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Pennsylvania Law Enforcement
Crash - Public Information Release Report

Agency Information:

AGENCY	INVESTIGATOR
PA STATE POLICE - RIDGWAY	ULICNE DAVID

Summary Information:

CAD CASE NUMBER	CRASH DATE	CRASH TIME
PA 2026-1402973	11/04/2026	17:36 Hours

CRASH INVOLVES: N/A

COUNTY	MUNICIPALITY	ROUTE NUMBER	SEGMENT NUMBER
ELK	JAY TOWNSHIP	0255	

STREET	STREET ENDING
BENNETTS VALLEY	HIGHWAY

LOCATION: ON BENNETTS VALLEY HWY SOUTH OF CLEVELAND ST

People Involved:

UNIT NUMBER	PERSON
	[Personal information redacted]

LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED	

EMS TRANSPORT	INJURY SEVERITY
TRANSPORTED	INJURY, UNKNOWN SEVERITY

EMS AGENCY	MEDICAL FACILITY
BENNETT'S VALLEY AMBULANCE	NONE

UNIT NUMBER	PERSON
002	DRIVER

[Personal information redacted]

SAFETY EQUIPMENT	NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT
LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED	

EMS TRANSPORT	INJURY SEVERITY
REFUSED TRANSPORT	NOT INJURED

EMS AGENCY	MEDICAL FACILITY
BENNETT'S VALLEY AMBULANCE	NONE

Vehicles Involved:

UNIT NUMBER	YEAR	VEHICLE MAKE	MODEL
001	2014	TOYOTA	SIENNA

DRIVER CHARGED?	PRIMARY VIOLATION
YES	3310A FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY - GENERAL RULE

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002	2019	SUBARU	CROSSTREK

DRIVER CHARGED?	PRIMARY VIOLATION

Crash Synopsis:

This crash occurred on the above date and time, as Unit 1 was traveling behind Unit 2 north bound on SR255 in Jay Township, Elk County. A unknown vehicle traveling north on SR255 was attempted to turn left in front of Unit 2 and Unit 1. Operator 2 slowed and Operator 1 was following too closely and failed to stop. Unit 1 struck Unit 2 in the 6 o'clock position causing disabling damage to Unit 1. Operator 1 sustained injuries and was transported to Penn Highlands Dubois for further medical treatment as she was wearing her seatbelt and airbags deployed. Operator 2 was wearing her seatbelt and did not sustain injuries. Assisted on scene was Bennetts Valley Ambulance, Fox Township Ambulance, Jay Township Volunteer Fire Department, D&T Towing and Kersey Car Care. Operator 1 was cited for following too closely.

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