



SURVIVAL FACTORS ATTACHMENT

NYPD Preliminary Report CIS

Flushing, NY

HWY17MH015

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Police Department
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From: **Commanding Officer, Highway District Collision Investigation Squad**

To: **Chief of Transportation**

SUBJECT: **PRELIMINARY REPORT C.I.S. CASE # 717-44**

Date: 09/18/2017 Day: Monday Time: 0617 hours Precinct: 109

Pick-up? No if yes, date: _____ CIS requested? n/a

Specific Location: E/B Northern Blvd @ Main Street Type: At Intersection

Roadway Description: (topography) E/B Northern Blvd is a four lane roadway that is divided by broken white lines. The right lane is a right turning lane that is clearly marked with white right turn arrows. Main St is a four lane roadway that is divided down the middle with double solid yellow lines. lanes travel in north and south directions.

Weather: Cloudy Roadway: Dry Lighting: Night-Overhead Lighting

Leaving the Scene? No Alcohol / Drugs Involved? No Police Action taken: None

Charges: N/A Arrest #: N/A

If bicyclist, was helmet being utilized? n/a Purpose of bicycle: n/a Citibike? n/a

If Motorcyclist, Helmet was: n/a Motorcycle License? n/a

If Occupant, restraint: n/a Airbag Deployed? No Occupant Ejected? n/a

TLC vehicle: No Commercial Vehicle: Yes 10,001+ lbs.: Yes

CTG assigned: PO Genin Complaint # 8187 Accident # 5314

ADA Notification: Curtis On Scene? Yes Time Notified: 0950 Time 1st call: 0930

Classification: **(3 DEAD) 1 OPER & 2 PEDS**

Details of Collision:

Preliminary investigation revealed the following;

Vehicle # 1 was traveling E/B on Northern Blvd in the right lane at an apparent high rate of speed. Vehicle # 1 then, for reasons unknown, went through the solid red light and continued through the intersection at Main St. Vehicle # 1 then struck the rear of vehicle # 2 which was making a right hand turn from the N/B Main St. to go E/B onto Northern Blvd. Vehicle # 2 had a Green right turn arrow signal in his favor. Vehicle # 2 then began to rotate counter clockwise. At this time vehicle # 1 began to veer to the right and Vehicle # 2 began to roll backwards in the same direction and now attached to the driver side of vehicle # 1. Both vehicles then mounted the S/E corner of Northern Blvd. and struck the Light pole. Vehicle # 1 then collided with front of the building of 136-04 Northern Blvd, causing substantial structural damage to the building. At this time there were multiple pedestrians standing on the aforementioned corner. Five Pedestrians were then struck at this time, pinning one of them between vehicle # 1 and the building. As both vehicles continued moving, vehicle # 2 then struck the rear of vehicle # 3 with it's rear. As a result of being struck, vehicle # 3 was then pushed forward and struck the rear of vehicle # 4 with its front end. One pedestrian was pronounced dead at the scene of the collision and all others involved were transported to multiple area hospitals. Families for the three (3) persons pronounced dead were notified of the deaths.

Det. Leonard Highway District, C.I.S
For Brian Reynolds
Lieutenant

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Participants:

Vehicle # 1

2015 Motor Coach Industries white Bus Bearing NYS registration # [REDACTED]
Dahlia Group Inc. of 127-27 34 Ave Corona, NY 11368
Registration and Insurance both valid.

Vehicle # 2

2015 New Flyer, White/Blue Bus bearing NYS registration # [REDACTED]
Metro Transit Auth/NYC Transit Auth of 750 Zerega Ave. Bronx, NY 10473
Registration and Insurance both valid.

Vehicle # 3

2009 Honda Odyssey Gray SUBN bearing NYS registration # [REDACTED]
Choe, Seon, Ja of [REDACTED], NY 11373
Registration and Insurance both valid.

Vehicle # 4

2002 Toyota Sequoia Gray SUBN bearing NYS registration # [REDACTED]
Lim, Young, Hwa of [REDACTED], NY 11354
Registration and Insurance both valid.

Operator # 1

Mong, Raymond, D M/A/49 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] College Point, NY 11356
Elmhurst General Hospital, Body Trauma. Pronounced dead at 0756 hrs by Dr. Wong.
Valid NYS CDL Class *B* License, No prior history.
No sobriety tests due to death

Operator # 2

Bryan, Devon, A. M/B/45 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Baldwin, NY 11510
Elmhurst General Hospital, Right Shoulder Injury.
Valid NYS CDL Class *B* License, No prior history.
SFST, Drager and Quantisal revealed negative results, PBT- .000% BAC @ 0850 hours.

Operator # 4

Kang, Sang Gi M/A/56 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY 11354
Flushing Hospital, right shoulder and right ankle injuries
Valid NYS Class *D* License, No prior history.
No Sobriety tests, vehicle was parked and not running.

Front Passenger Veh # 4

Choi, Iksil M/A/61 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY 11354
Flushing Hospital, Left leg injuries.

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Participants:

Pedestrian

Liljefors, Gregory M/U/55 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Head trauma and cardiac arrest.
Pronounced Dead at 0715 hours by Dr. Shin

Pedestrian

Wdowiak, Henryk M/W/68 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY 11354
Pronounced Dead at scene by EMT Bedoya, Sh # 4069 at 0735 hours. Body Trauma.

Pedestrian

Perry, Diane F/B/62 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Jamaica, NY 11433
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Head trauma
Critical/Likely to die as per Dr. Maizlin

Pedestrian

Ferrera-Rodriguez, Jose M/H/25 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] East Elmhurst, NY
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Broken neck and broken back
Critical condition

Pedestrian

Veillard, Evens M/U/25 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Wheatley Heights, NY 11798
Flushing Hospital, Right hand and right leg injuries
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Potlapalli, Srikanth M/U/43 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY 11355
Flushing Hospital, Right hand and Knee injuries
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Iguina, George M/H/50 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Glendale, NY 11385
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Head injuries.
Critical/Likely to die as per Dr. Maizlin

Bus Passenger

Kim, Yung Jun M/A/56 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Flushing, NY
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Chest injuries.

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Participants:

Bus Passenger

Alvarado, Pablo M/H/45 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Jamaica, NY 11419
Flushing Hospital, Head, right leg, and right shoulder injuries
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Castro, Manolo M/H/39 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Jamaica, NY 11432
Flushing Hospital, Head Pain.
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Ortega, Marcelo M/H/49 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Brooklyn, NY 11207
Flushing Hospital, Face and left leg injuries.
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Chui, Yuen Shan F/A/ DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Oakland Gardens, NY 11364.
Flushing Hospital, Left leg injuries
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

John Doe M/H/40-45 Unknown DOB
Unknown Address
NY Presbyterian Hospital, Head trauma
Critical/Likely to die as per Dr. Maizlin

Bus Passenger

Witter, Howard M/U/39 DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Bronx, NY
Elmhurst General Hospital, Head injuries
Stable condition

Bus Passenger

Qu, Bing Song M/A/64 DOB [REDACTED]
Unknown Address
Flushing Hospital, Face and left arm injuries.
Stable condition

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