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PMV-2 Mishap Claims One Soldier's Life

A 25-year-old Specialist assigned to 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky, died 23 February 2018 in a PMV-2 mishap in Clarksville, Tennessee, at 1320 local. The Soldier was operating a sport bike, with the right of way, when he collided with a truck that turned into his path. He was licensed, Motorcycle Safety Foundation trained and wearing personal protective equipment.

ENGAGEMENT TIPS:

As a rider, you can't be sure that other vehicle operators will see you or yield the right of way. To lessen your chances of a crash occurring, be visible - ride in the best lane position to see and be seen. Also remember to:

- Search your path of travel 12 seconds ahead.
- Identify and separate hazards.
- Be prepared to act — remain alert and know how to carry out proper crash-avoidance skills.

PLRs provide leaders with awareness of Army loss and highlight potential trends that affect 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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