# INCIDENT INVESTIGATION ASSIGNMENT INSTRUCTIONS

**Utility Vehicle (UTV) Fatalities**

**DOCUMENT NUMBER:**

**DATE OF INCIDENT:** **CATID: TYNN09 2020**

**FOLLOW-UP REQUESTED** **HAZARD ANALYSIS** ☒ **COMPLIANCE** ☐

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**ASSIGNMENT MESSAGE:** Conduct an in-depth investigation of the UTV fatality reported in the attached document using the *UTV Investigation Guideline* of **Appendix 91.** If you have any special concerns about this investigation, please do not hesitate to call your headquarters contact.

A narrative write-up for this IDI is not required (including both ATV and UTV incidents), provided the DRS is completed. If both an ATV and a UTV are involved in the incident being investigated, then both the ATVD and UTVD DRS should be completed. An on-site investigation is not required for either ATVs or UTV incidents.

**A Utility Vehicle (UTV) or Recreational Off-highway Vehicle (ROV) is a vehicle that has a steering wheel, seatbelt or other restraint, , roll bar, cargo bed, foot pedals, or bench or bucket seats, excluding dune buggies and golf carts. UTVs are also known as "side-by-side ATVs" indicating that the seating is side-by-side instead of straddle.**

Below is a list of vehicle make and models where the vehicle is not an ATV and the UTV investigation guidelines should be used. Please note this is not a comprehensive list of all makes and models of UTVs, but a list to help facilitate the identification of common UTVs.

| Make | Model | | Make | Model |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arctic Cat | Prowler/Wildcat | | Kimball | Hauler |
| Bad Boy (BB) Buggies | Classic/LT/Stretch/XT/XTV | | Koyker | Raptor |
| Big Muddy | BM500/BM700 | | Kubota | RTV |
| Bobcat | (various) | | Kymco | UXV |
| Bombardier/Can-AM | Commander/Maverick | | Land Pride | Treker |
| Carter Brothers | Matrix | | Polaris | Ranger/RZR (Razor)/ACE |
| Club Car | XRT (various) | | Pug Back | Forty |
| Cub Cadet | Volunteer | | Snapper Turf | Grounds Cruiser |
| Diamo | Sport/Discovery/Crew | | Suzuki | QUV |
| Honda | Big Red (the UTV Big Red, not the 3-wheel ATV also called a Big Red)/Pioneer | | Tomcar | TM5 |
| John Deere | Gator (various) | | Toro | Twister |
| Kawasaki | Teryx/Mule | | Yamaha | Rhino/Viking/Wolverine (not the 4-wheel ATV by the same name) |

**For Distribution on the completed IDI, please include the following:**

| for ATVs | for UTVs and ROVs |
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| John Topping, Mary Murphy, and Daniel Dunlap | John Topping and Mary Murphy |

Area below will be completed in Data Systems

**Person(s) to Contact:**

**Guidelines:** **Appendix 91 – All Terrain Vehicles/Utility Vehicles**

**Task Number:** **Date:**

**Assigned to:** **Processed by: lew**