



PLR ARMY PRELIMINARY LOSS REPORT

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Electrocution Claims One Soldier's Life

A Louisiana Army National Guard Soldier was killed in an electrocution mishap that occurred on 10 October 2015 at approximately 2315 local, in Quitman, LA. The SSG was rewiring an electrical outlet in order to install a new stove at his residence when he was electrocuted. The Soldier was pronounced dead at a local medical center.

This is the **1st** Class A **Electrocution Mishap** resulting in a fatality in FY16 compared to **0** for the same time frame in FY15. 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 through RMIS (RMIS Login Required).

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