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### **TransForce Reports Even Lower Accident Rate In 2009**

SPRINGFIELD, Va. - TransForce Inc., the nation's leading provider of outsourced drivers to the trucking industry and DOT compliance solutions across the USA, completed 2009 with a recordable accident rate of only 0.16 accidents per million miles traveled.

The statistic is remarkably low by comparison to other benchmarks, and is a significant improvement from the company's already-low 2008 rate of 0.29 accidents per million miles. The National Private Truck Council reports an industry average for private carriers of 0.513 crashes per million miles traveled, based on their annual benchmarking survey. TransForce's accident rate is 69 percent lower than the benchmark for private fleets.

"These statistics are just a testament to the focus on our core values of quality and compliance," said David Broome, president and CEO of TransForce. "Our goal is to not only exceed DOT standards, but to also exceed our customers' expectations."

All TransForce drivers are subject to a screening process that ensures they exceed the Department of Transportation (DOT) requirements. TransForce fosters a culture of safety with drivers from the initial contact through each and every project.

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) does not report an industry average crash rate for all motor carriers, but FMCSA does track average recordable truck crash rates for carriers that undergo compliance reviews (audits). The chart below shows an average crash rate for audited carriers at 0.771 crashes per million miles, nearly five times higher than TransForce's rate:

**DOT Recordable Crash Rates – Reported Annually by FMCSA**  
*Collected & Retained by the American Trucking Associations, Inc.*

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>FMCSA-REPORTED DOT RECORDABLE CRASH RATE*</b> <i>(Recordable Crashes Per Million Miles Traveled)</i>
1998	0.857
1999	0.886 “
2000	0.842 “
2001	0.805 “
2002	0.708 “
2003	0.744 “
2004	0.780 “
2005	0.744 “
2006	0.826 “
2007	0.833 “
2008	0.771 “

\* DOT recordable crash rate based on recordable crashes and mileage collected by FMCSA and state agency personnel during federal and state compliance reviews performed on motor carriers.