



21-018



PMV-4 Mishap Claims One Soldier's Life

A Private First Class assigned to Fort Riley, Kansas died in a PMV-4 mishap 21 November 2020 in Perry, Oklahoma, at 0900 local. The Soldier was operating his vehicle when he departed the roadway and rear-ended a 2016 Freightliner legally parked on the shoulder. The Soldier was taken to the local hospital and pronounced dead upon arrival by the attending physician. It is currently unknown if speed, seat belt use, or alcohol were factors that contributed to the mishap.

Since 2016, the Army has lost an average of 33 Soldiers a year to off-duty PMV-4 mishaps. This mishap is the eighth PMV-4 fatality of FY21.

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>.

To access current U.S. Army accident statistics and reports, visit <https://safety.army.mil/STATISTICS>.

PRINT IT

Additional U.S. Army Combat Readiness Center PLR resources can be found on the USACRC website at <https://safety.army.mil/PLR>.

