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01	1. Case Number				2018-00039220										10. Crash Occurred On: RT 70				11. Speed Limit		4 0		118b																		
01	2. Police Dept. of				Code		01										Road Name				Dir		12. Route No. Suffix		13. Milepost		01														
02	3. Station/Precinct						200										At Intersection with				N E		S W		18. Speed Limit		25														
02	4. Date of Crash				5. Day of Week		6. Time (use 2400 hrs.)				7. Municipality Code		8. Total Killed		9. Total Injured		19. To: 17. Cross Road Name/Route No.				NB EB		SB WB		119b																
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01	23. Veh. #				24. Policy No.				25. NJ Ins. Code				53. Veh. #				54. Policy No.				55. NJ Ins. Code				120b																
04	01				SNJ 000-4912-101-8				038				02				02				02				121a																
02	26. Driver's First Name				Initial		Last Name		29. Sex				56. Driver's First Name				Initial		Last Name		59. Sex				01																
01	CHARLES				J		SORANNO		M				MATTHEW				K		ULATOWSKI		M				121b																
01	27. Number & Street				35 HEATHER RD										57. Number & Street				102 AUTUMN COVE CT																						
01	28. City				State				Zip				58. City				State				Zip																				
02	TOMS RIVER TOWNSHIP				NJ				08753				JACKSONVILLE				NC				28546																				
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02	32. Driver's License Number				33. DOB				34. Expires				62. Driver's License Number				63. DOB				64. Expires				06																
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	35. Owner's First Name				Initial		Last Name		65. Owner's First Name										Initial		Last Name		124																		
	Same as Driver				CHARLES J		SORANNO		Same as Driver										MATTHEW K		ULATOWSKI		04																		
	36. Number & Street				35 HEATHER RD										66. Number & Street				102 AUTUMN COVE CT										125												
	37. City				State				Zip				67. City				State				Zip				04																
02	TOMS RIVER TOWNSHIP				NJ				08753				JACKSONVILLE				NC				28546				126a																
05	38. Make				39. Model				40. Color				41. Year				42. Plate No.				43. State				126b																
	DODGE				Ram 1500 (				BK				2002				E39JTR				NJ																				
01	44. VIN				45. Expires										74. VIN				75. Expires										126c												
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01	46. Vehicle Removed to:				Sandys Service Center										76. Vehicle Removed to:				Private Tow										126d												
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	47. Authority				☒ Owner ☐ Driver ☐ Police										77. Authority				☒ Owner ☐ Driver ☐ Police										127a												
	48. Alcohol Drug Test				Given: ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Refused										78. Alcohol Drug Test				Given: ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Refused										79. Hazardous Material				☒ None ☐ On Board ☐ Spill				127b				
	Type: ☐ Breath ☐ Blood ☐ Urine				Results: 0. - % ☐ Pending										Type: ☐ Breath ☐ Blood ☐ Urine				Results: 0. - % ☐ Pending										Hazard Class				Placard No.				127c				
	50. Carrier No.				☐ USDOT ☒ None										51. GVWR / GCWR (trucks & buses only)				☐ USDOT ☒ None										81. GVWR / GCWR (trucks & buses only)				☐ ≤ 10,000 lbs. ☐ 10,001 - 26,000 lbs. ☐ ≥ 26,001 lbs.				127d				
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02	52. Motor Carrier or Government Entity														82. Motor Carrier or Government Entity														128												
	Number & Street														Number & Street														129												
	City				State				Zip				City				State				Zip				130																
	135. Damage to Other Property				☐ Yes (If Yes, describe) ☒ No																						131														
	Oper.				136. Charge				137. Summons No.				Oper.				138. Charge				139. Summons No.				133																
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	Oper.				140. Charge				141. Summons No.				Oper.				142. Charge				143. Summons No.				134																
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	Names & Addresses of Occupants														If Deceased, Date & Time of Death																										
A	01	01	01	-	54	M	-	-	-	11	04	-	-	CHARLES JOSEPH SORANNO																											
	35 HEATHER RD TOMS RIVER TOWNSHIP NJ 08753																																								
B	01	03	01	04	54	M	04	08	02	04	01	-	6505	CATHERINE JOAN WILSON																											
	35 HEATHER RD TOMS RIVER TOWNSHIP NJ 08753																																								
C	02	01	01	-	28	M	-	-	-	11	04	-	-	MATTHEW K ULATOWSKI																											
	102 AUTUMN COVE CT JACKSONVILLE NC 28546																																								
D	02	03	01	-	29	M	-	-	-	11	04	-	-	VASHTI MARIE ULATOWSKI																											
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144. Crash Diagram



Show NORTH by Arrow
(Not to Scale)

SEE ATTACHED DIAGRAM

145. Crash Description/Narrative

Vehicle 2 was exiting Walmart (1872 RT 88) onto RT 70 e/b. Vehicle 2 pulled more than half way out into the right lane and was attempting to continue forward to enter the middle lane, when it was struck by Vehicle 1.

Upon my arrival Brick EMS was already on scene treating Vehicle 1's passenger for head and neck pain. EMS advised me the passenger stated her head struck the windshield after impact. EMS advised the passenger was not wearing a seatbelt when they arrived. As EMS removed the passenger from the vehicle I observed the passenger side seatbelt. The seatbelt was fully retracted and tightly wedged between seat, the door frame and a leather tool belt. It appeared that the seatbelt had not been used in quite some time.

I spoke with a witness to the crash, Brittany Pierce, who stated she was stopped in traffic in the center lane, just west of the Walmart exit. Pierce advised traffic in the right lane, east of the exit was stopped and backed up almost to the Walmart exit. Pierce advised the center lane in front of her was open and she had waived 3 vehicles, prior to Vehicle 2, to exit Walmart and enter the center lane in front of her. Pierce stated she could see the right lane, west of the exit, in her passenger side mirror and it remained clear. Pierce stated Vehicle 2 rolled out into the right lane and she waved to Driver 2 to pull in front of her. As Vehicle 2 continued

146. Officer's Signature Daniel P Testa	147. Badge # 0265	148. Reviewer James J Kelly	Badge # 233	149. Case Status ☐ Pending ☒ Complete
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forward she observed Vehicle 1 traveling east in the right lane, approaching Vehicle 2. Pierce stated Vehicle 1 was traveling very fast and never slowed down before crashing into Vehicle 2. Pierce stated it was as if Driver 1 didn't see Vehicle 2 in front of him.

Driver 2's statement matched the Pierce's statement. Driver 2 added he also observed the right lane, west of the exit, completely clear of traffic prior to rolling out onto RT 70. Driver 2 stated as Pierce waived for him to continue into her lane he saw Vehicle 1 approaching him in his peripheral and could only brace for impact.

I spoke with Driver 1 who stated he was traveling in the right lane when Vehicle 2 abruptly exited Walmart and cut him off. Driver 1 added he was only traveling 25mph. Driver 1 stated when Vehicle 2 cut him off he attempted to stop and avoid the crash but his vehicle is so heavy that it continued to skid forward. Driver 1 pointed out tire markings on the roadway as proof of him attempting to stop. I observed the tire markings Driver 1 was pointing to and they were located at the point of impact. I observed no tire markings in the roadway west of the crash.

Prior to Passenger 1 being transported to Brick Hospital I asked her if she had been wearing her seatbelt and she stated yes. Passenger 1 then explained that her head flew forward into the windshield because she was only using the lap belt and had put the shoulder portion behind her because it was uncomfortable. I explained that the lap belt alone still should have kept her head from reaching the windshield. Passenger 1 then changed her statement and said she only had her right arm through the retracted seatbelt. Driver 1 also stated that his passenger was wearing her seatbelt and stated it was off and tucked in the way I observed it because he had taken it off of her after the crash and specifically put it that way.

Driver 1 was issued a summons for Careless Driving and Passenger 1 was issued a summons for Failure to wear a seatbelt.

*Vehicle 2 Insurance Information:

Policy# 03174 52 45G 701 6
USAA General Indemnity Company
9800 Fredericksburg Rd
San Antonio, TX 78288
210-531-8722

Daniel P Testa

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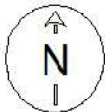
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144 Crash Diagram (NOT TO SCALE)

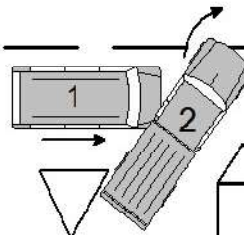
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RT 70 Eastbound



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Walmart
1872 RT 88



Daniel P Testa

Officer's Signature

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