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Trotwood Woman Indicted in Double Fatal Crash

State v. Kiara Scales, 2016-CR-0538

DAYTON, OH (5/25/2016) – Prosecutor Mat Heck, Jr. announced that 25-year-old **Kiara L. Scales**, of Trotwood, has been indicted for a traffic crash that occurred on July 6, 2014 that took the lives of a motorist and an unborn child.

On Sunday, July 6, 2014, Dayton Police officers were dispatched on a report of a disturbance involving two vehicles in the area of Siebenthaler Avenue and Philadelphia Avenue. Shortly thereafter, they were dispatched to the scene of a traffic crash at the intersection of West Grand Avenue and Forest Avenue.

According to eyewitnesses, the defendant's vehicle crossed the centerline and was traveling at a high rate of speed when it ran through a red light and struck a pickup truck at the intersection.

The driver of the pickup truck, 60-year-old Anthony Juan Foreman, was trapped in the vehicle and it took the Dayton Fire Department approximately 20 minutes to extricate him. He later died at the hospital from injuries he sustained in the crash.

A second victim, a passenger in the defendant's vehicle, was 5 months pregnant. She suffered serious injuries and her unborn fetus died from injuries he sustained in the crash.

Today, the defendant has been indicted on:

- Two counts Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
- One count Vehicular Assault

A warrant for the defendant's arrest has been issued. She is scheduled to be arraigned on June 9, 2016 at 8:30 am.

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