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Subject: ARMY MEMBER DIES AS A RESULT OF VEHICLE ACCIDENT
HOLSWORTHY RANGE
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Army Member dies as a result of Vehicle Accident Holsworthy Range

NATURE OF THE INCIDENT:

- An Army UNIMOG vehicle, carrying 18 soldiers was involved in a single-vehicle accident on the Holsworthy Range, NSW on 08 October 2012.
- On 11 October 2012 one of the 18 soldiers involved in the accident died in hospital of his injuries.

THE DATE AND TIME OF THE INCIDENT:

- The soldier died at 1045 hours on 11 October 2012. The soldier's family had been with him up until his death.

ACTIONS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY:

- Defence will continue to provide support to the soldier's family and to the other soldiers involved in the accident.
- Defence continues to assist the NSW Police and Comcare with their inquiries into the accident.
- Defence is scoping additional internal inquiries.

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