

#### NARRATIVE

On/about the listed date and time, unit 1, unit 2 and unit 3 were all traveling northbound on IR 75 near milepost 46.8. Units 1 and 2 were in the center lane of travel and unit 3 was in the left lane of travel. Unit 2 encountered slowed traffic ahead causing her to brake rapidly. As a result of unit 2 heavily braking, unit 1 was unable to slow rapidly enough, thereby failing to maintain an assured cleared distance ahead, which resulted in the front of unit 1 striking the rear of unit 2. Both unit 1 and unit 2 then went into the left-hand lane of travel which forced unit 3 to exit the roadway to the left. Once unit 3 exited the roadway, it traveled through the grassy median and struck a drainage ditch. Unit 3 sustained damage as a result of the collision with the drainage ditch. Unit 3 then traveled an additional approximate 200 feet before coming to a stop, still within the grassy median. The driver of unit 3 complained of back pain, and was subsequently transported to Sycamore Medical Center for treatment. The drivers of units 1 and 2 had no injuries.

