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PRESS RELEASE

Release Date: 6/27/2012

Time: 1420 Hrs

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Type of Incident: Injury Traffic Collision / DUI Arrest

Location: Warner Avenue / Algonquin

Date/Time of Occurrence: 6-25-2012 1623 Hrs

Case Number: 12-10044

Details:

On 6-25-2012 at approximately 1623 hours, officers from the Huntington Beach Police Department were dispatched to an injury traffic collision in the area of Warner Avenue and Algonquin Street. Upon arrival, officers discovered a single vehicle, a green 1999 Toyota 4-Runner had been traveling east on Warner, losing control, and overturned several times.

The vehicle was severely damaged and Huntington Beach Fire Department personnel had to extricate one of the passengers, who had become trapped under a portion of the vehicle. All five occupants of the vehicle were injured and transported via ambulance to area hospitals.

The driver, Fidel Barrera, 22yrs from Midway City, displayed symptoms of alcohol consumption and influence, and he was arrested for DUI. Upon his release from the hospital, he was booked into the HBPD City Jail for felony driving under the influence and for driving on a suspended driver license.

This collision is still under investigation. Anyone who witnessed this collision is asked to contact Officer Fulton at 714-536-5670.