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Ralph Obenberger
Undersheriff

Date: March 16, 2010
RE: Coroner Investigation
From: Jennifer Hansen, Public Information Officer

The Mono County Sheriff's Department is investigating the death of a Mammoth Lakes resident who died at Mammoth Hospital preceding a snowboard accident. On Friday, March 12th, 2010, Joshua Hernandez was involved in a high speed snowboard collision with a fence while snowboarding on Mammoth Mountain. Hernandez returned home after the incident and was later transported to Mammoth Hospital. Hernandez went into cardiac arrest at the hospital where life saving efforts were unsuccessful.

The law requires that arrest information be made available to the public. This publication may contain suspect information about individuals booked by the Mono County Sheriff's Department recently. Names of juveniles (under 18-years-old) are not public. Suspect information and ongoing investigation details are also withheld. Since most cases have yet to be adjudicated, all charges should be considered allegations. For questions/concerns regarding any information contained in this publication, contact Undersheriff Ralph Obenberger at (760) 932-7549.