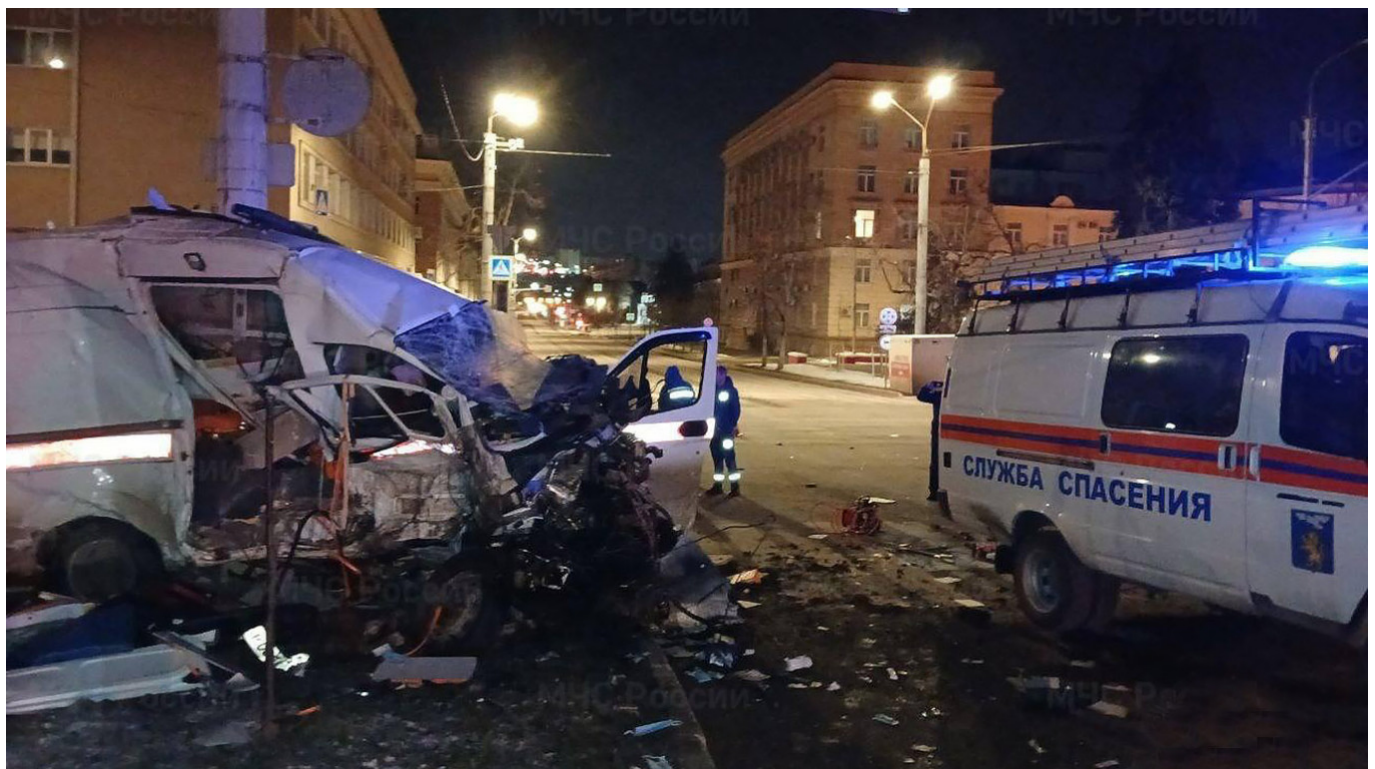


2 Belgorod Paramedics Killed in Car Crash Involving Russian Soldiers

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Two paramedics were killed when a car driven by Russian soldiers crashed into their ambulance in the southwestern city of Belgorod overnight, the local news outlet [Pepel reported](#) Friday.

Security camera footage published online [showed](#) the passenger vehicle running a red light at high speed before violently colliding with the ambulance.

The victims were [identified](#) as paramedics Olga Lyubimova and Marina Parovyshnik. Belgorod residents later [placed flowers](#) at a makeshift memorial at the crash site.

The ambulance driver and all three men in the passenger vehicle were hospitalized. According to Pepel, the three men are [Russian soldiers](#) from the republic of Dagestan.

The driver, 31-year-old Isa Abdurashidov, faces up to seven years in prison if convicted of traffic safety violations, according to a police statement [shared](#) by Pepel.

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