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## Henrico Police Investigates Fatal Crash at Libbie Ave and Fitzhugh Ave

(Henrico County, Va.) – On Monday, April 8, 2024, at approximately 5:05 p.m., Henrico Police responded to the intersection of Libbie Avenue and Fitzhugh Avenue for the report of a traffic crash involving a motorcycle and a sedan.

Once on the scene, officers located the adult male driver of the motorcycle with critical injuries. He was transported to an area hospital where he later succumbed to his injuries sustained from the crash. The driver has since been identified as **Mahir Hiteshkumar Desai, 26, of Henrico**. The driver of the sedan was also transported to an area hospital for treatment of minor injuries.

The preliminary investigation indicates Mr. Desai was traveling North on Libbie Avenue when the operator of the sedan attempted to turn left from westbound Fitzhugh Avenue to head southbound on Libbie Avenue. As the sedan entered the intersection, Mr. Desai was unable to avoid a collision and struck the driver's side of the sedan. Investigators are working to determine whether speed was a factor in this crash.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Crash Team Investigator C. Bolinger at (804) 501-5000. You can also submit information via Crime Stoppers at (804) 780-1000 or by using the P3Tips app; both methods are anonymous.

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