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PRESS RELEASE

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Type of Incident: Single Vehicle Traffic Collision

Location: Newland Street south of Warner Avenue

Date/Time of Occurrence: March 4, 2011 at 8:35 PM

Case Number: 11-003530

Details:

On March 4, 2011, at approximately 8:35 PM, the Huntington Beach Police Department received a report of a traffic collision. Arriving officers discovered a black Cadillac Escalade, which had collided with a telephone pole on Newland Street south of Warner Avenue. There were no other vehicles involved in the collision.

It appears the 57 year old, male driver of the Escalade had a prior medical condition, which caused him to lose control of the vehicle. The driver was treated at the scene by Huntington Beach Fire Department paramedics and transported to a local hospital, where he was admitted to the Intensive Care Unit. There was also a 55 year old, female passenger, who was not injured in the collision.

The investigation is ongoing and any witnesses to the traffic collision are requested to call the Huntington Beach Police Department Traffic Bureau at 714-536-5666.