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SFMTA Statement on Muni Bus and Pedestrian Accident April 6, 2009

On Sunday, April 5, at approximately 4:10 a.m., a Muni bus serving the 91 Owl route was involved in an accident with a pedestrian near the intersection of Richardson Avenue and Francisco Street. The pedestrian was reportedly a passenger on the bus immediately before the accident took place.

The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA), which operates Muni, extends its wishes for a healthy recovery to the individual injured in yesterday's unfortunate accident.

The incident remains under investigation by the San Francisco Police Department and the SFMTA. Per normal procedure, the Muni Operator who was driving the bus involved in the accident has been tested for drugs and alcohol and placed on non-driving status pending the results of the investigation.

Safety is the highest priority at the SFMTA. The Agency is committed to continuing its ongoing efforts to provide the safest possible service to San Francisco residents and visitors.