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Serious Injury Motorcycle Crash

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Location: 38th Avenue North and 31st Street North

June 22nd, shortly after 2 p.m. a red Ducati motorcycle, driven by Shaun W. Arnold (05/13/1992), was westbound on 38th Avenue North. A black Acura 4-door sedan, driven by Mirsad Sinanovic (09/12/1959), was traveling southbound on 31st Street North and began to make a left hand turn onto 38th Avenue North.

At the same time the Acura began its turn, the Ducati changed from the curb lane to the median lane and accelerated. The Ducati struck the driver side of the Acura and the rider was thrown from his motorcycle.

A helmet was located at the scene, but it has not been determined whether or not it was being worn when the crash occurred.

Shaun Arnold was transported from the scene to Bayfront Health St. Petersburg with life threatening injuries. Mirsad Snanovic was evaluated by paramedics at the scene and released.

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