SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY MAY 5TH, 2024

UHP Richfield dispatch received a call from a START driver reporting an individual standing on the 5:54 back of a semi-trailer near mile marker 207 on I-15 Northbound. AM**UHP Trooper gets his first observation of the** vehicle NB at 242 with no vehicles around it. **Trooper and Santaquin Officer located the** semi and initiated the traffic stop at Exit 244. Officers make contact with the driver. The suspect made a U-turn, deliberately targeted the officers, and intentionally hit both vehicles. He struck the Santaquin officer, causing fatal injuries. The suspect fled on foot to a nearby convenience store, where he stole another semi-truck. The suspect left the stolen semi in Mona, Utah. Multiple units responded, including SWAT units, in an attempt to locate the It was reported that the suspect stole a Ford pickup out of Mona with an unknown time lapse. Attempt to locate (ATL) is broadcast statewide. The Ford pick-up is located in Mt. Pleasant, and the suspect stole another vehicle at this location. Attempt to locate (ATL) updated around the state. The stolen vehicle is located in Vernal, and he flees from Troopers at extremely high speeds and crashes his vehicle. **END** The suspect was taken into custody and 11:19 transported to the hospital.

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