McLouth Teen Killed In Jefferson Co Crash

(KNZA)--A 17-year-old McLouth boy is dead, and six others injured, as the result of a two vehicle late Saturday afternoon crash in Jefferson County.

The Kansas Highway Patrol says it happened around 4:30, on K-16 Highway, one-and-a-half-miles east of Oksaloosa, when the 17-year-old, identified as Hunter Levi Terrell, was westbound and attempted to pass a pick-up truck. When his Honda Civic reentered the lane, he lost control, causing the car to skid broadside. It then entered the westbound lanes and was struck by a Chevy Suburban driven by 26-year-old Carolanne Todd, of Oskaloosa.

Todd and her five passengers, children ranging in age from 1 to 10-years-old, all suffered what the Patrol describes as disabling injuries, and were transported for hospital treatment at Topeka's Stormont-Vail.

Terrell was transported to the Barnett Family Funeral Home in Oskaloosa.

The Patrol says Terrell was buckled up, but seatbelt usage in Todd's vehicle remains unknown as the investigation continues.

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