

VERDICTS & SETTLEMENTS

## Three-car collision resulted in plaintiff's becoming a quadriplegic



COOPER

### \$6,500,000 settlement

A three-car collision resulted in the plaintiff's becoming a quadriplegic.



STEINGOLD

There were major contributory negligence issues that were hotly contested, as the plaintiff was alleged to be improperly stopped on the roadway.



MENDELSON

The case settled in mediation for \$6,500,000.

[020-T-117]

**Type of action:** Motor Vehicle Collision

**Injuries alleged:** Quadriplegia

**Tried before:** Mediation

**Name of judge or mediator:** Judge Thomas Shadrick

**Date resolved:** 08/18/2020

**Special damages:** Past medical bills in excess of \$2,000,000.00 and contested future medical expenses

**Verdict or settlement:** Settlement

**Amount:** \$6,500,000

**Attorney(s) for plaintiff:** John M. Cooper, Norfolk; Ira Steingold, Suffolk; Judd Mendelson, Suffolk

**Plaintiff's expert(s):** Alan Michaelis