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### Runaway Lexus kills 4!

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*San Diego, CA—A fiery crash left four people dead after the car's accelerator became stuck. The fatal crash happened on Friday, August 28, 2009 at 6:30 p.m. at the intersection of Route 125 and Mission Gorge Road in Santee, as reported by San Diego Union Tribune.*

*According to the California Highway Patrol (CHP), a loaner 2009 Lexus ES 350 driven by CHP Officer [REDACTED] and three family members experienced a serious malfunction, which caused the accelerator to stick. Someone reportedly dialed 911 around 6:30 p.m. to report the cars accelerator was stuck, and the car could not be stopped while traveling nearly 100 miles per hour. The out-of-control car careened through the intersection of Route 125 and Mission Gorge Road and collided with a Ford Explorer. The Lexus then jumped a curb, plowed through a fence, and then slammed into an embankment before going airborne. The luxury car reportedly overturned several times before it came to a stop and burst into flames in the San Diego River basin. The CHP officer [REDACTED] 45; his wife, [REDACTED] 45; Saylor's daughter [REDACTED] 13; and his brother-in-law, [REDACTED] were all tragically killed at the scene of the horrific crash.*

*The car was reportedly loaned from Bob Baker Lexus El Cajon on Friday after [REDACTED] dropped his car off for service. The Lexus is fully equipped with a double redundant fail-safe system, which would shut the vehicle off if it were to experience a major malfunction. No one at Bob Baker Lexus El Cajon knows what went wrong and is currently waiting for the completion of a full investigation. The CHP multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team and Sheriff's investigators are conducting the investigation into the runaway vehicle accident.*

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