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## **BY EMAIL**

Jennifer Homendy, Chair National Transportation Safety Board jennifer.homendy@ntsb.gov

## **Re: LED Flashing Lights**

Dear Jennifer Homendy,

On January 21, 2022, in Brentwood, California, former California Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger was involved in a vehicle accident. As the NTSB investigates this accident, the NTSB must investigate the use of LED flashing lights that are used on the tow trucks and fire engines, and police cars that arrived at the scene. The video clip shows the dangerous and discriminatory LED flashing lights that impair the ability of first responders to properly see, think, and make good decisions.

Emergency Vehicles with LED Flashing Lights: https://youtu.be/R6wjQSHUpuU

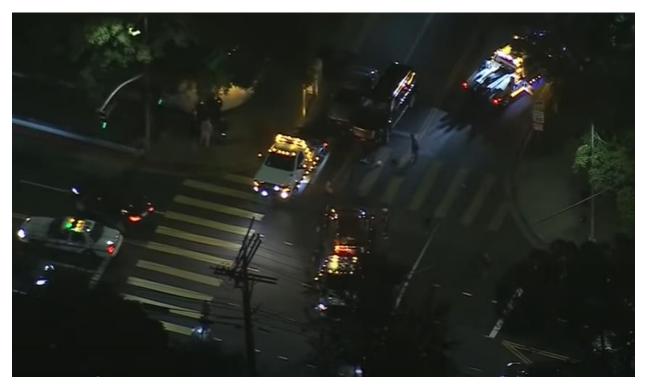


Figure 1 – Arnold Schwarzenegger Accident

The Soft Lights Foundation has reported these highly dangerous LED flashing light beam devices to the NTSB and NHTSA many times. We demand that the NTSB investigate this accident and submit a full report on the use of LED flashing lights on emergency vehicles.

Sincerely,

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