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NEWS RELEASE

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Bus Accident

Ceres, California - On June 4, 2012 at approximately 8:12 AM, Officer Sergio Jimenez, a School Resource Officer that was working at Central Valley High School, heard the loud sound of a traffic collision at the 2200 block of Service in Ceres, California.

He arrived and discovered a Ceres Unified School District bus had collided into the driver side of a Jeep Laredo. It is believed the school bus was traveling north on Central Avenue and the Jeep Laredo was traveling west on Service Road when the collision occurred.

Both drivers were females in their 50's, and the bus was not occupied by any children at the time of the collision. The driver of the Jeep Laredo was pinned in and had to be extricated from the vehicle. She was transported to a local hospital for treatment of her injuries, which do not appear life threatening.

The cause of the collision being investigated and the Ceres Police Department is asking anyone who witnessed the collision to call the Ceres Watch Commander office at 538-5706.

Photographs of the scene are attached on the next five pages.











