

Traffic Collision w/ Major Injuries To Bystander

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Incident Number: 14-0053031

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Incident Type: Traffic Collision w/ Major Injuries To Bystander

Date/Time of Incident: August 17th, 2014, 1:14 AM

Incident Location: SB 101 Freeway at Telephone Rd Exit

Cause: Unknown

Injuries: 25 y/o Male Bystander

Fire Equipment: 1 ALS Engine Company, 1 ALS Truck Company, 1 Command

Total Fire Personnel: 8

Agencies Involved: Ventura City Fire Department, Ventura Police Department, California Highway Patrol, American Medical Response

Ventura City Fire Department personnel responded to a reported traffic collision on the Southbound 101 Freeway. First arriving units found an approximately 25 y/o male victim lying in the middle of traffic lanes with serious injuries. The male victim was reportedly a bystander who exited the vehicle he was travelling in after pulling to the roadside, in order to assist with a traffic collision that he had witnessed. He was reportedly struck by one passing vehicle, and then immediately run over by a second. The victim, in serious condition, was stabilized on scene and then transported to a local trauma center via ambulance. No other injuries were reported at the time of this release.

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