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### **ARMY MEMBER INJURED IN A MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

#### **NATURE OF THE INCIDENT OR ISSUE:**

An Army member has been involved in a motorcycle accident in Perth. The member has been taken to hospital. The civilian female passenger was pronounced dead at the scene.

#### **THE DATE AND TIME OF THE INCIDENT OR ISSUE:**

At approximately 0100h (Perth time) on Sunday 4 March 2012, an Army member riding a motorcycle with a passenger lost control on a Perth suburban street hitting a telegraph pole.

Emergency Services attended the accident scene.

The Army member was taken to a local hospital, is in a coma and is classified very seriously injured.

The female passenger was pronounced dead at the scene.

The family of the member has been notified.

#### **ACTIONS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY:**

Army is facilitating the movement of the member's parents to Perth this afternoon.

Member's unit is coordinating welfare support in Perth.

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