



# PLR ARMY PRELIMINARY LOSS REPORT

**16-035**

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

A Soldier assigned to the 32<sup>nd</sup> Army Air and Missile Defense Command, Ft Bliss, TX, was fatally injured in a vehicle accident in Albuquerque, NM, on 5 February 2016, at approximately 0200 local. The 27-year old SSG was driving at a high rate of speed when his Dodge sedan struck the curb at a T-intersection and crashed. He and two of his civilian passengers were pronounced dead at the scene. The third civilian passenger was seriously injured. Another Soldier who was riding as a passenger survived the crash.

This is the [11<sup>th</sup>](#) Class A, PMV-4 (four-wheeled motor vehicles) fatality in FY16, compared to [15](#) 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).

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.

Our Army depends on you to use these PLRs to help Soldiers understand the impact of decisions made on and off duty.

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