

MEDIA RELEASE



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Commercial Rollover Crash Causes Road Closure

Richland Township – On October 5, 2020, at approximately 7:28 P.M. troopers responded to the area of US 30 near the SR 696 interchange, just south of Beaverdam, of a report of a commercial semi rollover crash. Jourdain Pascal, age 31, of Boynton Beach, Florida was operating a 2016 Volvo semi-tractor and trailer westbound on US 30 and went off the right side of the roadway while negotiating a curve. The semi struck a traffic sign and then rolled over before striking a second traffic sign. The semi-trailer lost its cargo on the right side of the roadway, losing approximately 36,000 pounds of assorted iced tea beverages.

Mr. Pascal was reportedly wearing a seatbelt at the time of the crash and did not report injury. The roadway was closed for approximately three hours while the semi was turned back over and cleared from the roadway.

Assisting troopers on scene was the Allen County Sheriff's Office, Allen County EMA, Beaverdam-Richland Fire and EMS and Beaverdam Fleet Services.

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