



BRPD News Item

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Slug:	Traffic Fatality
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ROGER BENTLEY, 47 of 1292 Morrow Rd, Crowley, LA. died on scene from injuries sustained from a traffic crash which occurred in the 200 block of East I-10 on the Mississippi River Bridge on January 30, 2015 around 1:45pm.

The on-scene investigation revealed that Bentley, the driver of a 2003 Honda motorcycle, was proceeding in the middle lane when he lost control and struck the rear of a 2012 Volvo tractor trailer. After striking the rear of the Volvo, Bentley was thrown from the motorcycle into the inside travel lane where he was then struck by a 2007 Sterling tractor trailer which was hauling new vehicles.

Alcohol is a suspected factor for Bentley.

At this time there are no pending charges against the truck drivers.

This crash is still under investigation.