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## PMV-4 Crash Claims One Soldier's Life

A Texas Army National Guard Soldier died from injuries sustained in a PMV-4 crash that occurred on 5 December 2015, at approximately 1830 local, in Belton, TX. The 32-year-old SSG was operating his POV with another Soldier riding as his passenger when it was struck by a deer that had become airborne after being struck by a vehicle in the opposing lane. The Soldier-driver was killed on impact with the deer. [News Article](#)

This is the 6<sup>th</sup> Class A, PMV-4 (four-wheeled motor vehicles) fatality in FY16, compared to 9 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).

Preliminary Loss Reports (PLRs) are intended to alert leaders to mishaps resulting in the loss of Soldiers/Civilians and to provide awareness in the interest of prevention and combat readiness.

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