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71st Traffic Fatality

11/20/ 2023

Occurrence Date: 11-19-23

Time: 0423 hours

Day: Sunday

Location: 1600 Saint Paul

Vehicle 1: 2013 Suzuki, GSX

Driver 1: 27-year-old male, Ft Bliss, Texas (DECEASED)

El Paso, Texas—The El Paso Police Department's Special Traffic Investigators Unit is investigating a fatal motorcycle collision that occurred on Sunday, November 19th, at approximately 0423 hours at 1600 Saint Paul.

The preliminary investigation revealed that the motorcycle was traveling southbound on Saint Paul at a high speed and failed to stop at the T intersection at Saint Paul and Saint Dominic. The motorcycle driver struck a curb and then a rock wall and became dislodged from his motorcycle. The 27year-old Male died on the scene. Speed and alcohol are believed to be factors in this fatal crash. The identity of the deceased is being withheld pending next of kin notification.

This is the 71st fatality this year compared to 65 at this time last year. The El Paso Police Department urges all drivers to drive responsibly and always wear helmets when operating a motorcycle.

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