

Humberto Law Announces Expanded Legal Services for Buford Car Accident Victims

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The Law Offices of Humberto Izquierdo, Jr., PC has announced expanded legal representation services for car accident victims in Buford and Gwinnett County, responding to a series of serious crashes including a fatal collision at Buford Dam Road and Garrett Road in April 2024.

The announcement comes as Buford experiences increased crash severity along its major corridors. A fatal angle crash at the intersection of Buford Dam Road and Garrett Road killed one person on April 15, 2024, marking one of several serious incidents in an area serving as a primary connector between SR-20 and Lake Lanier access routes. Additional crashes on I-985, including a rear-end collision injuring a Buford woman and a logging truck collision that killed a Gainesville man, underscore the corridor's dangers for both commuter and commercial traffic.

The expanded services address changes in Georgia's legal landscape following Senate Bill 68, signed April 21, 2025, which modified the state's comparative fault framework. The new law allows defendants in

distracted driving cases to argue that multiple parties, including injured victims themselves, share crash responsibility through expanded apportionment rules.

"Senate Bill 68's apportionment modification fundamentally changes how distracted driving claims proceed in Gwinnett County, allowing insurance adjusters to distribute fault across unnamed parties and reduce individual insurer payouts," said Humberto Izquierdo, Jr., founder of the Law Offices of Humberto Izquierdo, Jr., PC. "For Buford's diverse community, particularly Spanish-speaking residents who comprise a significant portion of the Gwinnett corridor population, having bilingual legal representation ensures they understand these new provisions before making statements that could impact their claims."

Gwinnett County ranks among Georgia's top four counties for total crash volume, with Buford's position at the intersection of I-85, I-985, and SR-20 creating one of the county's highest-exposure zones for serious injuries. An October 18, 2024 crash on Interstate 85 near Buford Drive requiring emergency medical transport exemplified the ongoing pattern of serious collisions along these corridors.

Under Georgia's existing modified comparative fault standard, victims found 50 percent or more at fault cannot recover damages. The new apportionment rules under SB 68 provide insurance adjusters additional tools to spread fault across multiple parties in distracted driving claims, potentially reducing settlement offers from initial contact.

The Humberto Law Buford car accident lawyer services address both the legal complexity and language barriers facing crash victims. The firm's bilingual capability in English and Spanish provides access to legal representation for Gwinnett County's diverse population, particularly when navigating SB 68's modified framework.

The Law Offices of Humberto Izquierdo, Jr., PC, known as Humberto Injury Law, handles car accidents, distracted driving crashes, rear-end collisions, and wrongful death cases. The firm operates on a contingency fee basis with no upfront costs, providing free case evaluations 24 hours daily. As a Buford car accident lawyer resource, the firm serves Gwinnett County, Forsyth County, and North Georgia communities from its Cumming, Georgia location.

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