



# ***BRPD News Item***

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Date:	2/16/10
Slug:	Fatal Industrial Accident
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**UPDATE:** The victim's family from the accident below has been notified. He is identified as SAUSTIMO AGUIRRE, 32, 1880 BLVD. DE PROVINCE

A construction worker died at the scene of an apparent industrial accident this afternoon. It happened around 4:15pm in the 3000 block of North Sherwood Forest.

The preliminary investigation shows two men employed by Southland Steel Fabricators of Greensburg, LA were working on the site of a construction project for the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board. Both fell to the ground from approximately 20 feet after a beam struck the man lift they were in, knocking it over.

One of the workers suffered minor injuries and was transported to a local hospital for treatment.

The other, a 32-year old Hispanic male, died at the scene of apparent head trauma.

No foul play is suspected. The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) was notified of the accident.