



Mesa County Coroner's Office

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The Mesa County Coroner's Office has completed its examination regarding the death of Fortunato Diaz-Alejandro, a 34-year-old male resident of Fruita. Mr. Diaz-Alejandro was involved in a rollover crash on Interstate 70 near mile marker 34 Saturday, September 8, 2012 around 10:00 PM. Mr. Diaz-Alejandro was ejected and did not appear to have been wearing his seatbelt. The **Cause of Death** was **Multiple Blunt-Force Injuries** and the **Manner of Death** was **Accident**. Mr. Diaz-Alejandro had a blood-alcohol level of .216.

The law enforcement agency overseeing this investigation is the Colorado State Patrol. Please contact them for any further details.

Thank you