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**PRESS RELEASE**

**May 11, 2015**  
**For Immediate Release:**

**Fatal Farm Tractor Accident**

(Johns Island, SC) On May 10, 2015, at or shortly after 6:00 p.m., Charleston County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to 3680 Humbert Road, Johns Island to investigate a fatal accident. According to initial reports, our deputies were informed that the victim was operating a Massey Ferguson 1030 tractor on his property. The tractor had a flat left front tire and the victim was attempting to take the tractor into a garage under his residence to repair it. When the victim reached the garage door it appears that he fell from the tractor and was struck by the back left tire. The driver was last seen at approximately 5:00 p.m. on the tractor heading back to the residence and was found at 6:00 p.m., the tractor was still in gear when the victim was discovered.

The Charleston County Coroner Office will make identification notification.

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