided CIT with a walkthrough of the scene. CIT Investigators also made contact with NMSP lead investigator Patrolman provided CIT Investigators with case number NMSPR $\square$ for this investigation. Patrolman $\square$ allowed CIT Investigators to complete their investigation prior to clearing the scene.

CIT Investigator documented the scene by photographing the roadway evidence and VEH. (See Section
H; Scene Photographs).
CIT Investigators documented the scene by measuring and diagramming the scene with the use of the Canon Total Station. (See Section I; Scene Diagram).

CIT Investigators cleared the scene and CIT Investigator $\square$ drove to MVH located at 4311 E. Lohman Ave. in Las Cruces, NM to photograph the passengers from VEH that were transported by ambulance. CIT Investigator drove to MMC located at 2450 N . Telshor Blvd. in Las Cruces, NM to photograph the passengers from VEH that were transported by ambulance. CIT Investigator $\square$ drove to LAS where he met with Office of Professional Responsibility (OPR) Special Agent (SA)

CIT Investigator
 photographed BPAs who were not injured as a result of this incident. BPA $a$ had a red substance believed to be blood on his left sleeve which he said was from the passengers of VEH as he provided first aid. CIT Investigator also photographed one unidentified subject who had been transported to LAS from MMC for processing. This subject had one scrape (approximately three inches by three inches) on the left side of his upper torso but no other injuries. (See Section H; Scene Photographs).

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CIT Investigator $\square$ drove to UMC located at 4815 Alameda Ave., in El Paso, TX, to photograph the four passengers from VEH that were transported by Native Air Life after the collision. CIT Investigator received information that these subjects received serious life-threatening injuries as a result of this collision.

## VEH Occupants



Admitted to UMC in El Paso, TX in critical condition. Pronounced deceased on August 16, 2021.
2. Rovin Randalgo

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COC- Guatemala
Treated and released from MMC and transported to Las Cruces Border Patrol Station for processing. OPR interview revealed he was sitting on the right side third row seat.
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COC- Honduras
Treated and released from MMC and transported to Las Cruces Border Patrol Station for processing. OPR Interview revealed he was sitting in center third row seat.
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5.


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Admitted to UMC in El Paso, TX. OPR interview revealed he was sitting in the middle second row seat
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Admitted to UMC in El Paso, TX. Unknown seating position.
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Admitted to UMC in El Paso, TX. Unknown seating position.
10.


COC- Ecuador
Admitted to UMC in El Paso, TX. Critical and unstable with a Traumatic brain injury. Pronounced deceased at UMC on August 11, 2021, by Medical Examiner Morgan Riddle at 6:58 PM. Unknown seating position.

Investigation revealed the following:
BPA was conducting roving patrol south of the HWY 185 checkpoint near when he observed a possible load vehicle. BPA followed VEH at a distance but lost visual of VEH, an indication that VEH pulled over to drop off bodies or VEH turned it's lights off to avoid being detected. BPA continued driving north and observed VEH stopped on the side of the road and suddenly enter the roadway, speeding away. BPA reported VEH was swerving back and forth between the north and southbound lanes. BPA tried to catch up to VEH, but VEH continued at a high rate of speed. BPA reported this information to the HWY 185 checkpoint. As VEH approached the HWY 185 checkpoint, it slowed down as if stopping for inspection, but it suddenly swerved to the southbound lanes and sped past the checkpoint avoiding inspection. VEH continued north on HWY 185 and BPA activated his emergency equipment in an attempt to conduct a vehicle stop. At this time, BPA $\square$ activated his emergency equipment and joined the pursuit. A short distance later, BPA $\square$ took primary, and BPA continued with the radio communications. VEH continued northbound on HWY 185 and rolled over at mile marker 29 after approaching a curve at a high rate of speed. BPAs $\square$ immediately stopped their vehicles and provided first aid to the injured until EMS arrived. Memoranda submitted by BPAs did not show any conflicting information. Total distance traveled during this pursuit was approximately 3.2 miles. (See Section B; Government Forms and Reports).

CIT Investigator , a certified Collision Reconstructionist, used standardized industry accepted collision reconstruction formulas to determine an approximate speed of VEH based on physical evidence at the scene. CIT Investigator used minimum speed equations to calculate the minimum speed of VEH at the time of the collision.

The following data was collected at the scene for this collision and the mathematical equations are shown below:
VARIABLES:

| $\mathrm{S}=$ Speed | $\mathrm{e}=$ Braking Efficiency | $\mathrm{r}=$ Radius |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{D}=$ Distance | $\mathrm{C}=$ Chord | $\mathrm{F}=$ Force |

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The below formula was used to obtain the drag factor of the roadway.

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& f=\frac{F}{w} \\
& f=\frac{21.00}{35.00} \\
& f=0.60
\end{aligned}
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The below formula was used to obtain the radius of the critical speed yaw VEH left at the scene as it skidded on the roadway.

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\begin{aligned}
& r=\frac{c^{2}}{8 m}+\frac{m}{2} \\
& r=\frac{3600.00}{6.64}+\frac{0.83}{2} \\
& r=542.17+0.42 \\
& r=\quad 542.58 \mathrm{ft}
\end{aligned}
$$

The below formula was used to obtain the minimum speed of VEH at the time of the collision.

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\begin{aligned}
& S=\sqrt{15 r(f+G)} \\
& S=\sqrt{15 \times 542.58 \times[0.60+0.00]} \\
& S=\sqrt{15 \times 542.58 \times 0.60} \\
& S=\sqrt{4883.22} \\
& S=6988 \mathrm{mph}
\end{aligned}
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Based on the above information, CIT Investigator
determined that the minimum speed of VEH at the time it went into a critical speed yaw, was approximately 69 MPH . The posted speed limit for this area of highway is 55 MPH and the posted recommended speed for this curve is 45 MPH .

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## RVSS Video

On August 6, 2021, CIT received a DVD containing video from the HWY-185 checkpoint. This DVD included three RVSS videos which showed the following:

Camera 1 (08/03/2021 4:29:59)
04:43:48 Three BPAs exit checkpoint and approach the primary inspection area.
04:44:06 One BPA takes spike strips and walks northbound out of camera view.
04:44:50 BPA on primary withdraws flashlight from holster and flashes it on the ground.
04:45:08 BPA on primary reaches for stop sticks but then runs north out of camera view.
04:45:11 Second BPA runs to unit parked in camera view, then returns to checkpoint.
04:46:05 BPA exits checkpoint and walks out of camera view.
04:46:22 BPA comes back into camera view carrying stop sticks.
04:47:51 BPA approaches unit and moves it forward within camera view.
04:48:57 BPA Green light's checkpoint.
04:49:15 BPA enters checkpoint.
04:50:39 BPA locks checkpoint door.
04:51:06 BPA drives away from checkpoint.
Camera 2 (08/03/2021 04:29:59)
04:45:10 Headlights come into view and VEH drives past checkpoint at high rate of speed.
04:45:14 BP Unit comes into view with no emergency equipment activated yet.
Camera 3 (08/03/2021 04:29:59)
04:44:10 BPA comes into view carrying stop sticks
04:44:12 Second BPA comes into view
04:44:39 BPA sets up with stop sticks awaiting VEH.
04:45:10 BPA comes into view running towards BP unit.
04:45:22 BPA drives off.
04:45:25 BPA comes into view carrying stop sticks.
04:45:30 BPA approaches K9 unit and drives off.
04:48:10 BP unit comes into view and stops.
04:50:58 BPA approaches unit and drives away.
Record Checks on show that he has an extensive criminal history. (SEE SECTION E; Civilian).

On August 9, 2021, CIT Investigator
reached out to WC to request photographs of the Government Owned Vehicles (GOVs) BPAs were driving. Photographs of both GOVs show no damage and indicate no contact was made between GOVs and VEH. (See Section H; Scene Photographs).

Transcripts of the radio communications from this incident are attached to this case. Audio recording depicted BPA encountered a possible load vehicle that was all over the roadway. BPA $\square$ was going to follow VEH to the checkpoint, when VEH sped away at a high rate of speed. BPA $\square$ lost visual of VEH momentarily before seeing it pulled over on the side of the roadway. As BPA approached,

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VEH got back on the roadway and sped off. Shortly after, VEH circumvented the HWY-185 checkpoint and continued north at a high rate of speed prior to rolling over. (SEE SECTION J; Communication

## Transcripts).

## Audio Timeline

2:46 BPA s advised HWY-185 checkpoint VEH may be loaded.
3:18 BPA reports VEH is going around HWY-185 checkpoint.
4:18 Rollover is reported.
NMSP responded to investigate this collision and Patrolman $\square$ completed an investigation under case number . Patrolman $\square$ stated VEH was traveling north on NM HWY-185 and was being pursued by BPAs after avoiding inspection at the HWY-185 checkpoint.

NMSP Patrolman investigation found that VEH drifted off the right side of the roadway. Driver jerked steering wheel to the left causing VEH to enter a counterclockwise critical speed yaw. VEH slid off the right side of the roadway where wheels furrowed into the dirt shoulder causing VEH to roll at least one full rotation before coming to rest on its wheels facing east. (See Section G; Other Agency Reports).

On August 13, 2021, Special Operations Supervisor (SOS) of the El Paso County Medical Examiner's Office.
 , received a call from advised their office had the body of a subject later identified as Jonathan Andres $\quad$ of Ecuador. $\quad$ was a passenger in VEH at the time of the collision. An autopsy was scheduled for this morning under $\square$ (See Section G; Other Agency Reports).

On August 16, 2021, $\square$ , received information that driver, died of his injuries. An autopsy was scheduled to be performed by the El Paso County Medical Examiner's Office under Copies of the autopsy reports were requested. (See Section G; Other Agency
Reports).
On September 14, 2021, CIT received an autopsy report for Jonathan Andres Autopsy revealed $\quad$ s body had multiple blunt force injuries to include a subdural menatoma, status postop right craniotomy, subarachnoid hemorrhage, and severe cerebral edema. Cause of death was classified as accident. (See Section G; Other Agency Reports).

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The roadway at this location is a two lane, paved roadway. The area surrounding the scene is mainly residential and farmland. The incident occurred during hours of darkness with no artificial lighting, road conditions were dry, and weather was clear. (Sce Section H; Seene Photographs).

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No private property damage was reported as a result of this incident.
Media reports were generated in regard to this collision and more are expected. (See Section K; Media Reports).

## Evidence Collection and Disposition

| Description | Date Collected | Disposition |
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| Scene Photographs | $08 / 03 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |
| Hospital Photographs | $08 / 03 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |
| LAS Station Photographs | $08 / 03 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |
| Canon Total Station Diagram | $08 / 03 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |
| Radio Communications Audio | $08 / 04 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |
| HWY-185 Checkpoint RVSS | $08 / 05 / 2021$ | Archived at EPT CIT |

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## SECTION



## GOVERNMENT FORMS \& REPORTS

All government documents submitted pertaining to the case listed above

GOVERNMENT MEMORANDUMS, REPORTS, AND FORMS

| Form No. | Date | Title/Author |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| EPSAMS | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | Vehicle Pursuit <br> NM Highway 185, Mile Marker 29 |
| SIR |  |  |
|  | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | Significant Incident Report |
| SIR |  |  |
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| G-166F | $8 / 4 / 2021$ | Report of Investigation <br> Alien Smuggling |
| G-259 | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | Duty Assignment Sheet |
| G-481 | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | Daily Group Assignment Log |
| N/A | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | OPR Interviews |
| N/A | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | Scene Photographs |
| N/A | $8 / 3 / 2021$ | CIT Field Notes |

## VEHICLE PURSUIT: <br> *OPR will be notified on anything that requires an SIR

| Station: $\angle A S$ Date: $8 / 3 / 21$ | (Submit Checklist with Report) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NOTIFICATIONS: | Yes | No | Comments |
| Telephonic Notification made to WC, DPAIC, PAIC, LEO Division Chief (primary), XO (secondary) | $\square$ | $\square$ | WC/DPAIC/PAIC will notify OPS Division Chief. |
| Notify Sector Communications Division and request OAM Support | $\square$ | - | Indicate whether Media is present of media attention is expected along with all pertinent information. |
| Telephonic Notification to the Sector Critical Incident Tcam (CIT) <br> *Reference EPT CIT Notifications memo dated October I1, 2019 for required notifications | $\square$ | $\square$ | Any traffic collision resulting from a vehicle stop, an attempted vehicle stop, or a vehicular pursuit, as defined by CBP Directive 4510-25, Emergency Driving and Vehicular Pursuits by Customs and Border Protection Personnel: <br> Primary (Program Manager): <br> Secondary (SOS): |
| Telephonic Notification made to Intelligence and Operations Center (IOC) | $\square$ | $\square$ | SBPA notifies IOC telephonically as soon as practical and within 1 hour of occurrence of significant event. Written notification to the Division Chief within 2 hours. SIR completion in BPETS within 3 hours. <br> IOC: Telephone <br> Fax |
| Telephonic Notification to Centro de Inteligencia y Seguridad Nacional (CISEN) | $\square$ | $\square$ | IOC Notification if applicable. SBPA will need CISEN report number. |
| Telephonic Notification to C-4 by SBPA | $\square$ | $\square$ | If applicable, SBPA contact C-4 to make report and obtain report number. Provide C-4 report number to IOC |
| Telephonic Notifications made to EPT Strategic Communications Branch Public Affairs Office (SCB/PAO) | $\square$ |  | Primary POC: <br> Alternate POCs: |
| Telephonic Notification to Foreign Government Consulate Office (Coordinate with ILU $\square$ ) | $\square$ | $\square$ | If applicable. Consular Officers are not allowed to question or talk to Alicn or witness(s) prior to SET or Other Law Enforcement Agencies. Fax and Telephonic, Intranet listing: <br> http://www.state.gov/s/cpr/rls/fco/c12448.htm |
| Photographs | $\square$ | $\square$ | Immediate photographs of scene and injuries if applicable, defer to CIT. Surveillance video if available. |
| Effective July 28, 2016 - All Vehicle Pursuits initiated by CBP components must be recarded in E-STAR | $\square$ | $\square$ | Record Vehicle Pursuits in E-STAR. http://ess-aufrs.cbp.dhs.gov |

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| REQUIRED PAPERWORK: | Yes | No | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SF94 Witness Statement (REV. 3/2017) | $\square$ | $\square$ | Non-Agent, if applicable. |
|  | Notice of Right to Union Representation <br> (Bargaining Unit Employees Only) | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Witness Memorandum (Agent) | $\square$ | $\square$ | Issue Weingarten before requesting memorandum. Agent <br> signature, date and time are required. |
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| Immigration Detainer (I-247) | $\square$ | $\square$ | If applicable. |

**For Vehicle Pursuits, it is not necessary to forward the pursuit packet to MIT**
MIT will advise in the event that a packet is needed MIT will advise in the event that a packet is needed

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## U.S. Customs and Border Protection

 SIGNIFICANT INCIDENT REPORT

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-0446 x-289 advised that vehicle had circumvented the checkpoint and that he was initiating vehicle stop
-0446 x-289 advised 880 that the suspect vehicle had failed to yield and was traveling at a high rate of speed.
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-0450 xk-268 10-32
-0452 x-28 notified 702 to "green light" and provide additional support
-0452 x-286 and $x-48$ 10-13 from 702
-0456 x-28 contacted 880 and requested local support, traffic control, EMS and life flight (Native Air)
-0457 Native Air notified 25 min ETA
-0457 NMSP, Hatch PD, DASO, local EMS all notified of the request for support
-0500 Hatch PD and NMSP on scene
-0500 Hatch AMR and Garfield Fire and Rescue notified and en-route
-0505 x-28 attempted to contact CIT
-0510 x-28 attempted to contact CIT, as well as MIT
-0522 Native Air on scene
-0533 x-28 contacted BIC and opened SIR with media interest

- 0540 CIT (Ortega) en-route from EI Paso
-0624 3 non-life-threatening injuries transported to Mountain View Hospital via ambulance for treatment
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-0632 CIT Agent responding from EI Paso to meet life flight at UMC

DRIVER INFORMATION:


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BLUE 1998 FORD EXPEDITION
TX PLATE
VIN
The driver and nine passengers were taken to various area hospitals depending on the triage. Four of the passengers were airlifted to UMC in El Paso, TX, and six remain at local hospitals.
Given the extent of injuries and status we are currently unable to determine citizenship or other biographical information. All biographical information for the remaining subjects/passengers will follow in an update as the information becomes available.

OPR, HSI, CIT, MIT were all notified and are currently at the Las Cruces Border Patrol Station conducting interviews. Inevitably, prosecution of the driver will be sought.

Updates to follow.
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DOB-
COC- El Salvador
Current Location: Las Cruces Border Patrol Station
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8. Unidentified subject \#1
DOB- UNK
COC- UNK
Current Location: University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX (currently in surgery unable to get biographical info)
9. Unidentified subject \#2
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8. Unidentified subject \#1

DOB- UNK
COC- UNK
Current Location: University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX (currently in surgery unable to get biographical info)
9. Unidentified subject \#2

DOB- UNK
COC- UNK
Current Location: University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX (currently in surgery unable to get biographical info)
ORIGINAL SIR TEXT:
On August 3, 2021, at approximately 0443 hours, an agent working assigned roving patrol duties on New Mexico State Highway 185 encountered and began following a suspected alien smuggling load northbound towards the U. S. Border Patrol Checkpoint located at mile marker 26. The checkpoint was informed of the incoming potential load vehicle and was instructed to "be ready". Shortly afterwards and at approximately 0446 hours, the suspect vehicle approached the checkpoint, slowed down swerved slightly and drove around the traffic cones and subsequently the checkpoint. Agents immediately attempted to perform a vehicle stop and the suspect vehicle failed to yield and fled the checkpoint area at a high rate of speed. The vehicle traveled approximately 1 and $1 / 2$ miles before rolling over due to being overloaded. See timeline below for additional details.

- 0443 X-289 working roving patrol identified possible load vehicle traveling north on Hwy. 185, described as dark colored SUV - 0443 x-289 notified agents working at 703 of incoming vehicle, low speeds lightly swerving as if in an attempt/thinking about next move, and to "be ready"
- $0446 \times-289$ advised that vehicle had circumvented the checkpoint and that he was initiating vehicle stop
- $0446 \times-289$ advised 880 that the suspect vehicle had failed to yield and was traveling at a high rate of speed.
- 0446 x-289 advised responding marked sedan to take over pursuit.
- $0446 \times$ - 289 advised that vehicle was approaching mile marker 27 at approximately 73 mph
- 0447 X-48 contacted 880 and requested air support via radio
- $0447 \times-28$ contacted 880 and requested air support via radio
- $0447 \times$ - 289 advised that vehicle was beginning to swerve, and had flipped, approximately mm28.5.
- 0450 xk-268 10-32
- $0452 x-28$ notified 702 to "green light" and provide additional support
- $0452 x-286$ and $x-48$ 10-13 from 702
- $0456 \times-28$ contacted 880 and requested local support, traffic control, EMS and life flight (Native Air)
- 0457 Native Air notified 25 min ETA
- 0457 NMSP, Hatch PD, DASO, local EMS all notified of the request for support
- 0500 Hatch PD and NMSP on scene
- 0500 Hatch AMR and Garfield Fire and Rescue notified and en-route
- 0505 x-28 attempted to contact CIT
- $0510 \times$-28 attempted to contact CIT, as well as MIT
- 0522 Native Air on scene
- 0533 x-28 contacted BIC and opened SIR with media interest
- 0540 CIT (Ortega) en-route from EI Paso
- 06243 non-life-threatening injuries transported to Mountain View Hospital via ambulance for treatment
- 06243 "minor" injuries transported to Memorial via ambulance
- 06314 life threatening injuries transported to UMC via Native Air Life flight $35-40 \mathrm{~min}$ ETA
- 0632 Agents from LAS deploying to all three hospitals for Hospital Watch/Security
- 0632 CIT Agent responding from EI Paso to meet life flight at UMC

DRIVER INFORMATION:


VEHICLE INFORMATION:
BLUE 1998-EORDEXPEDITION
TX PLATE
VIN:
The driver and nine passengers were taken to various area hospitals depending on the triage. Four of the passengers were airlifted to UMC in El Paso, TX, and six remain at local hospitals.
Given the extent of injuries and status we are currently unable to determine citizenship or other biographical information. All
biographical information for the remaining subjects/passengers will follow in an update as the information becomes available

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OPR, HSI, CIT, MIT were all notified and are currently at the Las Cruces Border Patrol Station conducting interviews. Inevitably, prosecution of the driver will be sought.

Updates to follow.
All electronic notifications were made by the El Paso Sector Intelligence and Operations Center as per SIR Guidelines/Policies and Procedures.

This report is preliminary. Facts and statements herein may be updated and/or supplemented as additional information becomes available.

# Enforcement Action Statistical Analysis and Reporting System (E-STAR) Incident Report 

Current Status: © Completed
OActiveReady for reviewRejected
O Deleted

## INCIDENT INFORMATION

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E-STAR incident ID:
Title: Vehicle Pursuit NM Hwy 185 that resulted in motor vehicle accident (rollover) on NM Hwy 185 mm 29
Incident date/time: 08/03/2021 04:46
Type:
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```Assault against CBP personnel
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```Reportable use of force \(\boxtimes\) Vehicle pursuit by CBP
```

```Unintentional firearm discharge
```

```Intentional firearm discharge
Reporting organization: El Paso Sector / Las Cruces Station
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``` Last updated by: Last updated date/time: 08/08/2021 05:02 Reviewer:
Date reviewed: 08/06/2021
```

RELATED SYSTEMS: 0
Is there IDVRS footage (Evidence Serial Number) associated with this incident? O Yes *) No

| Related system(8):0 | Related document ID |
| :--- | :--- |

INVOLVED ORGANIZATIONS

| Organization/type | Componentlagency | Vehicie pursuit role |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Reporting organization: |  |  |
| CBP | USBP | Initiated the pursuit |

Were other CBP components/external agencies involved? O Yes © No

## LOCATION/ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

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Incident location/AOR: El Paso Sector/Las Cruces Station
    Landmark: HWY }185\mathrm{ CHECKPOINT
Country/international waters: United States of America
    Address:
        Street: Highway }185\mathrm{ mile marker 28.5
        Clyy: State: NEW MEXICO ZIp:
Vehicle pursult coordinates: For CBP vehicle involvement only; if gaps in the pursuit, use the earliest start point and final end point.
    Starting latitude: 32.60321 Ending latitude: }32.6314
    Starting longitude: -107.02159 Ending longitude: -107.58019
Setting: O Indoors \otimes Outdoors
    Outdoor setting: *) On land
        O In water (standing or swimming)
        O On water (in vessel)
        O In the air
Description of the premises/location: Highway }185\mathrm{ approximately mile marker 28.5, north of the Las Cruces Border Patrol Checkpoint
located on Highway }185\mathrm{ mile marker 26.
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Environmental factors：
Weather：区 Dry ．RainingSnowingFloodingWindyStormHaze／blowing dustFogOther Illumination： $\square D$ Daylight 区 Dark－DawnDuskGood lightingPoor lightingNight vision aidedOther Traffic conditions： $\qquad$ HeavyMedium Light $\mathbb{Q}$ No traffic－ $\square$ Other
Road surface：$\triangle$ Paved－UnpavedOff roadOther
Road conditions：Excellent区 Fair－PoorOther Environmentflocale：$\square$ Urban $\boxtimes$ Suburban－$\square$ Industrial $\square$ School zone $\square$ Pedestrians present $\square$ Construction zone $\boldsymbol{\otimes}$ Near POE／checkpoint－ $\boldsymbol{\otimes}$ Other－rural area intermixed with orchards and farms Estimated temperature（Fahrenheit）： 80

## NOTIFICATIONS

CBP personnel notified：


EMPLOYEES： 2


| Was | CBP pu | an occupant in a CBP pursult vehicie? $\otimes$ Yes <br> s) occupied: |  |  | O No |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vehicle | Type | Markings | Vehicle's initial position in the pursult | GONZALES, JAZZMIN E's initial role in this vehicle | Total damage to the vehicle |
|  | M87898 | SUV | Marked | Primary | Driver | None |
| Did |  |  | initiate the vehicle pursuit? ® Yes ONo |  |  |  |
| Was | $\square$ injured? O Yes * No |  |  |  |  |  |

SUBJECTS: 10
Name:
Gender:
Immigration status: U.S. Citizen
Country of citizenship: United States of America
Was there an apparent or known mental impaiment (E.g., mental iliness/alcoholdrugs) in the condition of the subject? O Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspection
区 Failure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbanceOther
Subject's current location and disposition if known: subject was taken into medical custody and transported to hospital.
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit? * Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? © Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of.

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> vehicle other than <br> tire damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Sublect's <br> Intital role in <br> this vehicle |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE-1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil <br> en | Heavy | Other | Driver |

Was this subject arrested / taken into custody? O Yes
(8) No

Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? © Yes
Ono
O Unknown
Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? © Yes O No O Unknown
Was a CTDDNID/ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit? Yes * No
Injury information:
Injury type: Critical injuries (admitted to hospital w/ life threatening injuries)
Injury Comment: Subject admitted into the hospital with numerous visible injuries.
Currently in ICU.
Refused medical attention? O Yes \& No
Recelved treatment? *) Yes O No
Reglon(s) of the body injured:

## Medical treatment information:

Received EMS treatment prior tolin lieu of treatment at a facility? © Yes O No
Provider: AMR
Facility name: AMR
Street address:
Clty: Las Cruces
State: NEWMEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:
Name:
CHRISTOPHER
Gender: Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship: EL SALVADOR
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment (E.g., mental iliness/alcohol/drugs) in the condition of the subject? o Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:
区 Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbance
Subject's current location and disposition if known: Subject was expelled under Title 42.
Was this subject in the vehicie pursuit? (8) Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? © Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> venicle other than <br> tire damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Subjects <br> initial role in <br> this vehicle |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE-1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil <br> e | Heavy | Other | Passenger |

Was this subject arrested / taken into custody? © Yes O No
Arrested / taken into custody by: © CBP O Other federal agency O State agency O Local agency
Was prosecution sought against this subject? O Yes \& No
Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? © Yes O No O Unknown
Did the injury I alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? © Yes O No O Unknown
Was a CTDD/MD/ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit? O Yes \& No
Injury information:
Injury type: Moderate injuries (treated and released by a medical facility or will seek future treatment)
Injury Comment: Subject diagnosed with contusions and moderate injuries.

## Refused medical attention? O Yes <br> $\otimes$ No

Received treatment? © Yes ONo

Region(s) of the body injured:

区 Front head
$\square$ Side headNeck/throatRear upper torso/backRear lower torso/backRear below waist/buttocksFront legs/feetFront upper torso/chestFront lower torso/abdomenFront below waist/groin areaArms/handsRear legs

Medical treatment information:
Received EMS treatment prior to/in lieu of treatment at a facility? \& Yes O No Provider: AMR
Facility name: American Medical Response
Street address:
Clity: Las Cruces
State: NEWMEXICO Zlp 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:
Name:
ROVIN
Gender: Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship: GUATEMALA
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment (E.g., mental iliness/alcohoVdrugs) in the condition of the subject? OYes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:
区 Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbanceOther
Subject's current location and disposition if known: Subject was TOT HSI where he will serve as a Material Witness for this case.
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit? (8) Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? \& Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> vehicle other than <br> tire damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Subjects <br> initial role in <br> this vehicie |
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Was this subject arrested I taken into custody? (8) Yes
Arrestad I taken into custody by: O CBP © Other federal agency O State agency O Local agency
Was prosecution sought against this subject? O Yes (8) No
Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? © Yes O No O Unknown
Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? © Yes O No Unknown
Was a CTDDMD/ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit? O Yes (2) No
Injury information:
Injury type: Moderate injuries (treated and released by a medical facility or will seek future treatment)
Injury Comment: Subject felt injured after being in a roll over accident

Refused medical attention? O Yes * No
Recelved treatment? © Yes O No
Region(s) of the body injured:

| $\boxtimes$ Front head | $\square$ Rear head |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Side head | $\square$ Face |
| $\square$ Neck/throat | $\square$ Front upper torso/chest |
| $\square$ Rear upper torso/back | $\square$ Front lower torso/abdomen |
| $\square$ Rear lower torso/back | $\square$ Front below waist/groin area |
| $\square$ Rear below waist/buttocks | $\square$ Arms/hands |
| $\square$ Front legs/feet | $\square$ Rear legs |

Medical treatment information:
Received EMS treatment prior to/in lieu of treatment at a facility? \& Yes O No Provider: AMR
Facility name: America Medical Response
Street address:
Clity: Las Cruces
State: NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:

## Name:

LESVIN
Gender: Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of ctizenship: HONDURAS
Was there an apparent or known mental impaiment (E.g., mental illness/alcohol/drugs) in the condition of the subject? o Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:
区 Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbanceOther
Subjects current location and disposition if known: Subject is at University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX. Intubated in ICU and COVID Positive.
Was this subject in the vehicie pursuit? * Yes
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicie? $\otimes$ Yes
No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

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Was thls subject arrested / taken Into custody? © Yes
Arrested / taken into custody by: © CBP O Other federal agency O state agency O Local agency Was prosecution sought against this subject? O Yes © No
Was thls subject injured or claiming to be injured? © YesUnknown
Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? © Yes O No O Unknown
Was a CTDD/VID/ODT deployed during this vehicie pursuit? O Yes (®) No
Injury information:

Injury type: Serious injuries (admitted to the hospital)
Injury Comment: Subject is at University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX. Intubated in ICU and COVID Positive.
Refused medical attention? O Yes * No
Received treatment? (8) Yes O No
Region(s) of the body injured:

| $\boxtimes$ Front head | $\boxed{\text { Rear head }}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\boxtimes$ Side head | $\square$ Face |
| $\square$ Neck/throat | $\square$ Front upper torso/chest |
| $\square$ Rear upper torso/back | $\square$ Front lower torso/abdomen |
| $\square$ Rear lower torso/back | $\square$ Front below waist/groin area |
| $\square$ Rear below waist/buttocks | $\square$ Arms/hands |
| $\square$ Front legs/feet | $\square$ Rear legs |

Medical treatment information:
Recelved EMS treatment prior to/in lieu of treatment at a facility? \& Yes O No Provider: AMR
Facilly name: American Medical Response
Street address:
City: Las Cruces
State: NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:
Name:
SANTOS DAVID
Gender. Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship: HONDURAS
Was there an apparent or known mental impaiment (E.g., mental Illness/alcohol/drugs) in the condition of the subject? o Yes
$\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:
区 illegal entry
$\square$ Uncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbanceOther
Subject's current location and disposition if known: Subject was TOT HSI where he will serve as a Material Witness for this case.
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit? * Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicie? $\otimes$ Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

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Was this subject arrested / taken into custody? © Yes O No


Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? © Yes O No O Unknown Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? (8) Yes O No O Unknown

Was a CTDD／VID／ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit？Yes（8）No Injury information：

Injury type：Moderate injuries（treated and released by a medical facility or will seek future treatment）
Injury Comment：Subject was a passenger in a vehicle rollover accident．
Refused medical attention？O Yes \＆No
Received treatment？＊）Yes O No
Region（s）of the body injured：

区 Front headRear head
区 Side head $\square$ Neck／throat $\square$ Rear upper torso／back $\square$ Rear lower torso／back $\square$ Rear below waist／buttocks $\square$ Front legs／feetFaceArms／handsRear legs

Front upper torso／chest Front lower torso／abdomen
Front below waistgroin area

Medical treatment information：

# Received EMS treatment prior to／in lieu of treatment at a facility？© Yes 

 O NoProvider：AMR
Faclity name：American Medical Response
Street address：
City：Las Cruces
Stats：NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type：Main Phone： 575 523－0225 Phone extension：
Name：
ENRRIY
Gender：Male
Immigration status：Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship：HONDURAS
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment（E．g．，mental illness／alcohol／drugs）in the condition of the subject？o Yes $\otimes$ No Subject＇s activity：

区 Illegal entry
$\square$ Uncooperative during encounter／inspectionFailure to yield／heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault（rocks／other projectiles）Assault（all other types）Protesting／civil disturbanceOther
Subject＇s current location and disposition if known：Subject is at the University Medical Center in El Paso，TX
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit？\＆Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle？\＆Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of：

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the vehicle other than tire demage | Disposition of the vehicle | Sublects initial role in this vehicle |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE－1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil e | Heavy | Other | Passenger |
| Was this subject arrested／taken into custody？© Yes O No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arrested／taken into custody by：© CBP O Other federal agency O State agency O local agency |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Was this subject injured of claiming to be injured？（8）Yes

Did the injury／alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursult？© Yes
Ono No OUnknown
Was a CTDD／VID／ODT deployed during this vehicie pursuit？O Yes＊No
Injury information：
Injury type：Serious injuries（admitted to the hospital）
Injury Comment：Subject was a passenger in a vehicle rollover accident．
Refused medical attention？O Yes＊No
Received treatment？© Yes O No
Region（s）of the body injured：
$\boxtimes$ Front head
$\boxtimes$ Side head
区 Neck／throat
$\boxtimes$ Rear upper torso／back
区 Rear lower torso／back
区 Rear below wais／buttocks
区 Front legs／feet

| Q Rear head |
| :---: |
| 区 Face |
| 区 Front upper torso／chest |
| 区 Front lower torso／abdomen |
| 区 Front below waist／groin area |
| Q Arms／hands |
| 区 Rear legs |

Medical treatment information：
Received EMS treatment prior to／in lieu of treatment at a facility？（8）Yes O No
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Facillity name：American Medical Response
Street address：
Clity：Las Cruces
State：NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type：Main Phone： 575 523－0225 Phone extension：
Name：
DIXON
Gender：Male
Immigration status：Inadmissible Alien
Country of cllizenship：HONDURAS
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment（E．g．，mental illness／alcohol／drugs）in the condition of the subject？o Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject＇s activity：
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$\square$ Uncooperative during encounter／inspectionFallure to yield／heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault（rocks／other projectiles）Assault（all other types）Protesting／civil disturbanceOther
Subject＇s current location and disposition If known：Subject is at University Medical Center in El Paso，TX．Wall Sinus Fracture Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit？（8）Yes
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle？（8）Yes
O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of．

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> vahicle other than <br> tire damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Subiect＇s <br> initial role in <br> this vehicle |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE－1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil <br> e | Heavy | Other | Passenger |

Was this subject arrested／taken into custody？（8）Yes
Arreated／taken into custody by：® CBP O Other federal agency O State agency O Local agency
Was prosecution sought against this subject？O Yes © No

| Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? (8) Yes Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? | O Unknown |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (2) Yes | O No | O Unknown |
| Was a CTDD/VID/ODT deployed during this vehicle pu | suit? O Yes |  |  |
| Injury information: |  |  |  |
| Injury type: Serious injuries (admitted to the hos |  |  |  |
| Injury Comment: Wall Sinus Fracture |  |  |  |
| Refused medical attention? O Yes (8) No |  |  |  |
| Received treatment? * Yes O No |  |  |  |
| Region(s) of the body injured: |  |  |  |
| $\square$ Front head |  | Rear he |  |
| $\square$ Side head |  | Face |  |
| $\square$ Neck/throat |  | Front up | r torso/chest |
| $\square$ Rear upper torso/back |  | Front lo | torso/abdomen |
| $\square$ Rear lower torso/back |  | Front be | w waist/groin area |
| $\square$ Rear below waisthbuttocks |  | Arms/h |  |
| $\square$ Front legs/feet |  | Rear legs |  |

Medical treatment information:
Received EMS treatment prior to/in lieu of treatment at a facility? \& Yes O No
Provider: AMR
Facillity name: American Medical Response

1) Street address:

Clity: Las Cruces
State: NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:
Name:


Gender: Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship: GUATEMALA
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment (E.g., mental illness/alcoholdrugs) in the condition of the subject? O Yes $\otimes$ No Subject's activity:

区 Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbanceOther
Subject's current location and disposition if known:
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit? © Yes
ONo
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? © Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

| Vehicle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> vehicle other than <br> tire damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Subject's <br> initial role in <br> this vehicle |
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| SUBJECT VEHICLE-1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil <br> en | Heavy | Other | Passenger |

Was this subject arrested / taken into custody? $\otimes$ Yes O No Arrestad / taken into custody by: © CBP

Was prosecution sought against this subject? $O$ Yes Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured? © Yes © No Did the injury / alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit? ® Yes O No O Unknown

Was a CTDD/NID/ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit? Y Yes * No Injury information:

Injury type: Moderate injuries (treated and released by a medical facility or will seek future treatment)
Injury Comment: Diagnosed with contusions and moderate injuries.
Refused medical attention? Yes * No
Received treatment? © Yes O No
Region(s) of the body injured:
$\boxtimes$ Front head $\boxtimes$ Rear head

区 Side headNeck/throatFront upper torso/chestRear upper torso/backFront lower torso/abdomenRear lower torso/backFront below waist/groin areaRear below waist/buttocks $\square$ Arms/handsFront legs/feetRear legs

## Medical treatment information:

Received EMS treatment prior to/in lleu of treatment at a facility? \& Yes O No
Provider. AMR

Facility name: American Medical Response
Street address:
City: Las Cruces
State: NEW MEXICO Zip 88005
Phone type: Main Phone: 575 523-0225 Phone extension:

## Name:

## OSCAR DAVID

Gender: Male
Immigration status: Inadmissible Alien
Country of citizenship: HONDURAS
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment (E.g., mental illness/alcohol/drugs) in the condition of the subject? o Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:
区 Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbance
$\square$ Other
Subject's current location and disposition if known: Subject is at the University Medical Center in El Paso, TX. Some brain damage, scalp ripped off, multiple hematomas and a large laceration on right flank.
Was this subject in the vehicle pursult? © Yes O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? (Q) Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of:

| Vehlcle | Make | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the <br> vehicle other than <br> the damage | Disposition of <br> the vehicle | Subjects <br> Initial role in <br> this vehicle |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE-1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil <br> 0 | Heavy | Other | Passenger |




Name: UNKNOWN-1
Gender: Male
Immigration status: Unknown
Country of citizenship:
Was there an apparent or known mental impairment (E.g., mental iliness/alcohol/drugs) in the condition of the subject? O Yes $\otimes$ No
Subject's activity:Illegal entryUncooperative during encounter/inspectionFailure to yield/heave toCheckpoint runnerPort runnerAlien smugglingNarcotics smugglingScoutingAssault (rocks/other projectiles)Assault (all other types)Protesting/civil disturbance
区 Other - Subject has been unresponsive and has not been identified
Subject's current location and disposition if known: Subject is at University Medical Center in EI Paso, TX.
Was this subject in the vehicle pursuit? © Yes
O No
Was the subject an occupant of a vehicle? $\otimes$ Yes O No
Vehicle the subject was an occupant of.

| Vehicle | Maks | Model | Year | Type | Damage to the vehicle other than fire damage | Disposition of the vehicle | Subjact＇s initial role in this vehicle |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SUBJECT VEHICLE－1 | Ford | Expedition | 1998 | Automobil e | Heavy | Other | Passenger |
| Was this subject injured or claiming to be injured？（8）Yes O No O Unknown |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Did the injury／alleged injury occur during the vehicle pursuit？© Yes O No Unknown |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Was a CTDD／VID／ODT deployed during this vehicle pursuit？Yes（8）No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Injury information： |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Injury type：Critical injuries（admitted to hospital w／life threatening injuries） |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Injury Comment 14MM brain shift |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Refused medical attention？Y Yes（8）No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Recelved treatment？（2）Yes O No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Region（s）of the body injured： |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Front head $\boxtimes$ Rear head |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Side head $\boxtimes$ Face |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Neck／throat 区 Front upper torso／chest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Rear upper torso／back $\boxtimes$ Front lower torso／abdomen |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Rear lower torso／back 区 Front below waist／groin area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Rear below waist／buttocks $\triangle$ Arms／hands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 区 Front legs／feet $\triangle$ Rear legs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Medical treatment information： |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Received EMS treatment prior to／in lieu of traatment at a facility？\％Yes O No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provider：AMR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Facility name：American Medical Response |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Street address： |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clity：Las Cruces |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| State：NEW MEXICO | Zip 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Phone type：Main | hone： 5 | 3－0225 | Phone | extension： |  |  |  |

## VEHICLE PURSUIT

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Vehicle pursult reporting organization: El Paso Sector / Las Cruces Station
Why the pursult was initiated: Failed to yield
CBP pursult supervisor: ARROYO, GERARDO
Communications center: United States Border Patrol El Paso Sector Radio
Pursult start date/time: 08/03/2021 04:46
Estimated pursult duration: 2 minutes
Estimated pursult distance: 2.5 miles
Estimated highest speed attained by a CBP vehicle during the purauit. 75 mph
What was the disposition of the vehicle pursult? Subject Wrecked the Vehicle
Was contraband seized by CBP? O Yes © No
Are there any audio/video files for this pursuit? © Yes O No
    Location oflinks to the files: EI Paso Sector Radio
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## COLLATERAL DAMAGE： 0

Did this incident result in collateral property damage？O Yes＊No
Did this incident result in collateral injury to a bystander？OYes ® No

## WTNESSES: 0

## NARRATIVE

Narrative of
On Tuesday, August 3, 2021, I, Border Patrol Agent $\quad$ was assigned to the United States Border Patrol Checkpoint located on Highway 185, mile marker 26. north of Las Cruces, New Mexico. At approximately 0430 hours I was notified by United States Border Patrol Agent $\quad$ that he was following a vehicle on Highway 185 northbound towards the checkpoint. As both vehicles approacned, [ooserver a blue Ford Expedition, swerve around the cones that led into the primary inspection area of the checkpoint and continue northbound. I heard Border Patrol Agent advise that the Ford was failing to yield, and I entered my assigned government marked vehicle in order to assist in the pursuit.

As I neared the Border Patrol Vehicle in front of me, I was requested by Border Patrol Agent $\quad$ to take over as primary pursuit agent. Once I had successfully passed the Border Patrol Vehicle, I observed the driver of the Ford Expedition had appeared to lose control of his vehicle. The Ford Expedition drove off the road onto the eastbound side of Highway 185. As I stopped at the scene, I observed multiple individuals who had been ejected from the vehicle laying on the side of the road. I advised sector radio that the Ford had possibly rolled over and exited my vehicle to assess the situation.

I immediately started assisting the persons in and out of the suspect vehicle. I believe I also called for medical assistance, but I recall Agent advised sector radio to call for an ambulance. Other Agents started to arrive and I continued to assist until I was instructed by Watch Commander $\quad$ to return to the station.
Narrattve of

On August 3, 2021, 1, Border Patrol Agent was assigned to Highway 185 Patrol from Las Cruces, New Mexico to Hatcn, New ivexico. At approximately 0440 hours, 1 was parked near mile marker 20 southbound on New Mexico Highway 185 observing traffic in my Government issued/assigned vehicle.

I observed a vehicie traveling nortinoound on rignway 185 and based on the circumstances, I decided that I was going to follow it to the Highway 185 Checkpoint. $\Pi$

As I came over the hill, expectea to de able to see the tallights of the venicle, butr coulant. This meant that the vehicle pulled over, turned off it's lights or sped up making the circumstances more suspicious to me.

I then turned on my bright head lights and began accelerating as I attempted to find or catch up to the vehicle. As I came around a curve, I could finally see the taillights up in the distance. I continued to accelerate to catch up as it was traveling at a high rate of speed. As I came around another curve, I saw the vehicle pulled over to the right shoulder. The vehicle noticed my head lights and quickly swerved back onto the highway kicking up a cloud of dust as the tires of the vehicle spun.

It was about this time that I notified Agents working at the Highway 185 Border Patrol Checkpoint that a dark in color SUV was headed their way and that it was possibly loaded with bodies. At this point, I observed the vehicle accelerate at a high rate of speed while swerving in and out of the north and south bound lanes of traffic. I advised Agents at the checkpoint again that the vehicle was approaching at a high rate of speed and that the driver was all over the road and to take caution. The vehicle started to slow down as it approached the checkpoint and it appeared as if he was going to present himself for inspection. At the last moment, the driver swerved into the south bound lane and proceeded to circumvent the checkpoint.

At that point, I activated my emergency equipment in an attempt to perform a vehicle stop and contacted Sector Radio that we had a failure to yield on Highway 185. The driver did not show any sign of stopping the vehicle and instead accelerated his rate of speed. I also communicated on the radio information such as rate of speed, traffic conditions, and location using mile markers. I attempted to drive closer to the suspect vehicle to acquire a license plate but could not close the distance due to the high rate of speed of the suspect vehicle, sudden bursts of acceleration and swerving the driver was doing. I also noticed that another marked Border Patrol vehicle had joined me in pursuing the vehicle. At that point, I asked Agen who was driving the other Border Patrol vehicle (Pursuit Vehicle) to overtake me and take over the vehicle pursuit. Agent pulled ahead of me and proceeded to pursue the vehicle. I continued with radio communications. I believe my last radio transaction was that we were passing mile marker 27 at a speed of approximately 73 miles per hour and that the vehicle was still swerving. I then witnessed the vehicle appear to make a right turn right toward a pecan orchard. At that point, the vehicle went airborne and began to roll. I knew this, because I saw a huge cloud of dust and suddenly lost visual of the vehicle's lights. Agent advised radio at that point that the vehicle had flipped.
I quickly pulled over and ran toward the vehicle to check for injured subjects. I heard Agent yell at an unknown number of subjects to stop and remain still. I noticed one injured suoject and I quickly rendered aid to him. I also noticed other subjects inside and outside the vehicle. At the time there were still three subjects in the vehicle. Within minutes other Agents arrived and began calling for Ambulances and Life Flights. EMS also arrived on scene and began treating subjects and moving them to ambulances and a helicopter. Later Watch Commander approached and told Agen and I to head back to the station. Please see the Official Immerine that was submitted by the LAS Supervisors and the audio transcript from for a more accurate and precise depiction of what transpired.

FILE ATTACHMENTS

## STATUS HISTORY

| Action | By | Date | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Submitted |  | $08 / 05 / 202103: 28$ |  |
| Approved |  | JASON | $08 / 05 / 202104: 05$ |
| Reopened |  | $08 / 06 / 2021$ 02:22 |  |
| Submitted |  |  | Additional Subject names for this event required. Subjects were <br> transported to the hospital after rollover accident and were not identified. |


| Rejected |  |  | $08 / 08 / 202104: 24$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| add subject information - material witnesses |  |  |  |
| Submitted |  |  | $08 / 08 / 202104: 52$ |
| Approved |  | $08 / 06 / 202105: 02$ |  |

## REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

| Title PRINCIPAL: |  | File Number Event No | Date 08/04/2021 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Report Number |
| (Name) | (Signature) |  | Office EPT/LAS |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| BPA (T) |  |  |  |
| Approved by: (Name and Tite) | (Signature) |  | Office EPT/LAS |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| SUPERVISORY BORDER PATROL AGENT |  |  |  |

## SYNOPSIS

## ALIEN SMUGGLING CASE




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| Signature | Title | BPA (T) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

$\qquad$ Pages

| NAME | DOB | COB | INJURIES | SEX | Additional <br> ID |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1.Dixon Stanley |  | Honduras | Fractured <br> skull, spinal <br> injuries | Male | EAD card <br> \# <br> EXP |

-Veliz stated he was in an grey/brown SUV, sitting in the middle in the $2^{\text {nd }}$ row seat, he saw the lights of the BP Unit, driving thru a curve at a high rate of speed, the driver lost control, described the driver as a blonde about 35 years old with a mustache, upon rolling over lost consciousness and woke up in the hospital


Cazun stated he got into a grey car, was sitting in the $3^{\text {rd }}$ row right side behind passenger, saw lights but did not hear sirens, described driver as a guy with a beard, stated they were going at a high rate of speed and believes driver lost control because he was looking at his phone, two BP Units were following, and the pursuit was approx 10 minutes before they rolled over


Rodriguez stated that the driver accelerated and he observed 2 white BP units, the driver was distracted looking at his phone and stated the pursuit took about 101-5 minutes, he was sitting an the third row seat in the center, driver stopped momentarily and told the noncitizens to get out but when they tried to open the door it was locked, described the driver as white, having a beard with short hair, after vehicle rolled over several times, BPAs pulled him out of the vehicle and rendered aid


Silvestre stated that he got into a grey car with 10 people, described the driver as short with a beard, saw one BP unit following them with headlights, he was sitting in the third row, BP unit followed for about 10-15 minutes, driver was going at a high rate of speed, driver pulled over momentarily then sped off, driver lost control and vehicle rolled, BP rendered aid


Cruz stated there were 9 or 10 people in the vehicle, vehicle was traveling at a high rate of speed, heard sirens and saw lights from BP units, he was seated in the $2^{\text {nd }}$ row in the middle, vehicle rolled over because the driver could not control, the vehicle was swerving

| 7. Lesvin Josue | Honduras | Spinal <br> fracture, <br> dislocated <br> hip, eye | Male | Honduras <br> nations ID \# |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


|  |  |  | fracture, 2 <br> brain bleeds |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Unconscious, no interview, transported form Mountain View to UMC     <br> 8. John DOE NA NA NA NA | NA |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |






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## $C$ <br> GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE

Information contained within pertains to the involved government employee(s).

vepartment of Homeland Security
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Driver's License State Number:


Duty Station: LAS
Injuries: None
Comments:

08/31/2021 11:37 EDT

## U.S. Customs and Border Protection U.S. Department of Homeland Security NNSV Query Result



U.S. Customs and Border Protection U.S. Department of Homeland Security NNSV Query Result

| Request Message Detall |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Date and Time |  |
|  | Seq |  |




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## D <br> GOVERNMENT VEHICLE

Information contained within pertains to the involved government vehicle(s).

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## GOVERNMENT VEHICLE

## GOV-1

Fleet \#: L14257
Description: 2021 Ford Explorer Police Interceptor SUV
License Plate: DHS287822
Vehicle Identification Number:
Operator:
Operator Injuries: None
Passenger(s): None
Damage: None
Damage Repair Estimates: N/A
Comments:

> GOV-2

Fleet \#: M87898
Description: 2018 Chevrolet Tahoe
License Plate: DHS278017
Vehicle Identification Number:
Operator:
Operator Injuries: None
Passenger(s): None
Damage: N/A
Damage Repair Estimates: N/A
Comments:


Information contained within pertains to the involved civilian(s).

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CIVILIAN


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CIVILIAN

Name: Pablo Diego
FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
COB: Guatemala
Injuries: None
Comments: Seated in third row left
Name: Dixon Stanley
FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
COB: Honduras
Injuries: Factured skull, spinal injuries
Comments: Seated in second row seat middle
Name: Lesvin Josue
FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
Injuries: Spinal fracture, dislocated hip, fracture, (2) brain bleeds
Comments: Unknown seating position

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Name: Christopher AdonayFIBS:



$\square$ FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB
COB: El Salvador
Injuries: Sprained left ankle
Comments: Seated in second row middle
Name: Brandon
FIBS:
Driver's License

> A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
COB: Honduras
Injuries: Skull fracture, Spinal injury
Comments: Unknown seating position
Name: Unidentified Subject
FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
COB:
Injuries:

## Comments:



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Name: Unidentified Subject
FIBS:
Driver's License
A\#:
FBI\#:
DOB:
COB:
Injuuries:

## Comments:

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## NLETS Subject Details

$\square$
Subject Details

| Name | DOB | Gender | NIC | ORI | State | Eye Color | Hair Color | Race | Weight | Height |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | - | - | - | - | TX | - | - | - | - | -- |


| SSN | Alien Registration \# | Passport | Passport Country | Driver's License |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| - | - | - | - |  |
| NLETS - Hit Data |  |  |  |  |



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## F <br> CIVILIAN VEHICLE

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## OTHER AGENCY REPORTS

Reports submitted by civilian \& non-DHS governmental entities pertaining to the case listed above
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## OTHER AGENCY REPORTS

The following reports and forms are attached in the sequence shown:



Photographs of the scene and all involved items.

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| View: | Overall |
| :--- | :--- |
| Description: | Scene Location |

Photographer(s): Google Maps


View:
Midrange
Description:
Scene Location

Photographer(s): Google Maps

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## View:

 Close-UpDescription: Scene Location
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View: Close-Up
Description: Recommended Speed for Curve

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| View: | Midrange |
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| Description: | VEH Skids |

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Description: VEH

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| View: | Close-Up |
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| Description: | VEH |

Photographer(s):


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View: Overall
Description: Passenger's Clothing

Photographer(s):

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View: Midrange
Description: Passenger's Clothing
Photographer(s):

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View:
Close-Up
Description: Red substance believed to be blood
Photographer(s):

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| Description: | VEH Damage |

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Photographer(s): $\square$

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| Description: | VEH VIN |

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View: Midrange

Description:
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Photographer(s): $\square$


View: Overall
Description:


Photographer(s): $\square$

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| View: | Midrange |
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| Description: | BPA Silva |
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| Photographer(s): |  |



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| Description: | BPA Silva |

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View: Overall
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Description: VEH Passenger

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| Description: | VEH Passenger |

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View: Close-Up
Description: VEH Driver

Photographer(s): $\square$

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View:

Overall
Description: VEH Passenger

Photographer(s):

## SCENE PHOTOGRAPHS



| View: | Close-Up |
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| Description: | VEH Passenger |

Photographer(s):

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| Description: | GOV-1 |

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View: Midrange
Description: GOV-2

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View: Midrange
Description: GOV-2

Photographer(s):



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SCENE DIAGRAM

Diagram(s) as prepared by EPT CIT pertaining to the case listed above.



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## SECTION

## COMMUNICATION TRANSCRIPTS

All radio transmissions as transcribed for EPT CIT including all facts pertaining to the case listed above.

| Speaker | Radio Communications |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | 703 get ready, I think this vehicle's gonna be loaded that's coming up |
|  | 703 copy? |
|  | 703 , we're getting ready to come around this final turn, I think it's gonna be loaded, be ready |
|  | Hey 703, they're all over the road so uh be careful |
|  | Going around the point |
|  | Going around the point 703 |
|  | Hey, uh $\qquad$ we're gonna have an FTY at uh on Highway 185, currently doing 73 MPH , no traffic |
|  | Unit calling FTY, 10-9 |
|  | $\square$ it's gonna be uh, sh, grey in color uh SUV just passing mile marker 27, they're all over the road, no traffic |
|  | 10-4, which direction they're headed |
|  | Uh north |
|  | 10-4 |
|  | would you happen to have any air support available? |
|  | Stand by, let me find out |
|  | Hey is that gonna be a sedan behind me? |
|  | no air support |
|  | Hey if that's a sedan behind me $\square$ go ahead and take over |
|  | 10-4 |
|  | Passing you on the left |
|  | Unit in pursuit, what's the uh traffic like? |
|  | Flipped, they flipped, they flipped |
|  | $\square$ would you be able to get some uh EMT or an ambulance enroute to that location please? |
|  | 10-4 |
|  | $\square$ uh, what was the mile marker that they uh, that you need the ambulance at? Last I had was mile marker 27 |
|  | It's gonna be 29 |
|  | Hey Agents working the 702 traffic you guys are heading uh too, too far east, come back toward the checkpoint, you went uh that far out there |
| Unknown | 10-4 |
| Unknown | X-ray units do, are we on a 32 yet or still on 26 ? |
|  | Nah, we're, we're 32 |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | 10-4, we've got uh multiple subjects that are down, uh approximately seven, seven individuals, possibly eight, uh, most are non-responsive. Give me as many ambulances uh that you can send |
|  | 10-4 |
|  | 702, copy ? |
|  | Go ahead |
|  | Go ahead and green light and if you're not chasing bodies on the ground head over to seven oh, to 185 |


|  | 10-4 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | 10-4 |
| Unknown | 10-9, 702 ? |
|  | $\square$ , uh, gonna have multiple individuals that are uh, uh in need uh, most likely air support to get em, get em out of here, uhm possible one deceased |
|  | 10-4, EMS has been notified |
|  | 10-4, thank you |
|  |  |
|  | uh, is aiready en-route and I'm heading up north |
|  | Ok, 10-4, just checking if you guys weren't already, please head out that way |
|  | is en-route from Radium |
|  | en-route from 702 |
|  | Hey or uh are you guys en-route, uh EMT wise? |
|  | I'll go ahead and be en-route |
|  | 10-4 |
|  | $\square$ is there any way that we can have the uh locals, see if they can uh shut off uh help us with con, traffic control there? |
|  | 10-4, working on it now |
|  | yards uh uh keep moving south, you're uh you're about 100 |
| Unknown | Uh oh two take that traffic to another freq |
|  | X-ray units on scene, native air has been notified, 25 minute ETA, also uh request for, for traffic control has been uh put out also |
| Unknown | Hey 702, switching over to uh LAS/DPS, units out here working the 702 traffic |
|  | 10-4 |
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|  | 10-4, did they uh put out a license plate on the, the vehicle they were chasing |
|  | I only copied that it was a grey SUV |
|  | 10-4, it's gonna be $\longrightarrow$ Texas |
|  | 10-4 |
|  |  |
|  | Go ahead Sir |
|  | Yeah, I've got Hatch PD on scene, uhm looks like uh New Mexico State Police also uh is here, uhm they have requested Hatch uh ambulance, uh native air, and uh Garfield uh Fire Rescue to come out |
|  | 10-4, uhm, we have the driver? |
|  | He's one of the people that are, are down Sir, I'm not, I'm sure uh right now he is, we believe he came to be on the other side of the vehicle and uh ejected |


|  | 10-4 |
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|  | 10-4, 503 |
|  | lany outstanding individuals? |
|  | 10-9 for 268 |
|  | Uh, any outstanding that uh bailed out, etc. |
|  | Negative Sir, they were all in the vehicle when the vehicle rolled I believe |
|  | 10-4 good copy |
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|  |  |
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|  |  |
|  | Yes sir can you 10-79 (Inaudible) |
|  | 10-4 |
| 896 |  |
| Unknown | go ahead |
|  | Hey, yeah on your handheld on that LAS |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | go ahead |
|  | Uh, yes sir $\square$ be advised as per $\square$ uh I'll be diverting traffic uh from 185 north to uh at uh Radium Springs |
|  | 10-4 |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | he copies you |
|  | Hey I'm not copying him uh, can you send him over to uh assist there at Radium please |
|  | Uhm, copy direct |
|  | Uhm assist with traffic control at uh Radium Springs and 185, 242 should be already there |
|  | 242 is en-route from the uh accident scene |
|  |  |
|  | 10-4, thank you |
|  | $\square$ hey did you send somebody up uh north there at Rincon and do the same thing as in Radium |
|  | Go ahead, uh just right there at the intersection of uh Radium Springs and uh 185, send it all towards 20, uh Interstate 25 |
|  | 10-4, I'm about three mikes out |
|  |  |
| Unknown | 10-79 your last |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | Yes ma'am, I uh read you a Texas uh license plate off the vehicle that was in the rollover, uh did we have a return on that |


|  | 10-4 stand by |
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|  |  |
|  | Go ahead sir |
|  | 10-4 on that tag, Texas $\qquad$ the 29,36 , and 72 was negative. That 28 came back to a 98 Ford, blue in color. Last four of the VIN returned registered $\square$ |
|  | 10-4 sir, I'm gonna need that uploaded into AARTS please and uh you can go ahead and put it down as a one on nine |
|  | 10-4, it's already been uploaded into AARTS sir |
|  | Appreciate it, thank you |
|  | 10-4 |
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|  |  |
|  | Uh yes ma'am uhm gonna be clear of the uh scene uhm I believe they're still waiting for uh the investigators came from El Paso to show up |
|  |  |
| Unknown | Hey units at uh at the Highway 185 uh incident team just passed the university |
| Unknown | Last unit 10-9 |
| Unknown | (Inaudible) |
|  |  |
|  | Hey last unit |
|  | Yeah uh native air says it's gonna be ETA of 35-40 minutes to UMC uh both uh choppers are taking off right now |
|  | Good copy, thank you |
|  | did you copy that last? |
|  |  |
|  | Did you copy the last of native air both copters are taking off now uhm going to UMC in $35-40$ minutes |
|  | Good copy sir, 0631 |
|  | Hey can you give me a 21 |
| Unknown | Yeah, I don't have my uh phone with me, I'm headed back to the checkpoint right now to, to get it and I'll uh be 13 to the station for you |
| Unknown | 10-4 |
| Unknown | Uh if you can call $\square$ at your earliest convenience too |
| Unknown | Can you 10-9 that |
| Unknown | If you can call at your earliest convenience |
| Unknown | Good copy |
|  | END OF TRANSCRIPT |



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All media documentation pertaining to the case listed above.

## El Paso Times

## NEWS

# ACLU calls for independent investigation into fatal crash involving Border Patrol 

Justin Garcia El Paso Times

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LAS CRUCES - In a letter addressed to multiple federal agencies and actors, the American Civil Liberties Unions of Texas and New Mexico requested Customs and Border Patrol ensure an independent investigation take place after CBP failed to report that a person died during a chase.

The letter also called on CBP to release documents pertaining to high-speed pursuit practices requested by El Paso Matters, in relation to another deadly crash.

The letter stems from a press release issued over two weeks after Border Patrol agents chased a vehicle until it crashed, killing two people including an American citizen and Ecuadorian citizen.

The original press release did not discuss the dead American who was driving the vehicle despite the fact that the driver died two days before the release was issued, according to the ACLU.

In the press release, CBP alleged that a vehicle full of migrants ran a Border Patrol checkpoint on New Mexico State Road 185 near Radium Springs by using the southbound lanes. After chasing the vehicle for three miles, CBP said it crashed, ejecting several occupants.

The ACLU pointed out that the press release states "the driver lost control and crashed," but does not say the location of the crash or conduct of the agents pursuing the vehicle.

Border patrol said in the press release that agents then called for medical services. The press release said that four people were airlifted to the University Medical Center in El Paso, Texas. The press release said three people were taken to Mountian View Hospital and three people other occupants were taken to Memorial Hospital in Las Cruces.

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On Aug. 11, eight days after the crash, the Ecuadorian man was declared dead after he showed no brain activity, the release said. The driver of the vehicle, an American citizen, died on Aug 15.

The press release was issued on Aug. 17 without mention of the American driver who died two days prior.

The press release said that the incident would be investigated by Homeland Security Investigations and the New Mexico State Police. CBP said that the Department of Homeland Security inspector general was also notified.

The press release added the CPB Office of Professional Responsibility and the El Paso County Office of the Medical Examiner was reviewing the incident.
"We strongly urge the investigating agencies to publicize their findings, recommendations and any other outcomes," the ACLU wrote in their letter.

The crash on Aug. 3 is not an isolated incident, even as other law enforcement agencies have moved away from high-speed pursuits since the 1990s.

In the letter, the ACLU cited a ProPublica study that found 1 in 3 border patrol chases end in crashes.

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