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PMV-4 Mishap Claims One Soldier's Life

A 20-year-old Private Second Class assigned to Fort Drum, New York, died in a PMV-4 mishap 20 December 2019 in Jackson, Tennessee, at 1030 local. The Soldier was driving his vehicle through a construction zone on the interstate when he struck the rear of a slow-moving 18-wheeler. The Soldier was transported to a local hospital, where he was pronounced dead. The Soldier's spouse, who was a passenger in the vehicle, died at the scene. The mishap is under investigation. This is the sixth PMV-4 fatality in FY20.

PLRs are intended to be used as an engagement tool for leaders to discuss the hazards and trends impacting Soldier safety and readiness. The PLR contains only basic information but provides sufficient background to allow leaders an opportunity to communicate risk at the Soldier level. More detailed information on this and other Army mishaps can be found on the U.S. Army Combat Readiness Center website at <https://safety.army.mil/lessonslearned>.

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