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## ***PRESS RELEASE***

**Release Date:** 7/31/2012

**Time:** 2:15 p.m.

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**Type of Incident:** Fatal Traffic Collision

**Location:** Saint Andrews north of Kenilworth in Huntington Beach

**Date/Time of Occurrence:** 7/31/2012 @ 8:26 a.m.

**Case Number:** 12-012464

### **Details:**

On 7/31/2012 at 8:26 a.m., the Huntington Beach police and fire departments responded to a call of a man trapped under a vehicle on Saint Andrews north of Kenilworth.

The initial investigation revealed that Sergio Pichardo, age 40 of Garden Grove, was making repairs under the hood of his 1987 Toyota pickup when the vehicle rolled forward, knocked him to the ground, and rolled on top of him. His 9-year-old daughter was in the vehicle at the time.

Pichardo was transported to UCI hospital where he succumbed to his injuries and died.

This accident is under investigation and any witnesses are asked to call Officer Barr at 714-536-5666.