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\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\*
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### **VPD Report Number: Date/Time Occurred:**

17-11916 February 13, 2017 0611 hrs.

### **Type of Incident: Location:**

Fatal traffic collision Houston west of Lovers Ln.

#### **Involved Parties:**

Unidentified adult male - deceased Domingo Sustaita, 76 years old

#### **Details:**

On the listed date and time, the Visalia Police Department responded to Houston west of Lovers Lane for a traffic collision. The investigation showed a 2015 Peterbilt semitruck pulling two flatbed trailers was E/B on Houston approaching Lovers Lane when it collided with a bicycle being ridden by an unidentified adult male who was also E/B Houston. The bicyclist sustained fatal injuries and was pronounced deceased at the scene. I/P Sustaita was uninjured. The investigation into the cause of this collision is continuing and is being handled by the Visalia Police Traffic Unit with assistance from the CHP Commercial Enforcement Unit.

UPDATE: The deceased male bicyclist has been identified as Bonifacio Magana, 80 years old, of Ivanhoe.

## **Investigating Officers: Supervisor:**

VPD Traffic Unit Sgt. M. Feller



