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Serious Accident Shuts Down Three Lanes of I-16 at Mile Marker 152

Chatham County, GA (May 20, 2021) – A serious accident with injuries has shut down three lanes of I-16 at mile marker 152.

The accident happened just before 4:30 p.m. in the westbound lanes of I-16 near mile marker 152. One person was ejected, and a medical transport helicopter has been requested. Two people are being transported to the hospital with serious injuries.

Both westbound lanes of I-16 at mile marker 152 are closed, and one east bound lane is closed. Traffic is being re-routed onto Bloomingdale Road.

Motorists should expect lengthy delays and should seek a different route. There is no timetable on when the lanes are expected to re-open.

The Georgia State Patrol has been called in to investigate the crash, and all media inquiries regarding the cause of the accident, investigation and condition of the victims should be directed to their agency.

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