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ACCIDENT # 0054

INDIVIDUAL#: 001 NAME:

MODE: RAIL

DATE OF ACCIDENT

04/03/2016

DATE RECEIVED 04/06/2016

PUTREFACTION: No

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NTSB# DCA16FR007

CAMI REF #

201600054001

SPECIMENS

LOCATION OF ACCIDENT Delco, PA

Kidney, Lung, Muscle, Spinal Cord, Urine, Vitreous

FINAL FORENSIC TOXICOLOGY FATAL ACCIDENT REPORT

CARBON MONOXIDE: The carboxyhemoglobin (COHb) saturation is determined by spectrophotometry with a 10% cut off and confirmed by chromatography.

>> NOT PERFORMED

CYANIDE: The presence of cyanide is screened by Conway Diffusion, when the COHb level is equal to or greater than 10% or upon special request. Cyanides are quantitated by spectrophotometry and confirmed by chromatography. The reporting cutoff for cyanide is 0.25 ug/mL. Normal blood cyanide concentrations are less than 0.15 ug/mL, while lethal concentrations are greater than 3 ug/mL.

>> NOT PERFORMED

VOLATILES: The volatile concentrations are determined by headspace gas chromatography at a cut off of 10 mg/dL. Where possible, positive ethanol values are confirmed by Radiative Energy Attenuation.

>> NO ETHANOL detected in Vitreous

DRUGS: Specimens are analyzed using immunoassay, chromatography, GC/MS, HPLC/MS, or GC/FTIR. Concentrations (ug/mL) at or above those in () can be determined for, but not limited to, the following drugs: amphetamines (0.010), opiates (0.010), marihuana (0.001), cocaine (0.020), phencyclidine (0.002), benzodiazepines (0.030), barbiturates (0.060), antidepressants (0.100), and antihistamines (0.020). Drugs and/or their metabolites, that are not impairing or abused, may be reported from the initial tests. See the CAMI Drug Information Web Site for additional information (http://jag.cami.jccbi.gov/toxicology/).

- >> Amlodipine detected in Urine
- >> Amlodipine detected in Muscle
- >> 0.355 (ug/ml, ug/g) Benzoylecgonine detected in Muscle
- >> 21.552 (ug/ml, ug/g) Benzovlecgonine detected in Urine
- >> Chlorthalidone detected in Muscle
- >> Chlorthalidone detected in Urine
- >> 0.624 (ug/mL, ug/g) Cocaethylene detected in Urine
- >> Cocaethylene detected in Muscle
- >> 1.459 (ug/ml, ug/g) Cocaine detected in Urine
- >> Cocaine detected in Muscle
- >> Ecgonine Methyl Ester detected in Muscle
- >> Ecgonine Methyl Ester detected in Urine



CONTINUATION OF REF#: 201600054001

- >> Gabapentin detected in Muscle
- >> Gabapentin detected in Urine
- >> Levamisole detected in Urine



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