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**Headline:** New Jersey Woman Severely Injured In Rear-End Auto ***Accident*** Receives $3.5 Million Settlement In State Court

**Result:** $3.5 million settlement ($2.5 million in cash, $1 million toward 20-year annuity)

**Injury:** Severe back injury

**Court:** N.J. Super., Morris Co.

**Judge:** Edward Seaman

**Plaintiff Profile**

Deborah Bonner

**Defendant Profile**

Robert Pullins

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**Case Summary**

**Claim:** Auto negligence, personal injury

**Background:** Sources told Mealey Publications that on March 24, 2003, Deborah Bonner was stopped in her ***car*** on Main Road in Montville, N.J., while she waited for traffic to clear so that she could make a left turn into the parking lot of her employer. While she was stopped, sources said Bonner was rear-ended by a truck driven by Robert Pullins of Hawthorne, N.J.As a result of the ***accident***, sources said, Bonner suffered an injured back and bladder and has needed multiple disc fusions in her back, has trouble walking, has chronic pain and can no longer work as a bookkeeper.Bonner sued Pullins on March 2, 2005, in the Morris County Superior Court.

**Other:** Sources said that in March 2007, Judge Stephen Smith Jr. granted summary judgment to Bonner on liability.

**Defense:** Allegations denied.

**Key Related Documents**

Arbitration summary available.Document #99-070416-201X.

Complaint available.Document #99-070416-202C.

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