



# NEWS RELEASE

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## ONE FATALITY IN SINGLE VEHICLE CRASH IN PATERSON

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PATERSON, NEW JERSEY:

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Passaic County Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes and Paterson Police Chief Troy Oswald announce that at approximately 3:30 a.m., on Thursday May 31, 2018, police responded to Route 20 Southbound near the intersections of Park and 17<sup>th</sup> Avenues in the City of Paterson in response to a single vehicle motor vehicle crash. The vehicle, a BMW, impacted the center divider on Route 20, and thereafter flipped over. The driver of the BMW was pronounced deceased at the scene. The male driver is unidentified, pending further investigation.

The investigation remains active and ongoing. More information will be released once it becomes available.

The Passaic County Prosecutor's Office asks anyone with additional information about this incident to contact us on our tips line at 1-877-370-PCPO or [tips@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:tips@passaiccountynj.org) or contact the Paterson Police Department Traffic Division at 973-321-1112.

For media inquiries concerning this case, contact Assistant Prosecutor Julie Serfess of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office at [jserfess@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:jserfess@passaiccountynj.org) or at (973) 837-7718.