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PRESS RELEASE

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Traffic Fatality

(Johns Island, SC) On Saturday, August 29, 2015, shortly after 12:00 a.m., Charleston County Sheriff's Office deputies were dispatched to Main Road to investigate a single car accident. According to initial reports, a red in color 2005 Nissan was traveling southbound on Main Road near Mary Ann Point when it approached the curve portion of Main Road. While attempting to negotiate the curve, the driver lost control of the vehicle and as a result the vehicle collided with a tree in the wood line and caught fire.

The driver was the only occupant in the vehicle at the time of the accident. He was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident by emergency medical personnel. Due to the damage of the Nissan, it is currently undetermined if the driver was wearing a seatbelt at the time of the accident.

The cause of the accident is under investigation by the Charleston County Sheriff's Office Traffic Division and the Charleston County Coroner's Office. The Coroner's Office will determine the cause of death and the identification of the victim.

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