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Press Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Aug 21 2009, 10:47 AM

TYPE OF INCIDENT:

Industrial Accident - Death

DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT:

8-20-09 10:28 AM

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE:

Camp Roberts, Nacimiento Pipeline Project Site

VICTIM INFORMATION:

Timothy Nelson, Ojai DOB: 6-18-80

SUSPECT INFORMATION:

N/A

DETAILS OF NEWS RELEASE:

San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's coroner investigators are in the process of completing their investigation into the death of a 29 year old grade checker working on the Nacimiento Pipeline project. The employee of Teichert Construction of Sacramento was killed when a dump truck he was working near backed up over the victim. The back-up alarm on the truck was functioning at the time of the

accident and it is not known why the worker did not move out of the way of the backing truck.

The driver of the truck did not realize the worker was behind him and was unaware that he had struck the victim.

Investigators do not suspect foul play and will turn their information over to federal OSHA inspectors for review. Federal OSHA has jurisdiction on the military installation.

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