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VDFP Receives Motor Vehicle Accident Prevention Award

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA: – The Virginia Department of Fire Programs (VDFP) was honored on Wednesday, May 30 for its noteworthy driving record by the Virginia Department of State Police during the 2007 Virginia Trucking Association’s Awards Breakfast held at the Richmond Holiday Inn Conference Center.

The Virginia Department of Fire Programs and seven other state agencies received the Uniform Accident Prevention and Safety Program’s Motor Vehicle Accident Prevention Award for having the lowest chargeable accident frequency involving state-owned vehicles for the 2005-06 fiscal year.

“This award emphasizes the dedication of all VDFP employees to safety, which is one of our core values,” said W. G. Billy Shelton, executive director of VDFP. “I commend the drivers whose exemplary safety practices brought us this recognition.”

For more information about the Uniform Accident Prevention and Safety Program for state-owned vehicles call (804) 674-2827.



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