

## **PMV-4 CRASH CLAIMS ONE SOLDIER'S LIFE**

A 3<sup>rd</sup> Brigade Combat Team, 3<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Division, Fort Benning, Georgia, Soldier died from injuries sustained in a PMV-4 crash that occurred on 7 July 2015 at approximately 1830 local, near Atlanta. The 19-year-old PV2 and another Soldier were passengers in a 2003 Honda Pilot being driven by one of the Soldiers' mother, along with two other siblings, when the driver lost control while changing lanes. The vehicle struck a guardrail and left the roadway. The PV2, who was riding in the rear seat at the time of the accident, was partially ejected, suffered severe head trauma, and succumbed to his injuries on 12 July 2015. Police indicate he was not wearing a seat belt. The other occupants suffered only minor injuries.

This is the [28<sup>th</sup>](#) Class A PMV-4 (four-wheeled motor vehicles) fatality in FY15 compared to **26** for the same time frame in FY14. This PLR does not identify specific root causes of this incident as the investigation is ongoing. Further details will be available at a later date on RMIS (RMIS Login Required).

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